

Marquette University Law School
Academic Calendar
Academic Year 2026–2027

August		
Thursday and Friday	20–21	New Student Orientation
Monday	24	Fall semester classes begin

September		
Tuesday	1	Last day to drop a class without a grade of "W"
Monday	7	Labor Day; no classes

October		
Friday	9	Last day to drop a class with a grade of "W"
Monday	12	1L midterm period begins
Friday	23	1L midterm period ends

November		
Wednesday–Friday	25–27	Thanksgiving Holiday; no classes

December		
Thursday	3	Last day of classes
Friday	4	Study day
Monday	7	Final exams begin
Friday	18	Final exams end

January		
Monday	18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; no classes
Tuesday	19	Spring semester classes begin
Wednesday	27	Last day to drop a class without a grade of "W"

February		
Friday	22	1L midterm period begins

March		
Friday	5	1L midterm period ends
Friday	5	Last day to drop a class with a grade of "W"
Monday–Friday	8–12	Spring Break; no classes
Friday	26	Good Friday; no classes

April		
Thursday	29	Last day of classes
Friday	30	Study day

May		
Monday	3	Final exams begin
Friday	14	Final exams end
Sunday	23	Law School Commencement and Hooding Ceremony