

## Summer 2026 Session Dates and Deadlines

| Session     | Session Name              | Session Start Date                | Add/Drop Deadline      | Refund Deadline        | Withdrawal Deadline    | Session End Date               |
|-------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Session 114 | 14-Week Session           | 5/11/2026                         | 5/21/2026              | 5/21/2026              | 7/21/2026              | 8/15/2026                      |
| Session ON1 | 1st 7-Week Session        | 5/11/2026                         | 5/16/2026              | 5/16/2026              | 6/14/2026              | 6/27/2026                      |
| Session 15  | 1st 5-Week Session        | 5/18/2026                         | 5/21/2026              | 5/21/2026              | 6/12/2026              | 6/20/2026                      |
| Session 16  | 1st 6-Week Session        | 5/18/2026                         | 5/22/2026              | 5/22/2026              | 6/17/2026              | 6/27/2026                      |
| Session 25  | 2nd 5-Week Session        | 6/29/2026                         | 7/2/2026               | 7/2/2026               | 7/24/2026              | 8/1/2026                       |
| Session 26  | 2nd 6-Week Session        | 6/29/2026                         | 7/3/2026               | 7/3/2026               | 7/29/2026              | 8/8/2026                       |
| Session ON2 | 2nd 7-Week Session        | 6/29/2026                         | 7/4/2026               | 7/4/2026               | 8/2/2026               | 8/15/2026                      |
| Session DD  | Dynamically Dated Session | varies but not prior to 5/11/2026 | 11.3% mark in session† | 11.3% mark in session† | 74.3% mark in session† | varies but not after 8/15/2026 |

†Add/drop and withdrawal deadline will populate in Cardinal Students once class is scheduled.

### How to Determine Proper Session

Internships, Independent Study, Directed Research, Thesis/Dissertation Research, and Comprehensive Exam courses should be scheduled in Session 114.

For other classes, use the table below to determine the appropriate session. First, find the date range in the blue row in which the class start date falls. Next, find the date range in the orange column in which the class end date falls. The field where the two ranges intersect in the table will display the session in which the class should be scheduled.

Departments are encouraged to schedule classes in the yellow sessions rather than in Dynamically Dated sections whenever possible. Student enrollment in overlapping sessions is limited, so avoiding DD sessions (which overlap with the yellow sessions) enables increased enrollment.

| Class Start Date Between → | May 11 - May 16 | May 18 - May 23 | May 25 - June 27 | June 29 - July 4 | July 6 - August 15 |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Class End Date Between ↓   |                 |                 |                  |                  |                    |
| May 11 - June 13           | Session DD      | Session DD      | Session DD       | Session DD       | Session DD         |
| June 15 - June 20          | Session DD      | Session 15      | Session DD       | Session DD       | Session DD         |
| June 22 - June 27          | Session ON1     | Session 16      | Session DD       | Session DD       | Session DD         |
| June 29 - July 25          | Session DD      | Session DD      | Session DD       | Session DD       | Session DD         |
| July 27 - August 1         | Session DD      | Session DD      | Session DD       | Session 25       | Session DD         |
| August 3 - August 8        | Session DD      | Session DD      | Session DD       | Session 26       | Session DD         |
| August 10 - August 15      | Session 114     | Session DD      | Session DD       | Session ON2      | Session DD         |

\*Classes may not be held on Sundays or on university holidays. Summer Session holidays are Memorial Day, Juneteenth, Independence Day, and the Feast of the Assumption.