

FALL 2026 Academic Calendar

AUGUST

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
2	3	4	5	6	7	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

SEPTEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

OCTOBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

NOVEMBER

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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

DECEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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27	28	29	30	31		

JANUARY 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

Holidays
 No Classes
 Final Exam Day
 Add or Drop Deadline

SHORT-TERM/OPEN ENTRY CLASSES

Regularly scheduled classes meeting less than the full length of the term, or self-paced classes in which students may enroll at various times throughout the semester. Short-term start/end dates can be viewed by clicking on the meeting information link in the section. Look for specific add and drop dates of a course on the College of the Desert homepage-titled Course Deadlines.

Printing your Class Schedule: Your Class Schedule can be viewed in Self-Service in the Student Planning tile. This will include your Academic Program. You may print according to your device - there is no print button. To pay or make payments in Self-Service, click on the Finance tile, then Student Finance for the various options available.

Notice of Disclaimer

Every reasonable effort has been made to determine that everything stated in this schedule of classes is accurate. Because this publication must be prepared well in advance of the period of time it covers, changes in some programs inevitably will occur.

Courses and programs offered, together with other matters contained herein, are subject to change without notice by the administration of the Desert Community College District of College of the Desert, and in addition, some courses or programs that are offered may have been canceled because of insufficient enrollment or because of elimination or reduction in programs or because of any other reason considered sufficient by the College Superintendent/President or designee.

Open enrollment policy: Unless specifically exempted by statute, every course, course section, or class which is to be reported for state apportionment, is open for enrollment, and participation by any person who has been admitted to the College and who meets the student success requirements.