

MCKENDREE UNIVERSITY

SPRING 2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Monday, January 12	Classes Begin
Friday, January 16 (5 th day of class)	Last day to withdraw from a course with a 100% refund Last day to add a course* Last day to withdraw from a course without receiving a "W"*
<i>Monday, January 19</i>	<i>Martin Luther King Day (no classes)</i>
Monday, January 26 (10 th day of class)	Last day to withdraw from a course with a 75% refund
Monday, February 9	Last day to withdraw from a course with a 50% refund
Friday, March 6	1 st Half Semester Classes End
<i>March 7-15</i>	<i>Spring Break</i>
Monday, March 16	2 nd Half Semester Classes Begin
<i>Friday, April 3</i>	<i>Good Friday – No Classes</i>
Tuesday, April 14 (60 th day of class)	Last day to withdraw from a full semester course
Thursday, April 23	Academic Excellence Celebration on the Lebanon Campus
Friday, May 1	Last Day of Regular Class Sessions
May 4-7	Final Exams (Monday – Thursday)
Thursday, May 7	Baccalaureate
Friday, May 8	Commencement: 10:00 am = Undergraduate College of Arts & Sciences and School of Education 1:30 pm = Undergraduate School of Business and School of Nursing and Health Professions 4:30 pm = Graduate School ceremony

*These dates apply to full-semester courses. Please see half-semester calendars for four-week and eight-week withdrawal dates.