

# Yale College Programs of Study 2025–2026

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## Yale College Calendar with Pertinent Deadlines

This calendar includes a partial summary of deadlines given in the Academic Regulations and in the Yale College online publication *Undergraduate Regulations*. Unless otherwise specified, references are to sections in the Academic Regulations, and deadlines fall at 5 p.m. (EST). The instructional week begins on Monday and ends on Sunday.

Dates are subject to change. Last updated 7/3/2025.

### FALL 2025

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| Aug. 17  | Su | Residences open to new students, 9:00 a.m.  |
| Aug. 20  | W  | Registration opens for first-year students and incoming Eli Whitney and transfer students, 12 p.m. - 3 p.m.                               |
| Aug. 22  | F  | Residences open to upper-level students, 9:00 a.m.  |
| Aug. 25  | M  | Add/drop period opens, 8:00 a.m.  |
| Aug. 26  | T  | Required check-in meetings for upper-level students (Class of 2028, 9:00 a.m.; Class of 2027, 9:45 a.m.; Class of 2026, 10:30 a.m.)       |
| Aug. 27  | W  | Fall classes begin.   |
| Aug. 29  | F  | Friday classes do not meet; Monday classes meet instead.  |
| Sept. 1  | M  | Labor Day; classes do not meet.   |
| Sept. 5  | F  | Add/drop period ends, 5:00 p.m.   |
| Sept. 10 | W  | Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a full rebate of fall-term tuition (Undergraduate Regulations). |
| Sept. 10 | W  | Final deadline to apply for fall-term Leave of Absence.   |
| Sept. 15 | M  | All students planning to complete degree requirements at the end of the fall term must file a petition by this date.                      |
| Sept. 15 | M  | Students in their final term of enrollment must petition to complete the requirements of two majors by this date.                         |
| Sept. 15 | M  | Students in their final term of enrollment planning to change their major, must by this date, declare as such in Yale Hub.                |
| Sept. 15 | M  | Students in their final term of enrollment planning to earn a certificate, must by this date, declare as such in Yale Hub.                |

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| Sept. 18 | Th | Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the first half of the fall term without the course appearing on the transcript.                       |
| Sept. 20 | S  | Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-half of fall-term tuition. See Undergraduate Regulations. |
| Oct. 1   | W  | Applications for spring 2026 Term Abroad close.   |
| Oct. 10  | F  | Last day of courses offered in the first half of the fall term.   |
| Oct. 10  | F  | Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the first half of the fall term.  |
| Oct. 10  | F  | Last day to convert from a letter grade to the Cr/D/F option in a course offered in the first half of the fall term.                                |
| Oct. 13  | M  | Courses offered in the second half of the fall term begin.  |
| Oct. 14  | T  | October recess begins after last academic obligation.   |
| Oct. 20  | M  | Classes resume.   |
| Oct. 24  | F  | Midterm.  |
| Oct. 24  | F  | Last day to withdraw from a fall full-term course without the course appearing on the transcript.   |
| Oct. 24  | F  | Deadline to apply for double credit in a single-credit course.  |
| Oct. 24  | F  | Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-quarter of the term's tuition.                            |
| Oct. 24  | F  | Final ABX exam grades are due.  |
| Nov. 6   | Th | Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the second half of the fall term without the course appearing on the transcript.                      |
| Nov. 14  | F  | Spring term registration opens for Graduate School students, 8:00 a.m.  |
| Nov. 17  | M  | Spring term registration opens for Class of 2026, 8:00 a.m.   |
| Nov. 18  | T  | Spring term registration opens for Class of 2027, 8:00 a.m.   |
| Nov. 19  | W  | Spring term registration opens for Class of 2028, 8:00 a.m.   |
| Nov. 20  | Th | Spring term registration opens for Class of 2029, 8:00 a.m.   |
| Nov. 21  | F  | November recess begins after last academic obligation.  |
| Nov. 30  | Su | Last day to relinquish on-campus housing for the spring term without charge (Undergraduate Regulations).  |
| Dec. 1   | M  | Classes resume.   |
| Dec. 5   | F  | Classes end; reading period begins.   |
| Dec. 5   | F  | Last day to convert from a letter grade to the Cr/D/F option for a full-term course and/or a course offered in the second half of the fall term.    |
| Dec. 5   | F  | Last day to withdraw from a full-term course and/or a course offered in the second half of the fall term.   |
| Dec. 10  | W  | Final examinations begin, 9:00 a.m.   |
| Dec. 15  | M  | Reading period ends, 9:00 a.m.  |

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| Dec. 15 | M  | Deadline for all course assignments, other than term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete (TI) authorized by the student's residential college dean, 9:00 a.m. |
| Dec. 17 | W  | Final examinations end; 5:30 p.m.; winter recess begins  |
| Dec. 17 | W  | Deadline for all term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete (TI) authorized by the student's residential college dean.  |
| Dec. 18 | Th | Residences close, 12 noon.   |
| Dec. 18 | Th | Spring term registration closes for all GSAS & YC students, 5:00 p.m.  |
| Dec. 22 | M  | Official degree conferral date for fall 2025. Degree clearance begins once final grades have been submitted.   |

## SPRING 2026

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| Jan. 5  | M  | Fall-term final grades due.  |
| Jan. 5  | M  | Add/drop period opens for all GSAS & YC students, 8:00 a.m.  |
| Jan. 7  | W  | Residences open, 9:00 a.m.   |
| Jan. 12 | M  | Spring-term classes begin.   |
| Jan. 15 | Th | Students in their final term of enrollment must petition for permission to complete the requirements of two majors by this date.                   |
| Jan. 15 | Th | Students in their final term of enrollment planning to change their major, must by this date, declare as such in Yale Hub.                         |
| Jan. 15 | Th | Students in their final term of enrollment planning to earn a certificate, must by this date, declare as such in Yale Hub.                         |
| Jan. 19 | M  | Martin Luther King Jr. Day; classes do not meet.   |
| Jan. 20 | T  | Applications close for Yale 2026 Summer Session Abroad.  |
| Jan. 21 | W  | Add/drop period closes for all GSAS & YC students, 5:00 p.m.   |
| Jan. 23 | F  | Friday classes do not meet; Monday classes meet instead.   |
| Jan. 26 | M  | Final deadline to apply for a spring-term Leave of Absence.  |
| Jan. 26 | M  | Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles the student to a full rebate of spring-term tuition (Undergraduate Regulations).      |
| Feb. 3  | T  | Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the first half of the spring term without the course appearing on the transcript.                    |
| Feb. 5  | Th | Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-half of spring-term tuition (Undergraduate Regulations). |
| Feb. 25 | W  | Last day of courses offered in the first half of the spring term.  |
| Feb. 25 | W  | Last day to withdraw from a course offered in the first half of the spring term.   |
| Feb. 25 | W  | Last day to convert from a letter grade to Cr/D/F option for a course offered in the first half of the spring term.                                |
| Feb. 26 | Th | Courses offered in the second half of the spring term begin.   |

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| Mar. 3  | T  | Applications close for 2026 Non-Yale Summer Abroad.  |
| Mar. 6  | F  | Midterm.   |
| Mar. 6  | F  | Spring recess begins after last academic obligation.   |
| Mar. 6  | F  | Last day to withdraw from a spring full-term course without the course appearing on the transcript.  |
| Mar. 6  | F  | Deadline to apply for double credit in a single-credit course.   |
| Mar. 6  | F  | Withdrawal from Yale College on or before this date entitles a student to a rebate of one-quarter of the term's tuition (Undergraduate Regulations).   |
| Mar. 6  | F  | Final ABX exam grades are due.   |
| Mar. 23 | M  | Classes resume.  |
| Apr. 1  | W  | Applications close for fall 2026 Term Abroad or 2026–2027 Year Abroad close.   |
| Apr. 2  | Th | Last day to withdraw from a spring second-half course without the course appearing on the transcript.  |
| Apr. 10 | F  | Fall term registration opens for Graduate School students, 8:00 a.m.   |
| Apr. 13 | M  | Fall term registration opens for Class of 2027, 8:00 a.m.  |
| Apr. 14 | T  | Fall term registration opens for Class of 2028, 8:00 a.m.  |
| Apr. 15 | W  | Fall term registration opens for Class of 2029, 8:00 a.m.  |
| Apr. 24 | F  | Classes end; reading period begins.  |
| Apr. 24 | F  | Last day to convert from a letter grade to Cr/D/F option for a full-term course and/or a course offered in the second half of the spring term.   |
| Apr. 24 | F  | Last day to withdraw from a full-term course and/or a course offered in the second half of the spring term.  |
| Apr. 29 | W  | Final examinations begin, 9:00 a.m.  |
| May 1   | F  | Applications for fall-term Leaves of Absence due.  |
| May 4   | M  | Reading period ends, 9:00 a.m.   |
| May 4   | M  | Deadline for all course assignments, other than term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete (TI) authorized by the student's residential college dean, 9:00 a.m. |
| May 6   | W  | Final examinations end, 5:30 p.m.  |
| May 6   | W  | Deadline for all term papers and term projects. This deadline can be extended only by a Temporary Incomplete (TI) authorized by the student's residential college dean.  |
| May 7   | Th | Residences close for non-seniors, 3 p.m.   |
| May 8   | F  | Final grades due for graduating seniors.   |
| May 13  | W  | Final grades due for continuing students.  |
| May 15  | F  | Registration closes for Yale College and Graduate School students.   |
| May 18  | M  | University Commencement.   |
| May 19  | T  | Residences close for seniors, 12 noon.   |

# SUMMER SESSION 2026

Courses offered during the summer are offered through Yale Summer Session. Further information is available from the Yale Summer Session office or on the [website](#).