

South Arkansas College Academic Calendar 2024-2025

| Semester | Summer | Month/Date | Item | Categories |
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| July | | | | |
| Fall | | 7/1/2024 | Direct deposit enrollment for Fall semester opens | Payments |
| Fall | | 7/1/2024 | Payment plans for Fall semester open | Payments |
| August | | | | |
| Fall | | 8/1/2024 | Fall textbook purchase with financial aid voucher for students not enrolled in Summer classes opens | Books |
| Other | | 8/5-7/2024 | Rising STARS Summer Bridge Program | Event |
| Fall | | 8/8/2024 | Payment due date for Fall semester | Payments |
| Fall | | 8/12/2024 | Fall textbook purchase with financial aid voucher for students enrolled in summer classes opens | Books |
| Fall | | 8/14/2024 | Convocation (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | | 8/15/2024 | Faculty Inservice/ Prep Day (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | | 8/16/2024 | Faculty Inservice/ Prep Day (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | | 8/19/2024 | Classes Begin - First Day of Fall semester and F1 mini-mester (1st 8 weeks) | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 8/21/2024 | Last day of late registration without instructor permission for Fall semester | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 8/22/2024 | Payment due date for Fall semester | Payments |
| Fall | | 8/27/2024 | 6th day class rosters | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 8/28/2024 | 6th day rosters due at 5:00 pm | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 8/31/2024 | Deadline to enroll in direct deposit for Fall semester | Payments |
| September | | | | |
| Fall | | 9/1/2024 | Deadline to enroll in a payment plan for Fall semester | Payments |
| Fall | | 9/2/2024 | Labor Day - College Closed | Holiday |
| Fall | | 9/5/2024 | Last day to change to audit status for Fall semester | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 9/5/2024 | Census Date (11th day class rosters) for Fall and F1 mini-mester - Students must have attended and participated in their courses by this date, or they will be dropped from the course. | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 9/5/2024 | Last day to use financial aid textbook voucher for Fall semester | Books |
| Fall | | 9/5/2024 | All out of state tuition waivers, out of state scholarships, over 60 waivers, and faculty/staff dependent waivers due for Fall semester | Waivers and Scholarships |
| Fall | | 9/6/2024 | 11th day class rosters (census) due at 12:00 pm for Fall and F1 mini-mester (Instructors) | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 9/11/2024 | 9/11 Ceremony | Event |
| Fall | | 9/17/2024 | Constitution Day | Event |
| October | | | | |
| Fall | | 10/4/2024 | Last day to apply for December Graduation | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 10/10/2024 | Final Exams – F1 mini-mester | Exams |
| Fall | | 10/11/2024 | F1 mini-mester Grades due at 12:00 p.m. | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 10/14/2024 | Classes begin – First day of F2 mini-mester (Second 8 weeks) | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | | 10/14/2024 | Spring registration begins | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 10/22/2024 | Census date for F2 mini-mester - Students must have attended and participated in their courses by this date, or they will be dropped from the course. | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 10/25/2024 | Faculty/ Advisor Work Day | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Spring | | 10/29/2024 | Preview Day | Event |
| Fall | | 10/31/2024 | Trunk or Treat | Event |
| Fall | | TBD | Clothesline Project | Event |
| November | | | | |
| Spring | | 11/6/2024 | Spring textbooks available for purchase without financial aid voucher | Books |
| Fall | | 11/7/2024 | Fall Fest | Event |
| Fall | | 11/7/2024 | PTK Induction Ceremony (6:00 PM) | Event |
| Fall | | 11/15/2024 | Last Day to Withdraw from Fall classes | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 11/26/2024 | Last day of Fall classes | Important Semester Date |

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| Fall | 11/27/2024 | No Classes (Administrative offices open) | Holiday |
| Fall | 11/28/2024 | Thanksgiving Holiday – College Closed | Holiday |
| Fall | 11/29/2024 | Thanksgiving Holiday – College Tentatively Closed | Holiday |
| December | | | |
| Spring | 12/1/2024 | Direct deposit enrollment for Spring semester opens | Payments |
| Spring | 12/1/2024 | Payment plans for Spring semester open | Payments |
| Fall | 12/2-5/2024 | Final Exams – Fall semester (follow final exam schedule) | Exams |
| Fall | 12/5/2024 | Final Exams – F2 mini-mester | Exams |
| Fall | 12/6/2024 | Semester ends – Grades due electronically at 12:00 p.m. | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | 12/9-12/2024 | Assessment Day (Faculty) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | 12/12/2024 | Commencement Ceremony (Thursday) | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 12/16/2024 | Spring textbooks available for purchase using financial aid voucher | Books |
| Spring | 12/23/2024 | College Closed for Winter Break | Holiday |
| January | | | |
| Spring | 1/2/2025 | College Opens for New Year | Other |
| Spring | 1/7/2025 | New Student Orientation | Event |
| Spring | 1/8/2025 | Convocation (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Spring | 1/9/2025 | Faculty Inservice/ Prep Day (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Spring | 1/9/2025 | Payment due date for Spring semester | Payments |
| Spring | 1/10/2025 | Faculty Inservice/ Prep Day (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Spring | 1/15/2025 | Classes begin - First day of Spring semester and S1 mini-mester (First 8 weeks) | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 1/17/2025 | Last day of late registration without instructor permission for Spring semester | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 1/20/2025 | Martin Luther King Holiday - College Closed | Holiday |
| Spring | 1/23/2025 | Payment due date for Spring semester | Payments |
| Spring | 1/27/2025 | 6th day class rosters | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 1/28/2025 | 6th day class rosters due at 5:00 pm | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 1/31/2025 | Deadline to enroll in direct deposit for Spring semester | Payments |
| February | | | |
| Spring | 2/3/2025 | Deadline to enroll in payment plan for Spring semester | Payments |
| Spring | 2/4/2025 | Last day to change to audit status for Spring semester and S1 mini-mester | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 2/4/2025 | Census Date (11th day class rosters) for Spring and S1- Students must have attended and participated in their courses by this date, or they will be dropped from the course. | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 2/4/2025 | All out of state tuition waivers, out of state scholarships, over 60 waivers, and faculty/staff dependent waivers due for Spring semester | Waivers and Scholarships |
| Spring | 2/4/2025 | Last day to use financial aid textbook voucher for Spring semester | Books |
| Spring | 2/5/2025 | 11th day class rosters (census) due at 12:00 pm for Spring and S1 mini-mester (Instructors) | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | TBD | Transfer Fair | Event |
| March | | | |
| Spring | 3/7/2025 | Last day to apply for May graduation | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 3/11/2025 | Final Exams – S1 mini-mester | Exams |
| Spring | 3/12/2025 | S1 mini-mester Grades due at 12:00 p.m. | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 3/12/2025 | Classes begin – First day of S2 mini-mester (Second 8 weeks) | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 3/13/2025 | Spring Fling | Event |
| Summer | 3/17/2025 | Summer Registration Begins | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | 3/18/2025 | Fall Registration Begins | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 3/20/2025 | Census date for S2 mini-mester - Students must have attended and participated in their courses by this date, or they will be dropped from the course. | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | 3/21/2025 | Faculty/ Advisor Work Day | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Spring | 3/24-28/2025 | Spring Break - No Classes | Other |
| Spring | 3/28/2025 | Spring Break - College Closed | Holiday |

| April | | | | |
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| Summer | | 4/7/2025 | Summer textbooks available for purchase without financial aid vouchers | Books |
| Fall | | 4/7/2025 | Fall textbooks available for purchase without financial aid vouchers | Books |
| Spring | | 4/10/2025 | PTK Induction Ceremony (6:00 PM) | Event |
| Spring | | 4/23/2025 | Last Day to Withdraw from Spring classes | Important Semester Date |

| May | | | | |
|------------|------------------|--------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| Spring | | 5/1/2025 | Last day of Spring classes | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | | 5/1/2025 | Direct deposit enrollment for Summer semester opens | Payments |
| Summer | | 5/1/2025 | Payment plans for Summer semester open | Payments |
| Spring | | 5/5-8/2025 | Final Exams – Spring Semester | Exams |
| | | 5/8/2025 | Final Exams – S2 mini-mester | Exams |
| Spring | | 5/9/2025 | Spring Semester ends – Grades due electronically at 12:00 p.m. | Important Semester Date |
| Spring | | 5/12-15/2025 | Assessment Day (Faculty) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Spring | | 5/15/2025 | Commencement Ceremony (Thursday) | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 5/15/2025 | Payment due date for Long Summer and Summer 1 | Payments |
| Summer | | 5/19/2025 | Summer texbooks available for purchase using financial aid vouchers | Books |
| Summer | | 5/26/2025 | Memorial Day – Campus Closed | Holiday |
| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 5/27/2025 | Classes begin - First day of Long Summer and Summer 1 | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 5/28/2025 | Last day of late registration without instructor permission for Long Summer and Summer 1 | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 5/29/2025 | Payment due date for Long Summer and Summer 1 | Payments |
| Summer | | 5/31/2025 | Deadline to enroll in direct deposit for Summer | Payments |

| June | | | | |
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| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 6/4/2025 | Last day to change to audit status for Long Summer and Summer 1 | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 6/4/2025 | 11th day class rosters (census date) for Long Summer and Summer 1 - Students must have attended and participated in their courses by this date, or they will be dropped from the course. | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | | 6/4/2025 | All out of state tuition waivers, out of state scholarships, over 60 waivers, and faculty/staff dependent waivers due for Summer | Waivers and Scholarships |
| Summer | | 6/4/2025 | Last day to use financial aid textbook voucher for Summer semester | Books |
| Summer | Long/ Summer1 | 6/5/2025 | 11th day class rosters due at 12:00 pm | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | | 6/7/2025 | Deadline to enroll in payment plan for Summer semester | Payments |
| Summer | | 6/11/2025 | New Student Orientation | Event |
| Summer | Summer 2 | 6/24/2025 | Payment due date for Summer 2 | Payments |
| Summer | | 6/25/2025 | New Student Orientation | Event |
| Summer | Summer 1 | 6/25/2024 | Last day to withdraw from a class with a grade of "W" | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Summer 1 | 6/26/2025 | Final exams – Summer 1 ends | Exams |
| Summer | Summer 1 | 6/27/2025 | Grades due electronically at 12:00pm | Important Semester Date |

| July | | | | |
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| Summer | Summer 2 | 7/1/2025 | Classes begin – First day of Summer 2 | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 7/1/2025 | Direct deposit enrollment opens for Fall Semester | Payments |
| Fall | | 7/1/2025 | Payment plans open for Fall Semester | Payments |
| Summer | Summer 2 | 7/2/2025 | Last day of late registration without instructor permission for Summer 2 | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | | 7/3/2025 | Last day to apply for August graduation | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | | 7/4/2025 | Independence Day – College Closed | Holiday |
| Summer | | 7/5/2025 | Independence Day (Friday) – College Closed | Holiday |
| Summer | Summer 2 | 7/9/2025 | Last day to change to audit status for Summer 2 | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Summer 2 | 7/9/2025 | 11th day class rosters (census date) for Summer 2 - Students must have attended and participated in their courses by this date, or they will be dropped from the course. | Important Semester Date |
| Fall | | 7/9/2025 | New Student Orientation | Event |
| Summer | Summer 2 | 7/10/2025 | 11th day class rosters due at 12:00pm for Summer 2 | Important Semester Date |

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| Fall | | 7/23/2025 | New Student Orientation | Event |
| Summer | Long/ Summer 2 | 7/30/2025 | Last day to withdraw from Long Summer and Summer 2 classes | Important Semester Date |
| Summer | Long/ Summer 2 | 7/31/2025 | Final exams – Long Summer and Summer 2 ends | Exams |
| Summer | Long/ Summer 2 | 7/31/2025 | Grades due electronically at 5:00 pm for Long Summer and Summer 2 | Important Semester Date |

August

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| Fall | | 8/13/2025 | Convocation 2025-2026 (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | | 8/14/2025 | Faculty Inservice/ Prep Day (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | | 8/15/2025 | Faculty Inservice/ Prep Day (Faculty & Staff Training) | Non Instructional Faculty Work Days |
| Fall | | 8/18/2025 | Classes Begin - First Day of Fall semester and F1 mini-mester | Important Semester Date |