

Summer 2026 Academic Calendar

Summer Session comprises six independent academic sessions. Academic and financial dates vary by session; see [Important Dates & Deadlines](#) for details.

For the most up-to-date information about Summer Session 2026, visit the [Summer Session website](#).

Date	Title/Description
Nov. 5, 2025 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Schedule of Classes Available Start searching for classes now; the shopping cart will be available starting Feb. 18. Assigned enrollment dates occur between March 4 and 6. See Summer Session .
Feb. 15, 2026 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Intra-University Transfer (IUT) Application Opens See IUT Change/Add Deadlines .
Feb. 18 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Shopping Cart Available Students can start adding classes to their shopping cart . Assigned enrollment dates occur between March 4 and 6.
March 1 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Last Day for Undergraduate BAM Students to Submit a Master's Continuation Form (11:59 p.m.) BAM students planning to complete their bachelor's degree this summer are also encouraged to apply to graduate by this date. See Pursue BAM or Concurrent Degrees .
March 1 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Intra-University Transfer (IUT) Priority Consideration Deadline (11:59 p.m.) See IUT Change/Add Deadlines .
March 1 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Intra-University Transfer (IUT) College of Music Final Deadline See IUT Change/Add Deadlines .
March 2 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 First Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency The domicile qualifying date was May 3, 2025. Submit your petition between March 2 and May 1, 2026. See Tuition Classification for Current Students .
March 4 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Main Campus Registration Begins for Current Degree-Seeking Students (By Assignment) View your enrollment dates in Buff Portal , then search for classes . Assigned enrollment dates occur between March 4 and 6; registration remains open through the last day to add a class for that session. See How to Enroll .
March 4 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Continuing Education (CE) Registration Begins for Current Degree-Seeking Students (By Assignment) Assigned enrollment dates occur between March 4 and 6 and match your Main Campus enrollment date. CE registration remains open through the add deadline for that semester or session.
March 9 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Continuing Education (CE) Registration Begins for Current Students All current students may enroll in Continuing Education (CE) classes starting on this date, regardless of your assigned Main Campus enrollment dates. CE registration remains open through the add deadline for that semester or session.

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March 9 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Main Campus Registration Begins for New & Readmitted Students View your enrollment dates in Buff Portal , then search for classes . Registration remains open through the last day to add a class for that session. See How to Enroll .
March 9 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Main Campus Open Enrollment Begins for All Students (12:01 a.m.) Degree-seeking and nondegree students can add or drop Main Campus classes.
March 9 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Main Campus Registration Begins for Nondegree Employees (12:01 a.m.) Nondegree CU Boulder employees can register for classes at the start of open enrollment regardless of whether they are using the tuition assistance benefit. (Starting July 1, 2024, CU's TAB policy removed the requirement that employees needed to wait until seven days before classes start to register.)
April 1 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Submit a Graduation Application to Get Your Name in the 2025-26 Commencement Program (11:59 p.m.) See Graduation & Commencement .
April 20 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Payment Plans Available See Payment Plans .
May 1 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Continuing Education Auditor Application is Available See Auditors .
May 1 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency See Tuition Classification for Current Students .
May 4 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Enroll in the Three-Payment Plan (11:59 p.m.) See Payment Plans .
May 4 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Maymester Classes Begin
May 10 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Intra-University Transfer (IUT) Final Deadline (11:59 p.m.) See IUT Change/Add Deadlines .
May 14 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Tuition & Fee Bill Available Online If you registered for Maymester and/or summer classes by May 12, your bill is now available online. Payment is due on June 5. See Billing and Payments .
May 21 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Maymester Final Exams & Last Day of Classes
May 25 (Mon.)	Memorial Day Holiday (No Classes; University Closed)
May 26 (Tues.)	Summer 2026 Session A, C & D Classes Begin
June 1 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Courses Post to Transcripts Transcripts with courses posted are available for order after 5 p.m.
June 4 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Enroll in a Payment Plan (11:59 p.m.) See Payment Plans .
June 5 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.) Payment is due in full unless you are enrolled in a payment plan. See Billing and Payments .
June 11 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Tuition & Fee Bill Available Online If you registered for Maymester and/or summer classes May 13–June 9, your bill is now available online. Payment is due on July 5. See Billing and Payments .

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June 15 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Last Day for Graduate & MBA Students to Submit or Cancel a Graduation Application (11:59 p.m.) See Graduation & Commencement .
June 19 (Fri.)	Juneteenth Holiday (No Classes; University Closed)
June 26 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Session A Final Exams & Last Day of Classes
June 30 (Tues.)	Summer 2026 Session B Classes Begin
July 3 (Fri.)	Independence Day Holiday Observed (No Classes; University Closed)
July 5 (Sun.)	Summer 2026 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.) Payment is due for new or unpaid charges. See Billing and Payments .
July 9 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Tuition & Fee Bill Available Online If you registered for summer classes June 10–July 7, your bill is now available online. Payment is due on Aug. 5. See Billing and Payments .
July 10 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Last Day for Law Students to Submit or Cancel a Graduation Application (11:59 p.m.) See Graduation & Commencement .
July 17 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Session C Final Exams & Last Day of Classes
July 27 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Augmester Classes Begin
July 30 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Intra-University Transfer (IUT) Drop Deadline (noon) Students may submit an IUT Drop Application if they are pursuing degrees in at least two different colleges/programs/programs. See IUT Change/Add Deadlines .
July 31 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Session B & D Final Exams & Last Day of Classes
July 31 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Last Day for Undergraduates to Submit or Cancel a Graduation Application (11:59 p.m.) See Graduation & Commencement .
Aug. 5 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.) Payment is due for new or unpaid charges. See Billing and Payments .
Aug. 6 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Apply for COF or Submit a COF Lifetime Limit Extension Request (5 p.m.) See College Opportunity Fund (COF).
Aug. 13 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Tuition & Fee Bill Available Online If you registered for summer classes July 8–Aug. 11, your bill is now available online. Payment is due on Sept. 5. See Billing and Payments .
Aug. 13 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Augmester Final Exams & Last Day of Classes
Aug. 13 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Degree Conferral Date (No Campuswide Ceremony) See Summer Conferral .
Aug. 13 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Authorize COF (11:59 p.m.) See College Opportunity Fund (COF).
Aug. 17 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Deadline for Instructors to Post Grades (11:59 p.m.) All grades should have posted to transcripts by 5 p.m. on Aug. 20.

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Aug. 20 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Remaining Grades Post to Transcripts Each summer session's grades post to transcripts after the grading deadline for that session . Transcripts with all summer grades posted are available for order after 5 p.m.
Aug. 28 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Deadline to Update Diploma Name & Address (11:59 p.m.) See Graduation & Commencement .
Sept. 4 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Degrees Post to Transcripts Transcripts with degrees posted are available for order after 5 p.m.
Sept. 5 (Sat.)	Summer 2026 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.) Payment is due for new or unpaid charges. See Billing and Payments .
Sept. 10 (Thurs.)	Summer 2026 Tuition & Fee Bill Available Online If you registered for summer classes Aug. 12–Sept. 8, your bill is now available online. Payment is due on Oct. 5. See Billing and Payments .
Sept. 11 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Certificates Post to Transcripts Transcripts with certificates posted are available for order after 5 p.m.
Sept. 23 (Weds.)	Summer 2026 Complimentary CeDiplomas Available for Download Graduates will receive notification through their colorado.edu email account. See Graduation & Commencement .
Sept 23 (Weds.) – Nov. 20 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Diploma Delivery Window Delivery to summer graduates with U.S. addresses should be complete by Nov. 20; international delivery continues through Dec. 25, 2026. See Graduation & Commencement .
Sept. 29 (Tues.)	Summer 2026 Complimentary CeCertificates Available for Download Graduates will receive notification through their colorado.edu email account. See Graduation & Commencement .
Sept. 29 (Tues.) – Nov. 27 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Certificate Delivery Window Delivery to summer graduates with U.S. addresses should be complete by Nov. 27; international delivery continues through Jan. 1, 2027. See Graduation & Commencement .
Oct. 5 (Mon.)	Summer 2026 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.) Payment is due for new or unpaid charges. See Billing and Payments .
Dec. 11 (Fri.)	Summer 2026 Last Day to Appeal Tuition (5 p.m.) See Tuition Appeals .