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Spring 2023 Main Campus Academic Calendar

This calendar applies to full-semester CU Boulder Main Campus classes. For other classes, refer to the links on our academic calendar page. These dates are subject to change. All times are in Mountain Time.

Date	Title/Description
Oct. 1, 2022 (Sat.)	**Winter & Spring 2023 First Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency** The domicile qualifying date was Jan. 16, 2022. Submit your petition between Oct. 1 and Dec. 16, 2022. See Tuition Classification for Current Students.
Oct. 10 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Schedule of Classes Available** View your assigned Main Campus enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes.
Oct. 24 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 First Day to Reserve a Course** From Oct. 24 through 28, waitlisted students not enrolled in a course during the last term it was offered may be eligible to reserve that course for Spring 2023. See Reserve a Course.
Oct. 28 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Reserve a Course (5 p.m.)** See Reserve a Course.
Oct. 31 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Current Degree-Seeking Students (By Assignment)** View your assigned enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes. Assigned dates occur between Oct. 31 and Nov.18; registration remains open through open enrollment, which begins Jan. 10, 2023.
Oct. 31 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Continuing Education (CE) Registration Begins for Current Students (12:01 a.m.)** 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.
Nov. 9 (Wed.)	**Summer 2023 Schedule of Classes Available** Start searching for classes now. The shopping cart will be available starting in mid-February 2023; assigned enrollment dates occur in early March 2023. See Summer Session.
Nov. 28 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Incoming & Readmitted Students** View your enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes. Registration remains open through open enrollment, which begins Jan. 10, 2023.
Dec. 7 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Payment Plans Available** See Payment Plans.
Dec. 16 (Fri.)	**Winter & Spring 2023 Last Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency** The domicile qualifying date was Jan. 16, 2022. See Tuition Classification for Current Students.

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Dec. 26 (Mon.)–Jan. 1, 2023 (Sun.)	**Winter Break** *(No Classes; University Closed)* CU Boulder will resume campus operations and be open for business on Monday, Jan. 2.
Jan. 9 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Withdraw from the Semester with 100% Refund (11:59 p.m.)** From Oct. 31, 2022, through Jan.9, 2023, continuing students who drop all Main Campus classes are eligible for a full refund of their tuition, fees and confirmation deposit. See Withdraw from the Semester.
Jan. 10 (Tues.)	**Spring 2023 Main Campus Open Enrollment Begins for All Students (12:01 a.m.)** Degree-seeking and nondegree students can add or drop Main Campus classes.
Jan. 10 (Tues.)	**Spring 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Eligible Employees (12:01 a.m.)** Eligible CU Boulder employees using the tuition assistance benefit for themselves may register seven calendar days before the start of the semester or session.
Jan. 10 (Tues.)	**Spring 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for ACCESS Students (12:01 a.m.)** See ACCESS General Info.
Jan. 11 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Deadline to Set Up Direct Deposit** Students who are eligible for a financial aid refund and have set up direct deposit by Jan. 11, 2023, will receive their refund on or around Friday, Jan. 13. See Refunds.
Jan. 12 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Tuition & Fee Bill Available Online** Email notifications are sent to colorado.edu addresses and authorized payers. Payment is due Sunday, Feb. 5. See Billing and Payments.
Jan. 16 (Mon.)	**Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday** *(No Classes; University Closed)*
Jan. 17 (Tues.)	**Spring 2023 Classes Begin** View your class schedule in Buff Portal.
Jan. 17 (Tues.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Submit Private Scholarship Checks Without Late/Service Charges (5 p.m.)** Submit checks to the Office of Financial Aid. See Sending in Your Scholarship Money.
Jan. 25 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Add or Swap a Class (11:59 p.m.)** See Add a Class or Swap a Class.
Jan. 25 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Be Automatically Enrolled from a Waitlist (11:59 p.m.)** After this date, waitlisted students may be enrolled manually by the department offering the class. On Feb 6, waitlists are canceled and waitlisted students lose access to online course materials. See Waitlist for a Closed Class.
Jan. 26 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Registration Begins for Continuing Education Auditors Program** See Auditors.
Feb. 1 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Drop a Class Without Penalty (11:59 p.m.)** After this date, students who drop a Main Campus class but remain enrolled in the semester are required to pay 100 percent of tuition and fees (no refund), and a W grade is posted to their transcript. See Drop a Class.

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Feb. 1 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Withdraw from the Semester with 100% Refund; $200 Fee Applies (11:59 p.m.)** From Jan. 4 through Feb. 1, continuing students are required to pay a $200 withdrawal fee if they drop all Main Campus classes. Students who withdraw on or after the first day of classes may be required to refund or repay unearned financial aid. See Withdraw from the Semester and Return to Title IV Funds & Refund Policy.
Feb. 1 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Change Variable Credit Hours & No-Credit Status (11:59 p.m.)** See Credits & Grading in the university catalog.
Feb. 1 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 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 spring are also encouraged to apply to graduate by this date. See Pursue BAM or Concurrent Degrees.
Feb. 3 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day for Non-Enrolled Students to Register without a $100 Late Fee (11:59 p.m.)** See Register for Classes.
Feb. 4 (Sat.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Enroll in a Payment Plan (11:59 p.m.)** See Payment Plans.
Feb. 5 (Sun.)	**Spring 2023 Tuition & Fees Payment Due (11:59 p.m.)** Payment is due in full unless you are enrolled in a payment plan. See Billing and Payments.
Feb. 6 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Courses Post to Transcripts (5 p.m.)** Transcripts with courses posted are available for order.
Feb. 6 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Waitlists Are Canceled (11:59 p.m.)** Waitlists are canceled and students on the waitlist lose access to that class's online materials. See Waitlist for a Closed Class.
Feb. 13 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Submit Required Immunization Forms (5 p.m.)** Failure to comply results in a $25 fee and a registration hold. See Immunization Requirements.
Feb. 13 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Select or Waive Student Health Insurance (11:59 p.m.)** You must select to either enroll or waive the CU Gold SHIP by the open enrollment deadline. If you don't, you will be automatically enrolled in the CU Gold SHIP, billed and responsible for the premium. No refunds will be issued after the deadline. See Student Health Insurance.
Feb. 15 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Withdraw from the Semester with 40% Tuition Assessment & W Grades (11:59 p.m.)** From Feb. 2 through Feb. 15, students who drop all Main Campus classes are required to pay 40 percent of tuition and fees (60 percent refund), and refund or repay unearned financial aid. W grades are posted to transcripts. See Withdraw from the Semester and Return to Title IV Funds & Refund Policy.
Feb. 15 (Wed.)	**Summer 2023 Shopping Cart Available** Students can start adding classes to their shopping cart. Assigned enrollment dates occur between March 1 and 3.
Feb. 22 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Register with Selective Service Before Registration Hold Applied (11:59 p.m.)** See Register with Selective Service.

Date	Title/Description
March 1 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Withdraw from the Semester with 60% Tuition Assessment & W Grades (11:59 p.m.)** From Feb. 16 through Mar. 1, students who drop all Main Campus classes are required to pay 60 percent of tuition and fees (40 percent refund), and refund or repay unearned financial aid. W grades are posted to transcripts. See Withdraw from the Semester and Return to Title IV Funds & Refund Policy.
March 1 (Wed.)	**Summer 2023 First Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency** The domicile qualifying date was May 14, 2022. Submit your petition between March 1 and May 5. See Tuition Classification for Current Students.
March 1 (Wed.)	**Fall 2023 First Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency** The domicile qualifying date was Aug. 27, 2022. Submit your petition between March 1 and July 14. See Tuition Classification for Current Students.
March 1 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day for Graduate & MBA Students to Submit or Cancel a Graduation Application (11:59 p.m.)** See Graduation & Commencement.
March 1 (Wed.)	**Summer 2023 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 (Wed.)	**Summer 2023 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 1 and 3; registration remains open through the last day to add a class for that session. See How to Enroll.
March 1 (Wed.)	**Fall 2023 Schedule of Classes Available** View your assigned Main Campus enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes.
March 5 (Sun.)	**Spring 2023 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.)** Payment for new or unpaid charges is due. See Billing and Payments.
March 6 (Mon.)	**Summer 2023 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 13 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Withdraw from the Semester with Financial Aid Adjustment (11:59 p.m.)** From March 2 through March 13, students who drop all Main Campus classes are required to pay 100 percent of tuition and fees (no refund), and an adjustment to financial aid is required (possibly creating a bill). W grades are posted to transcripts. See Withdraw from the Semester and Return to Title IV Funds & Refund Policy.
March 20 (Mon.)	**Fall 2023 First Day to Reserve a Course** From March 20 through 24, waitlisted students not enrolled in a course during the last term it was offered may be eligible to reserve that course for Fall 2023. See Reserve a Course.
March 24 (Fri.)	**Fall 2023 Last Day to Reserve a Course (5 p.m.)** See Reserve a Course.

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March 24 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Drop a Class (11:59 p.m.)** After Feb. 1, students who drop a Main Campus class but remain enrolled in the semester are required to pay 100 percent of tuition and fees (no refund), and a W grade is posted to their transcript. See Drop a Class.
March 24 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Change Your Grade Mode to or from Pass/Fail (11:59 p.m.)** Change your grade mode for a student-option class from pass/fail to letter grade or vice versa through Buff Portal. See Edit Your Class Options.
March 24 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Change Your Final Exam Schedule** Last day to make arrangements with your instructor(s) if you have three or more final exams on the same day or two final exams scheduled to meet at the same time. See Final Exam Schedules.
March 27 (Mon.)–March 31 (Fri.)	**Spring Break (No Classes; University Closed Friday, March 25)** See CU Boulder Holiday Schedule.
April 1 (Sat.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Submit a Graduation Application to Get Your Name in the 2022–23 Commencement Program (11:59 p.m.)** See Graduation & Commencement.
April 1 (Sat.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day for Law Students to Submit or Cancel a Graduation Application (11:59 p.m.)** See Graduation & Commencement.
April 3 (Mon.)	**Fall 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Current Degree-Seeking Undergraduates *(By Assignment)*** View your assigned enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes.
April 3 (Mon.)	**Fall 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Current Degree-Seeking Graduate Students *(By Assignment)*** View your assigned enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes. Registration remains open through open enrollment, which begins Aug. 21.
April 3 (Mon.)	**Fall 2023 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.
April 5 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.)** Payment for new or unpaid charges is due. See Billing and Payments.
April 17 (Mon.)	**Summer 2023 Payment Plans Available** See Payment Plans.
April 24 (Mon.)	**Fall 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Readmitted Undergraduates** View your enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes.
April 24 (Mon.)	**Fall 2023 Main Campus Registration Begins for Incoming & Readmitted Graduate Students** View your enrollment dates in Buff Portal, then search for classes. Registration remains open through open enrollment, which begins Aug. 21.

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April 28 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day for Undergraduates to Submit or Cancel a Graduation Application (11:59 p.m.)** See Graduation & Commencement.
April 28 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Deadline for Doctoral Students to Update Diploma Name & Address (11:59 p.m.)** See Graduation & Commencement.
May 4 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day of Classes**
May 4 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Apply for COF or Submit a COF Lifetime Limit Extension Request (5 p.m.)** See College Opportunity Fund (COF).
May 4 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Apply for a Graduate Leave of Absence (5 p.m.)** See Leave of Absence.
May 4 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Withdraw from the Semester (11:59 p.m.)** After March 1, students who drop all Main Campus classes are required to pay 100 percent of tuition and fees (no refund), and W grades are posted to transcripts. After March 13, if attendance is confirmed, an adjustment to financial aid is not required. See Return to Title IV Funds & Refund Policy. After March 24, environment, law, music and MBA students require their dean's approval to withdraw. See Withdraw from the Semester.
May 5 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Reading Day** *(No Classes; No Exams)* No full-semester classes held; classes in 8-Week Session 2 are held this day. See Special Session Calendars.
May 5 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Payment Due (11:59 p.m.)** Payment for new or unpaid charges is due. See Billing and Payments.
May 5 (Fri.)	**Summer 2023 Last Day to Submit a Petition for Colorado Residency** The domicile qualifying date was May 14, 2022. See Tuition Classification for Current Students.
May 6 (Sat.)– May 10 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Final Exam Period** On Sunday, May 7, finals run from 1:30 to 10 p.m. See Buff Portal or Final Exam Schedules.
May 10 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Dispute Tuition (5 p.m.)** See Tuition Dispute.
May 10 (Wed.)	**Spring 2023 Last Day to Authorize COF (11:59 p.m.)** See College Opportunity Fund (COF).
May 11 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 University Commencement Ceremony (Folsom Field, 8:30 a.m.) & Degree Conferral Date** See Spring Ceremony.
May 12 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Doctoral Degrees Post to Transcripts (5 p.m.)** Transcripts with degrees posted are available for order.
May 15 (Mon.)	**Spring 2023 Deadline for Instructors to Post Grades (11:59 p.m.)** Final semester grades appear in Buff Portal as instructors submit them. Grades post to transcripts on Thursday, May 18.

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May 18 (Thurs.)	**Spring 2023 Grades Post to Transcripts (5 p.m.)** Transcripts with grades posted are [available for order](#). If you [retook a course for grade replacement](#), your transcript has been updated accordingly.
May 23 (Tues.)	**Spring 2023 Deadline for Undergraduate, Master's and Law Students to Update Diploma Name & Address (11:59 p.m.)** See [Graduation & Commencement](#).
May 29 (Mon.)	**Memorial Day Holiday (No Classes; University Closed)**
June 9 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Degrees Post to Transcripts (5 p.m.)** Transcripts with degrees posted are [available for order](#).
June 16 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Certificates Post to Transcripts (5 p.m.)** Transcripts with certificates posted are [available for order](#).
June 28 (Wed.)–Aug. 25 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Diploma Delivery Window** Delivery to spring graduates with U.S. addresses should be complete by Aug. 25; international delivery continues through Sept. 29. See [Graduation & Commencement](#).
July 6 (Thurs.) – Sept. 1 (Fri.)	**Spring 2023 Certificate Delivery Window** Delivery to spring graduates with U.S. addresses should be complete by Sept. 1; international delivery continues through Oct. 3. See [Graduation & Commencement](#).