

SOUTHWESTERN ACADEMY 2026 - 2027 CALENDAR

Southwestern's 103rd School Year

AUGUST	13	New Student Orientation, Move-In 3-6 p.m.
	17	Registration & Welcome Day BBQ, Returning Student Move-In 3-6 p.m.
	18	First day of school
SEPTEMBER	7	Labor Day – no classes
	30	WrAP Test, day 1 - annual writing assessment
OCTOBER	1	WrAP Test, day 2 – annual writing assessment
	19	2nd Quarter begins
	21	PSAT
NOVEMBER	11	Veterans Day – no classes
	25	Thanksgiving Break – half day
	26-27	Thanksgiving Break – no classes
DECEMBER	3	Science Fair
	14-16	Semester 1 Examinations
	16	WINTER VACATION begins <u>after</u> exams end, 4:30 p.m.
JANUARY 2027	5	Boarding students return – by 8:00 p.m. (Tuesday)
	6	Second semester classes begin (Wednesday)
	18	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – no classes
FEBRUARY	15	Presidents' Day – no classes
MARCH	8	4th Quarter begins
	24	ArtsFest, 3-6 p.m. - hosted by Southwestern Arts Society
	26	SPRING VACATION begins <u>after</u> classes, 4:30 p.m.
APRIL	4	Boarding students return – by 8:00 p.m. (Sunday)
	5	Classes resume (Monday)
	7	Southwestern's 103rd Anniversary and Antics, 1-4:30 p.m.
	22	Earth Day – hosted by Southwestern Environmental Associates
	23	Annual Track, Field, and Carnival, 1-4:30 p.m.
MAY	29	Annual Southwestern International Club event, 3-6 p.m.
	3-14	AP Exams
	14	Prom – hosted by Southwestern Student Government
	17-20	Semester 2 Examinations
	21	GRADUATION DAY 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.
	31	Memorial Day
JUNE-AUG	TBD	Summer Sessions

VACATIONS:

WINTER

SPRING

December 17, 2026 - January 5, 2027

March 27 – April 4, 2027