

## Academic Calendar 2026 – 2027

Disclaimer: Academic dates and related events subject to change without notice.

\*Subject to change depending on local K-12 school systems

Dates and deadlines for specific part of terms within a semester can be found at  
<https://www.uah.edu/registrar/calendars>

### Fall 2026

(Classes Begin on Wednesday)

| <b>August 19</b>      | <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>Classes Begin</b>                                                                           |
|-----------------------|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| August 26             | Wednesday        | Last day to add class without special approvals                                                |
| August 26             | Wednesday        | Last day to drop and receive a refund                                                          |
| September 1           | Tuesday          | Application deadline for Graduate degree Fall and Bachelor's degree Spring semester candidates |
| September 7           | Monday           | Labor Day Holiday (University Closed)                                                          |
| September 9           | Wednesday        | Last day to apply for Pass/Fail                                                                |
| September 16          | Wednesday        | Last day to change from credit to audit                                                        |
| October 2 - October 9 |                  | Mid Term grading available for 100 & 200 level courses                                         |
| *October 8 – 9        | Thursday-Friday  | Fall Break (Includes Saturday) No classes                                                      |
| November 6            | Friday           | Last day to submit Thesis/Dissertation Fall candidates                                         |
| November 23 - 27      | Monday-Friday    | Thanksgiving Holiday, No Classes                                                               |
| November 26 - 27      | Thursday-Friday  | Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)                                                       |
| December 3            | Thursday         | Classes End                                                                                    |
| December 4            | Friday           | Study Day (F only classes meet)                                                                |
| December 7 – 11       | Monday-Friday    | Final Exams (includes one day of week classes also)                                            |
| December 14           | Monday           | Commencement, Von Braun Center – Propst Arena                                                  |
| December 24 - 31      |                  | Winter Break (University Closed)                                                               |

### Spring 2027

(Classes Begin on Monday)

|                      |                 |                                                                                                  |
|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| January 1            | Friday          | Winter Break – University Closed                                                                 |
| January 4            | Monday          | University Re-Opens                                                                              |
| <b>January 11</b>    | <b>Monday</b>   | <b>Classes Begin</b>                                                                             |
| January 18           | Monday          | MLK Holiday (University Closed)                                                                  |
| January 19           | Tuesday         | Last day to add class without special approvals                                                  |
| January 19           | Tuesday         | Last day to drop and receive a refund                                                            |
| February 1           | Monday          | Last day to apply Pass/Fail                                                                      |
| February 1           | Monday          | Application deadline for Graduate degree Spring and Bachelor's degree Summer semester candidates |
| February 8           | Monday          | Last day to change from credit to audit                                                          |
| February 24- March 3 |                 | Mid Term grading available for 100 & 200 level courses                                           |
| *March 15 – 19       | Monday-Friday   | Spring Break Holiday (University Closed)                                                         |
| April 2              | Friday          | Honors Day – No Classes                                                                          |
| April 6              | Tuesday         | Last day to submit Thesis/Dissertation Spring candidates                                         |
| April 28             | Wednesday       | Classes End                                                                                      |
| April 29 – 30        | Thursday/Friday | Study Days (F only classes meet)                                                                 |
| May 3 – 7            | Monday-Friday   | Final Exams (includes one day of week classes also)                                              |
| May 10               | Monday          | Commencement, Von Braun Center – Propst Arena                                                    |

### Summer 2027 (Includes Maymester)

|                |                    |                                                |
|----------------|--------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| May 17         | Monday             | Maymester classes begin                        |
| May 31         | Monday             | Memorial Day Holiday (University Closed)       |
| June 4         | Friday             | Maymester classes end /final exam              |
| June 7         | Monday             | Classes Begin 10 week                          |
| June 7         | Monday             | Classes Begin 1 <sup>st</sup> 5 week           |
| June 18        | Friday             | Juneteenth Holiday (University Closed)         |
| July 5         | Monday             | Independence Day Holiday (University Closed)   |
| July 9         | Friday             | Classes End 1 <sup>st</sup> 5 week/Final Exams |
| July 12        | Monday             | Classes Begin 2 <sup>nd</sup> 5 week           |
| August 10      | Tuesday            | Classes End                                    |
| August 11 - 12 | Wednesday/Thursday | Final Exams                                    |
| August 12      | Thursday           | Classes End 2 <sup>nd</sup> 5 week/Final Exams |

#### Staff Holidays 2026-2027

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| September 7, Labor Day       | 1         |
| November 26-27, Thanksgiving | 2         |
| December 24-31, Winter Break | 6         |
| January 1, New Year's Day    | 1         |
| January 18, MLK Holiday      | 1         |
| *March 8 - 12, Spring Break  | 5         |
| May 31, Memorial Day         | 1         |
| June 18, Juneteenth Day      | 1         |
| July 5, Independence Day     | <u>1</u>  |
| <b>Total Holidays</b>        | <b>19</b> |

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