

BETHEL COLLEGE 2023-2024 ACADEMIC CALENDAR
FALL 2023 (UPDATED 05/19/2023)

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, 2023**
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AUGUST

- 4 Move-in, late registration, and payment for new and returning athletes participating in fall sports
12 Move-in, late registration, and payment for all freshmen and junior and senior nursing students
15 Move-in, late registration, and payment for all transfer and returning students
12-15 **THRESHER DAYS – REQUIRED ACTIVITIES FOR NEW FIRST-YEAR FRESHMEN**
16 First half semester & full semester classes begin (unless otherwise stated in the course schedule)
22 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
29 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
30 \$15 drop fee in effect
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SEPTEMBER

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

- 14-15 **FALL FESTIVAL WEEKEND**
13 Last day of first half semester courses; mid-term
16-17 **FALL BREAK** - through 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 17
18 Second half semester classes begin
18 Mid-term grades due at **3 p.m. on Wednesday**
24 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 Last day to withdraw from full semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for full semester classes
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NOVEMBER

- 13 Last day to withdraw from second half semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for second half semester classes
22 **No Classes - THANKSGIVING BREAK** (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS WILL BEGIN A "SOFT" CLOSE AT 6 PM, NOV. 21; REOPEN AT 1 PM, NOV.26; THE CAF WILL NOT BE OPEN AFTER THE EVENING MEAL ON NOV. 21; WILL REOPEN SUNDAY, NOV. 26 FOR THE EVENING MEAL)
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DECEMBER

- 11 Reading day – no classes
12-14 Final exams (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT 6 PM, DEC. 14; THE CAF WILL CLOSE AT 1 P.M., DEC. 14 AND WILL NOT BE OPEN OVER BREAK)
18 Fall grades due at **3 p.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 11, 2024
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SPRING 2024

JANUARY

- 7 Residence halls reopen for new and returning students at 1:00 pm; (THE CAF WILL REOPEN SUNDAY, JAN. 7 FOR THE EVENING MEAL)
8 New student registration and orientation; tuition and fees payment at the Business Office - \$100 late financial arrangement fee in effect beginning January 11
9 First half semester & full semester classes begin (unless otherwise stated in the schedule)
15 **Martin Luther King Day – No Daytime or Evening Classes**

- 16 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
 - 23 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
 - 24 \$15 drop fee in effect
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FEBRUARY

- 6 Registrar's 20th Reporting Day
 - 12 Last day to withdraw from first half semester classes; last day to request credit/no credit grading (CR/NC) for first half semester classes
 - 26 **EARLY ENROLLMENT FOR FALL 2024 AND SPRING 2025 BEGINS**
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MARCH

- 5 **Assessment Day- no daytime classes (evening classes will be in session)**
 - 6 Second half semester classes begin
 - 8 Last day to enroll in second half semester classes; last day to drop second half semester classes without a record or \$15 drop fee
 - 8 Mid-term grades due at **3 p.m. on Friday**
 - 11-15 **SPRING BREAK** (NOTE: RESIDENCE HALLS WILL BEGIN A "SOFT" CLOSE AT 6 PM, MARCH 8; OPEN AT 1 PM, MARCH 17; THE CAF WILL CLOSE AT 1 P.M. ON MARCH 8 AND WILL REOPEN FOR THE EVENING MEAL ON MARCH 17; THE CAF WILL NOT BE OPEN OVER BREAK)
 - 29 **GOOD FRIDAY - NO CLASSES**
 - 31 Last day to withdraw from full semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for full semester classes
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APRIL

- 8 Last day to withdraw from second half semester classes; last day to request CR/NC grading for second half semester classes
 - 25 URICA Symposium (**no afternoon classes**)
 - 26 **Graduating students only** grades due at **12 NOON on Friday**
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MAY

- 6 Reading day - no classes
 - 7-9 Final exams (THE CAF WILL CLOSE AT 1 P.M. ON MAY 9; RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT 6 P.M.)
 - 10 **NOON** - Deadline for grade changes for **graduating students only**
 - 12 Baccalaureate and Commencement
 - 13 Spring grades due at **3 p.m. on Monday**; (Note: RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE AT NOON FOR GRADUATING STUDENTS)
 - 13 **MAY TERM** begins; **SUMMER TERM** begins
 - 31 **MAY TERM** ends
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JUNE

- 3 **MAY TERM** grades due
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JULY

AUGUST

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