ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2	2024-2025
2024 FALL SEMESTER BEGINS	AUGUST 16, 2024
Fall Faculty Retreat (Professional Development)	August 12, 2024
Student Orientation-Seminary: Policies/ Procedures/ Library/Financial Aid et	August 16, 2024
First day of Fall classes	August 26, 2024
Labor Day (Administrative office closed) -	September 5, 2024
Late Registration begins	September 6, 2024
Last day to Withdraw ("W") from classes or school	September 6, 2024
Strategic Planning Committee 5:00-5:30pm	September 9, 2024
Class Attendance Census - Due to Registrar	September 16, 2024
Oklahoma Annual Conference	September 12-14, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting Only 5:30-6:00 PM	September 23, 2024
Faculty & Staff Meeting 6:00 -7:00PM	September 23, 2024
West Arkansas Annual Conference	September 26-28, 2024
East Arkansas Annual Conference	October 10-12, 2024
Arkansas Annual Conference	October 24-26, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	October 28, 2024
Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM	October 28, 2024
Faculty & Staff Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM	October 28, 2024
Mid-Term Week	October 3-7, 2024
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	October 3 , 2024
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) due to Registrar	October 17, 2024
Faculty Staff (Professional Development)	October 20, 2024
TRACS Annual Conference	October 26-28, 2024
Early Registration Begins - Spring 2025	October 31, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	·
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Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM Faculty & Staff Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM	November 7, 2024 November 7, 2024
Veterans Day (Administrative office closed)	November 11, 2024
12 <sup>th</sup> District Fall Planning Convocation	November 14-15, 2024
Thanksgiving-No Class	November 28-December 1, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	December 5, 2024
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Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM  Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM  Faculty Council Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM  Fall Finals Week/Fall Semester Classes End	December 5, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM  Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM  Faculty Council Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM  Fall Finals Week/Fall Semester Classes End  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	December 5, 2024  December 5, 2024  December 4-8, 2024  December 4, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM  Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM  Faculty Council Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM  Fall Finals Week/Fall Semester Classes End  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Due to Registrar	December 5, 2024  December 5, 2024  December 4-8, 2024  December 4, 2024  December 19, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM  Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM  Faculty Council Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM  Fall Finals Week/Fall Semester Classes End  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Due to Registrar  Grades Finalized in Populi / Academic Letters Sent	December 5, 2024  December 5, 2024  December 4-8, 2024  December 4, 2024  December 19, 2024  December 21, 2024
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM  Strategic Planning Committee Meeting 5:30-6:00 PM  Faculty Council Meeting 6:00-7:00 PM  Fall Finals Week/Fall Semester Classes End  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors  Course Finals Grade Report (s) Due to Registrar	December 5, 2024  December 5, 2024  December 4-8, 2024  December 4, 2024  December 19, 2024

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2025 SPRING SEMESTER BEGINS	JANUARY 16, 2025
Spring Faculty/Staff Retreat (Professional Development)	January 5, 2025
Student Orientation 5:30 – 6:30 pm	January 9, 2025
MARTIN LUTHER King, Jr. Holiday – School Closed	January 16, 2025
Spring Classes Begin	January 17, 2025
Late Registration begins	January 18, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	January 23, 2025
Last day to Register/Add/Drop Classes	January 30, 2025
Class Attendance Census – Out to Instructors	January 30, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	January 30, 2025
Class Attendance Census Due to Registrar	February 6, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 6, 2025
Last day to Withdraw ("W") from classes or school	February 13, 2025
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	February 18, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 13, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 20, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 27, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 6, 2025
Reading Week (classes are still in session)	March 6-10, 2025
Mid-Term Week	March 13-18, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 13, 2025
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	March 20, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 20, 2025
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) due to Registrar	March 25, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 27, 2025
Professional Development (Spring Retreat)	March 31, 2025
Holy Week – (Administrative office closed)	April 2-8, 2025
Early Registration Begins – Fall 2025	April 3, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 10, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 17, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 24, 2025
Reading Week (Classes are still in session)	May 1-5, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	May 1, 2025
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Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	May 8, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	May 8, 2025
WMS 12 Episcopal District WMS Prayer Breakfast	May 13, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	May 15, 2025
Course Finals Grade Report (s) Due to Registrar	May 19, 2025
Grades Finalized in Populi/Academic Letters Sent	May 26, 2025
Shorter College Commencement Exercises	TBD
Early Registration Begins – Fall 2025	June 1, 2025
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2025FALL SEMESTER BEGINS	August 14, 2025
Fall Faculty/Staff Retreat (includes Professional Development)	August 3, 2025
Student Orientation-Seminary 6:00 PM-7:00 PM	August 14, 2025
First Day of Fall classes  Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	August 14, 2025 August 14, 2025
Late Registration begins	August 14, 2025  August 15, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	August 13, 2025  August 21, 2025
Oklahoma Annual Conference	TBD
East Arkansas Annual Conference	TBD
West Arkansas Annual Conference	TBD
Arkansas Annual Conference	TBD
12 <sup>th</sup> District Fall Planning Serve Convocation	TBD
Last day to Register/Add//Drop classes	August 28, 2025
Class Attendance Census - Distribute to Instructors	August 28, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	August 28, 2025
Class Attendance Census - Due to Registrar	September 4, 2025
Labor Day (Administrative office closed)	September 4, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	September 11, 2025
Last Day To Withdraw ("W") From Classes Or School	September 18, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	September 18, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	September 25, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	October 2, 2025
Reading Week (classes are still in session)	October 2-6, 2025
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	October 6, 2025
Mid-Term Week	October 9-13, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	October 9, 2025
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	October 13, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	October 16, 2025
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) due to Registrar	October 20, 2025
TRACS Annual Conference	October 25-27, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	October 23, 2025
Professional Development	October 28, 2025
Early Registration Begins – Spring 2026	November 1, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	November 6, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	November 13, 2025
Thanksgiving Holiday (No classes)	November 20-25, 2025
Reading Week (Classes are still in session)	November 27- December 1, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	November 27, 2025
Fall Finals Week/Semester Classes End	December 4-8, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	December 4, 2025
Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	December 8, 2025
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	December 11, 2025
Course Finals Grade Report (s) Due to Registrar	December 15, 2025
Grades Finalized in Populi/Academic Letters Sent	December 22, 2025
Holiday Break	December 22- January 1, 2026
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2026 SPRING SEMESTER BEGINS	<u>JANUARY 15, 2026</u>
Spring Faculty/Staff Retreat (Professional Development)	January 5, 2026
Student Orientation	January 8, 2026
First day of Spring classes	January 9, 2026
Martin Luther King Day (School closed)	January 15, 2026
Late Registration begins	January 16, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	January 22, 2026
Last day to Register/Add/Drop classes	January 26, 2026
Class Attendance Census - Distribute to Instructors	January 26, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	January 29, 2026
Class Attendance Census - Due to Registrar	February 2, 2026
Last day to Withdraw ("W") from classes or school	February 5, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 5, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 12, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 19, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	February 26, 2026
Reading Week (Classes are still in session)	March 4-8, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 4, 2026
Faculty Council Meeting 5:00-5:30 PM	March 8, 2026
Mid-Term Week	March 11-15, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 11, 2026
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	March 18, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	March 18, 2026
Course Mid-Term Grade Report (s) due to Registrar	March 22, 2026
Professional Development	March 22, 2026
Palm Sunday	March 24, 2026
Spring Break	March 18-22, 2026
Holy Week	March 25-29, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 1, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 8, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 15, 2026
Reading Week (Classes are still in session)	April 22-26, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 22, 2026
Spring Finals Week/Semester classes end	May 7-10, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	April 29, 2026
Course Finals Grade Report (s) Distributed to Instructors	May 6, 2026
Weekly Faculty and Staff and Strategic Planning Meeting 5:00-6:30 PM	May 6, 2026
Course Finals Grade Report (s) Due to Registrar	May 10, 2026
Grades Finalized in Populi /Academic Letters Sent	May 13, 2026
12 <sup>th</sup> District Scholarship Breakfast	TBD
Commencement Exercises	May 11, 2026
Memorial Day	May 27, 2026
Beginning of the Summer Term	May 28, 2026
Summer Reading Week (Campus Closed)	July 1–5, 2026
End of Sumer Term	July 12, 2026
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Early Registration Begins - Fall 2026	June 1, 2026
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