Academic Calendar
2026-2027

2026 Fall Term

July 6	Waitlist Management Email for 26F	
August 31	Start date for Initial Apprentice Intakes	
September 4	Academic withdrawal date for full-time Online Learning programs - July Intake	
September 7	Labour Day (College closed)	
September 8	AC Day One (Ottawa Campus)	
September 8	Start Date, post-secondary programs (Perth and Pembroke Campuses)	
September 8	Start Date, most Continuing Education courses	
September 8	Start Date, most post secondary programs (AC Online Campus)	
September 8	End of 2026 Fall Term Student Timetable Change Period for post-secondary programs in the Faculty of Health, Public Safety & Community Studies as well as Perth and Pembroke campuses. For all other Schools the timetable change period ends September 8, 2026.	
September 9	Start Date, most post-secondary programs (Ottawa Campus)	
September 15	Fees due for full-time Online Learning programs - November Intake	
September 15	Last day to add courses for full-time Online Learning programs - September Intake	
September 21	Last day for official withdrawal from College for Fall 2026 with full tuition refund, less $500 tuition deposit.	
September 21	Last day to withdraw with refund from full-time Online Learning programs - September Intake	
September 21	2026 Fall - Coop Fee due date	
September 28	Application processing begins for 2027-2028 Academic Cycle. (2027F, 2028W, 2028S) and continues for 2027W and 2027S.	
September 28	Balance of fees due for AC Online September 2026 intake	Midnight
October 8	End date of most AC Online programs and courses - July intake	
October 9	2026F - Final Assessment Week timetables available on ACSIS and mobile app for students	
October 12	Thanksgiving Day (College closed)	
October 26	College Information Program	
October 26 - October 30	Mid-Term Break Week (most post-secondary programs, excluding AC Online)	
October 26 - November 15	2027 Winter Term General Education Elective selection available via ACSIS	
October 26 - December 6	2027 Winter ACSIS/Mobile feature "View Timetables" unavailable for day students only	
November 1	2027 Winter - Deposit due - new students. If this date falls on a holiday or weekend, the last date for fee payment without penalty will be the first working day following the holiday/weekend.	
November 2	Start date of most AC Online programs and courses - November intake	
November 2	Offers are released for 2027 Fall admissions to non-highly competitive programs (ongoing)	
November 7	Fall Open House	
November 9	Last day to add courses for full-time Online Learning programs - November Intake	

November 12	Academic withdrawal date for full-time Online Learning programs - September Intake	
November 13	Last day to withdraw from 2026 Fall courses without academic penalty in most post-secondary programs (actual date reflected, by course, on student timetables)	
November 13	Last day to withdraw with refund from full-time Online Learning programs - November Intake	
November 15	2027 Winter - Tuition Fees for Returning Students due - If this date falls on a holiday or weekend, the last date for fee payment without penalty will be the first working day following the holiday/weekend.	
November 16	Late Payment penalty applied to overdue 2027 Winter Tuition Fees (returning students only)	
November 18	Degree Discovery Event	
November 22	2026 Fall - AC Online November intake fees balance due date	
December 2 - December 23	2026 Fall ACSIS feature "View Grades" unavailable	
December 7	2027 Winter Student timetables available via ACSIS for most programs	
December 7	2027 Winter - ACSIS feature "View Timetables" available for professors	
December 7 - January 11	Start of 2027 Winter Student Timetable Change period for most programs; students may drop/add or change course sections online via ACSIS for courses approved for such action	
December 12	End of 2026 Fall Term for most post-secondary programs	
December 12 - December 19	Final Assessment Week for most post-secondary programs	
December 15	End Date, most AC Online programs and courses	
December 18	Last day of most Continuing Education courses	
December 23	Grades due to Registrar`s Office (`full-time on-campus` activities)*	12:00 Noon
December 24	2026 Fall ACSIS feature "View Grades" available	
December 24 - December 31	Holiday Break (College closed)	

2027 Winter Term

January 4	Start date for Initial Apprentice Intakes
January 4	End of 2027 Winter Term Student Timetable Change Period for most post-secondary programs with the exception of Schools of Business and Hospitality and Tourism which ends January 15, 2027.
January 5	Grades due for 2026 Fall Term semester intake - September start
January 6	Academic withdrawal date for full-time Online Learning programs - November Intake
January 11	Start Date, most post-secondary programs
January 11	Start Date, most Continuing Education courses
January 11	AC Day One (Ottawa Campus, AC Online) - Level 1 Students Only
January 12	Start Date, most post-secondary programs (AC Online Campus)
January 15	Fees due for full-time Online Learning programs - March Intake
January 19	Last day to add courses for full-time Online Learning programs - January Intake
January 22	Last day for official withdrawal from College for 2027 Winter with full tuition refund, less $500 tuition deposit for new students and full refund for returning students in a subsequent term.
January 25	Last day to withdraw with refund from full-time Online Learning programs - January Intake
January 26	2027 Winter - Coop Fee due date

February 1	Equal Consideration Date - 2027 Fall, 2028 Winter and 2028 Spring Term applications received by this date are considered equally; applications received after this date are processed on a first-come, first-served basis, as long as space is available	
February 8	End date of most AC Online programs and courses - November intake	
February 15	Family Day (College closed)	
February 18	Offers of Admissions for 2027 Fall, 2028 Winter, 2028 Spring applicants sent to applicants for highly-competitive programs.	
February 18 - March 28	2027 Spring Term General Education Elective selection available via ACSIS	
February 19	2027 Winter - Students can view their Final Assessments on ACSIS and Mobile App for the Winter Term	
March 1	2027 Spring - Deposit due date - new students.	
March 1	Start date of most AC Online programs and courses - March intake	
March 1 - March 5	Mid-Term Break Week (most post-secondary programs, excluding AC Online)	
March 8	Last day to add courses for full-time Online Learning programs - March Intake	
March 12	Last day to withdraw with refund from full-time Online Learning programs - March Intake	
March 18	Academic withdrawal date for full-time Online Learning programs - January Intake	
March 19	Last day to withdraw from 2027 Winter courses without academic penalty in most post-secondary programs (actual date reflected, by course, on student timetables)	
March 21	2027 Winter - AC Online March intake fees balance due date	
March 22	2027 Spring ACSIS/Mobile feature "View Timetables" unavailable for day students only	Midnight
March 26	Good Friday (College closed)	
March 27	Ottawa Campus Spring Open House	
March 31	Late Payment Penalty applied to overdue 2027 Spring Tuition Fees (returning students only)	
April 1	2027 Spring - Tuition Fees due for May intake for FT OL programs	
April 1	2027 Spring - Tuition Fees for Returning Students due - If this date falls on a holiday or weekend, the last date for fee payment without penalty will be the first working day following the holiday/weekend.	
April 5	2027 Spring - ACSIS feature "View Timetables" available for professors	
April 7 - April 28	2027 Winter ACSIS feature "View Grades" and "Academic Planner" unavailable	
April 9	Applied Research Day	
April 12	2027 Spring Student Timetables available via ACSIS and mobile apps for most programs	
April 12 - May 10	2027 Spring Student Timetable Change Period for most programs; students may drop/add or change course sections online via ACSIS for courses approved for such action	
April 16	Last day of most Continuing Education courses	
April 17 - April 24	Final Assessment Week (most post-secondary programs)	
April 20	End Date - most AC Online programs and courses	
April 24	End of 2027 Winter Term for most post-secondary programs	
April 28	Grades due to Registrar`s Office ("full-time on-campus" activities)*	12:00 Noon
April 28	Grades due for 2027 Winter Term for AC Online Learning activity	
April 29	2027 Winter ACSIS feature "View Grades" available	

2027 Summer Term

April 28 - April 29	Algonquin Connections
May 1	Date by which 2027 Fall applicants confirm their Offer of Admission to OCAS
May 3	Start date for Initial Apprentice Intakes
May 5	Academic withdrawal date for full-time Online Learning programs - March Intake
May 10	End of 2027 Spring Term Student Timetable Change Period for post-secondary programs in the Faculty of Health, Public Safety & Community Studies as well as Perth and Pembroke campuses. For all other Schools the timetable change period ends on May 17, 2027.
May 10	Start Date, most Continuing Education courses
May 10	Start Date, most post-secondary programs
May 10	AC Day One (Ottawa Campus, AC Online) - Level 1 Students Only
May 11	Start Date, most post-secondary programs (AC Online Campus)
May 14	Fees due for full-time Online Learning programs - July Intake
May 18	Last day to add courses for full-time Online Learning programs - May Intake
May 21	Last Day for official withdrawal from College for 2027 Spring with full tuition refund, less a $500 tuition deposit for new students and full refund for returning students in a subsequent term.
May 24	Victoria Day (College closed)
May 24	Last day to withdraw with refund from full-time Online Learning programs - May Intake
May 24	2027 Spring - Coop Fee due date
May 25	Load Admissions Max on GeneSIS for 2028S
May 28	Algonquin College in the Ottawa Valley Convocation Ceremony at 1:00 p.m.
June 1 - July 11	2027 Fall Term General Education Elective selection available via ACSIS
June 4	2027 Spring - Students can view their Final Assessments on ACSIS and Mobile App for the Spring Term
June 7	End date of most AC Online programs and courses - March intake
June 14 - June 17	Convocation Ceremonies (Ottawa Schools) - Spring 2027
June 15	2027 Fall - $500 tuition deposit due - all students, new or returning domestic students, and returning international students.
June 15	2027 Fall - Tuition Fees due for September intake for FT OL programs
June 28 - July 2	Mid-Term Break Week (most post-secondary programs, excluding AC Online)
June 28 - August 2	2027 Fall ACSIS/Mobile feature "View Timetables" unavailable for day students only
July 1	Canada Day (College closed)
July 2	2027 Fall Registration begins for AC Online.
July 2	Start date of most AC Online programs and courses - July intake
July 5 - September 13	2027 Fall on-going registration for new acceptances and late registrants
July 9	Last day to add courses for full-time Online Learning programs - July Intake
July 15	Last day to withdraw with refund from full-time Online Learning programs - July intake
July 15	Academic withdrawal date for full-time Online Learning programs - May Intake
July 16	Last day to withdraw from 2027 Spring courses without academic penalty for most post-secondary programs (actual date reflected, by course, on student timetables)

July 22	2027 Spring - AC Online July intake fees balance due date	
August 2	Civic Holiday (College closed)	
August 3	2027 Fall Student Timetables available via ACSIS for most programs	
August 3	2027 Fall - ACSIS feature "View Timetables" available for professors	
August 3 - September 6	2027 Fall Student Timetable Change Period for most programs; students may drop/add or change course sections online via ACSIS for courses approved for such action.	
August 4 - August 25	2027 Spring ACSIS feature "View Grades" and "Academic Planner" unavailable	
August 13	Last day of most Continuing Education courses	
August 14	End of 2027 Spring Term for most post-secondary programs	
August 14 - August 21	Final Assessment Week (most post-secondary programs)	
August 17	Grades due for Spring term semester intake - May start, for AC Online	
August 17	End Date, most AC Online programs and courses	
August 17	End of 2027 Spring term for most AC Online programs and courses - May intake	
August 25	Grades due to Registrar`s Office ("full-time on-campus" activities)*	12:00 Noon
August 26	2027 Spring ACSIS feature "View Grades" available	
September 7	Start of 2027 Fall Student Timetable changes requiring departmental approval	