

Academic Calendar 2027-2028

Approved at the Faculty meeting on March 26, 2024

Fall 2027

August

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

August 23

Classes Begin
(Note: Orientation for new students and international students will be scheduled immediately preceding the start of the semester. Specific dates TBD.)

September

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

September 3

Deadline for adding/dropping courses, conversion to pass/fail, declaration of audit

September 6

Labor Day (classes in session)

October

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

October 11-12

Fall Break

October 15

Mid-term grades due

November

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

November 8-19

Pre-Registration (tentative)

November 8

Last day to withdraw from course(s); WD recorded

November 24-26

Thanksgiving Holiday

December

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

December 3

Classes end

December 4-6

Reading Days

December 7-14

Final Exams

December 17

Final grades due (by noon)

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Spring 2028

January

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

January 3-21 Interim Session

January 24 Spring Classes begin

February

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29				

February 4 Deadline for adding/dropping courses; conversion to pass/fail; declaration of audit

February 4 Interim grades due by noon

March

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

March 13-17 Spring Break

March 24 Mid-term grades due

April

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

April 10-21 Pre-registration (tentative)

April 17 Last day to withdraw from course(s); WD recorded

May

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

May 5 Spring Classes end

May 6-7 Reading Days

May 8-15 Final Exam Period

May 16 Senior grades due to Registrar by noon

May 20 Commencement

May 22 All other grades due to Registrar by noon

RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS 2027-2028

Religious Accommodations may be granted for religious holidays. The Faculty is asked to be aware of the religious holidays and accommodate students whenever possible. See the policy:

<https://advising.lafayette.edu/deans-absence-verification/>

2027

ROSH HASHANAH

will begin in the evening of Friday, October 1
and ends in the evening of Sunday, October 3

YOM KIPPUR

will begin in the evening of Sunday, October 10
and ends in the evening of Monday, October 11

HANUKKAH

will begin in the evening of Friday, December 24
and ends in the evening of Saturday, January 1

2028

***RAMADAN**

will begin in the evening of Thursday, January 27
and ends in the evening of Friday, February 25

***EID-AL-FITR**

will begin in the evening of Saturday, February 26
and ends in the evening of Sunday, February 27

PASSOVER

will begin in the evening of Monday, April 10
and ends in the evening of Tuesday, April 18

GOOD FRIDAY Friday, April 14

EASTER Sunday, April 16

***EID-AL-ADHA**

will begin in the evening of Thursday, May 4
and ends in the evening of Friday, May 5

*Muslim holidays depend on the sighting of the moon and can vary a day or two from the predicted dates.

Other Important Dates:

Thanksgiving – Thursday, November 25

Graduation – Saturday, May 20

Memorial Day – Monday, May 29