Bennett College Academic Calendar 2026-2027

Fall 2026

Event	Date
New Students Move-In	August 7-9, 2026 (Fri-Sun)
New Student Week	August 10-14, 2026 (Mon-Fri)
Returning Students Move-In	August 14-16, 2026 (Fri-Sun)
16-Week and 8-Week Session 1 Begin	August 17, 2026 (Monday)
Last Day to ADD/DROP 8-Week Session 1	August 21, 2026 (Friday)
Last Day to ADD/DROP 16 Week	August 21, 2026 (Friday)
Labor Day - No Classes	September 7, 2026 (Monday)
8-Week Session 1 Midterm Exams	September 16-18, 2026 (Wed-Fri)
Resolution of Spring and Summer 2026 Incomplete (I) Grades Deadline	September 18 (Friday)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP) from 8-Week Session 1	October 2, 2026 (Friday)
16-Week Midterm Exams	October 5-9, 2026 (Mon-Fri)
8-Week Session 1 Final Exams	October 7-9, 2026 (Wed-Fri)
8-Week Session 1 Ends	October 9, 2026 (Friday)
Fall Break (No Classes)	October 12-13, 2026 (Monday-Tuesday)
8-Week Session 2 Begins	October 14, 2026 (Wednesday)
Last Day to ADD/DROP 8-Week Session 2	October 20, 2026 (Tuesday)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP) from 16-Week Classes	October 23, 2026 (Friday)
Honors Convocation	November 6, 2026 (Friday)
8-Week Session 2 Midterm Exams	November 11-13, 2026 (Wed-Fri)
Students Leave Campus	November 21-22, 2026 (Sat-Sun)
Thanksgiving Break - No Classes	November 23-29, 2026 (Mon-Sun)
Classes Resume **(VIRTUAL)**	November 30, 2026 (Monday)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP) from 8-Week Session 2	November 30, 2026 (Monday)
16-Week Final Exams	December 7-11, 2026 (Mon-Fri)
8-Week Session 2 Final Exams	December 9-11, 2026 (Wed-Fri)
All Classes End	**December 11, 2026 (Friday)**

Spring 2027

Event	Date
Move-In for Residential Students	January 8-10, 2027 (Fri-Sun)
New Student Orientation	January 8-9 (Fri-Sat)
16-Week and 8-Week Session 1 Begin	January 11, 2027 (Monday)
Last Day to ADD/DROP 8-Week Session 1	January 15, 2027 (Friday)
Last Day to ADD/DROP 16 Week	Last Day to ADD/DROP 16 Week
MLK Holiday - No Classes	January 18, 2027 (Monday)
8-Week Session 1 Midterm Exams	February 10-12, 2027 (Wed-Fri)
Resolution of Fall 2026 Incomplete (I) Grades Deadline	February 12, 2027 (Friday)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP) from 8-Week Session 1	February 26, 2027 (Friday)
16-Week Midterm Exams	March 1-5, 2027 (Mon-Fri)
8-Week Session 1 Final Exams	March 3-5, 2027 (Wednesday-Fri)
8-Week Session 1 Ends	**March 5, 2027 (Friday)**
Spring Break - No Classes	March 8-12, 2027 (Mon-Fri)
8-Week Session 2 Begins	**March 15, 2027 (Monday)**
Last Day to ADD/DROP 8-Week Session 2	March 19, 2027 (Friday)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP) from 16-Week Classes	March 23, 2027 (Tuesday)
College Holiday (Good Friday) - No Classes	March 26, 2027 (Friday)
8-Week Session 2 Midterm Exams	April 7-9, 2027 (Wed-Fri)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP) from 8-Week Session 2	April 19, 2027 (Monday)
16-Week Final Exams	May 3-5, 2027 (Mon-Wed)
8-Week Session 2 Final Exams	May 3-5, 2027 (Mon-Wed)
All Classes End	May 5, 2027 (Wednesday)
Commencement	May 15, 2027 (Saturday)

Summer 2027

Event	Date
Summer Session Begins	**June 7, 2027 (Monday)**
Last Day to ADD/DROP	June 11, 2027 (Friday)
Midterm Exams	June 28-July 2, 2027 (Monday-Friday)
Independence Day Observed (No Classes)	July 3, 2027 (Friday)
Last Day to Withdraw (WP)	July 16, 2027 (Friday)
Final Exams	July 21-23, 2027 (Wednesday – Friday)
Summer Session Ends	**July 23, 2027 (Friday)**

*All course additions after the first course meeting in the 8 or 16-Week Sessions require the approval of the instructor via the Course Add/Drop form.