

BETHEL COLLEGE 2025-2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR
FALL 2025 (UPDATED 7/13/2022)

JULY

- 31 **Payment arrangements due for fall semester at the Business Office; \$100 late payment arrangement fee for all returning students in effect on July 31, 2025**
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AUGUST

- 9 Move-in, late registration, and payment for new and returning athletes participating in fall sports
9 Move-in, late registration, and payment for all freshmen, transfers, and junior and senior nursing students
12 Move-in, late registration, and payment for all returning students
9-12 **THRESHER DAYS – REQUIRED ACTIVITIES FOR NEW TRANSFERS/FRESHMEN**
13 First half semester & full semester classes begin (unless otherwise stated in the course schedule)
19 Last day to add a full semester class; last day to enroll in first half semester classes; last day to drop first half semester classes without a record or \$15 drop fee
26 Last day to drop a full semester course without a record or \$15 drop fee; last day to change registration from letter grade to audit or vice versa; Directed Study forms due in Registrar's Office
27 \$15 drop fee in effect
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SEPTEMBER

- 1 **LABOR DAY - NO CLASSES**
10 Registrar's 20th Reporting Day
15 Last day to withdraw from first half semester classes; last day to request credit/no credit grading (CR/NC) for first half semester classes
17 **SERVICE DAY** - No daytime classes; evening classes meet at 7:00 pm
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OCTOBER

- TBD **FALL FESTIVAL WEEKEND**
10 Last day of first half semester courses; mid-term
13-14 **FALL BREAK** - through 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 14
15 Second half semester classes begin
15 Mid-term grades due at **8 a.m. on Wednesday**
21 Last day to enroll in second half semester classes; last day to drop second half semester classes without a record or \$15 drop fee
21 Last day to withdraw from full semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for full semester classes
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NOVEMBER

- 17 Last day to withdraw from second half semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for second half semester classes
26-28 **No Classes - THANKSGIVING BREAK** (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS WILL BEGIN A "SOFT" CLOSE AT 6 PM, NOV. 25; REOPEN AT 1 PM, NOV.30; THE CAF WILL NOT BE OPEN OVER BREAK; WILL REOPEN SUNDAY, NOV. 30 FOR THE EVENING MEAL)
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DECEMBER

- 8 Reading day – no classes
9-11 Final exams (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT 6 PM, DEC. 11; THE CAF WILL CLOSE AT 1 P.M., DEC. 11 AND WILL NOT BE OPEN OVER BREAK)
15 Fall grades due at **8 a.m. on Monday**
Payment arrangements due for spring semester at the Business Office; \$100 late payment arrangement fee for all returning students in effect on January 9, 2026
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SPRING 2026

JANUARY

- 11 Residence halls reopen for new and returning students at 1:00 pm; (THE CAF WILL REOPEN SUNDAY, JAN. 11 FOR THE EVENING MEAL)
12 New student registration and orientation; tuition and fees payment at the Business Office - \$100 late financial arrangement fee in effect beginning January 12
13 First half semester & full semester classes begin (unless otherwise stated in the schedule)
19 **Martin Luther King Day – no classes**

- 20 Last day to enroll in full semester classes; last day to enroll in first half semester classes; last day to drop first half semester classes without a record or \$15 drop fee
 - 27 Last day to drop a full semester course without a record or \$15 drop fee; last day to change registration from letter grade to audit or vice versa; Directed Study forms due in Registrar's Office
 - 28 \$15 drop fee in effect
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FEBRUARY

- 10 Registrar's 20th Reporting Day
 - 16 Last day to withdraw from first half semester classes; last day to request credit/no credit grading (CR/NC) for first half semester classes
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MARCH

- 2 **EARLY ENROLLMENT FOR FALL 2026 AND SPRING 2027 BEGINS**
 - 9-13 **SPRING BREAK** (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT 6 PM, MARCH 6; OPEN AT 1 PM, MARCH 15; THE CAF WILL CLOSE AT 1 P.M. ON MARCH 6 AND WILL REOPEN FOR THE EVENING MEAL ON MARCH 15; THE CAF WILL NOT BE OPEN OVER BREAK)
 - 16 Second half semester classes begin
 - 16 Mid-term grades due at **8 a.m. on Monday**
 - 20 Last day to enroll in second half semester classes; last day to drop second half semester classes without a record or \$15 drop fee
 - 24 **Assessment Day- No Classes**
 - 30 Last day to withdraw from full semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for full semester classes
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APRIL

- 3 **GOOD FRIDAY - NO CLASSES**
 - 20 Last day to withdraw from second half semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for second half semester classes
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MAY

- 1 **Graduating students only** grades due at **12 NOON on Friday**
 - 11 Reading day - no classes
 - 12-14 Final exams (THE CAF WILL CLOSE AT 1 P.M. ON MAY 14)
 - 15 **NOON** - Deadline for grade changes for **graduating students only** (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT 6 P.M.)
 - 17 Baccalaureate and Commencement
 - 18 Spring grades due at **8 a.m. on Monday**; (Note: RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT NOON FOR GRADUATING STUDENTS)
 - 18 **MAY TERM** begins; **SUMMER TERM** begins
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JUNE

- 5 **MAY TERM** ends
 - 8 **MAY TERM** grades due
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JULY

AUGUST

- 3 **SUMMER TERM** ends; grades are due