



DAKOTA COLLEGE AT BOTTINEAU

ACADEMIC CALENDAR FALL 2025 – SPRING 2026

FALL 2025

August 22	Residence halls open for freshmen
August 23	Residence halls open for returning students
August 23-24	First Year Experience
August 25	Classes begin at 4:00 PM
August 26	First full day of classes
August 28	Last day to add/drop/withdraw without record – 100% refund (8wk1)
September 1	Labor Day observed; campus closed
September 3	Last day to add/drop/withdraw without record – 100% refund (16wk)
September 10	Tuition/fee payment deadline
September 11	Last day to withdraw from school with 75% refund (8wk1)
September 22	Enrollment census date
September 25	Last day to withdraw from school with 50% refund (8wk1)
October 3	Last day to withdraw from school with 75% refund (16wk)
October 3	Last day to withdraw/drop with record (8wk1)
October 13	Professional Development Day
October 16-17	Final exams (8wk1)
October 20	Midterm grades due
October 20	Classes begin (8wk2)
October 20	Grades must be entered by 12:00 PM (noon) (8wk1)
October 20-24	Pre-registration for Spring 2026
October 23	Last day to add/drop/withdraw without record – 100% refund (8wk2)
November 2	Last day to withdraw from school with 50% refund (16wk)
November 3	Incompletes change to “F” (8wk1)
November 6	Last day to withdraw from school with 75% refund (8wk2)
November 11	Veteran’s Day; campus closed
November 14	Last day to withdraw/drop with record (16wk)
November 14	Fall graduation applications due
November 20	Last day to withdraw from school with 50% refund (8wk2)
November 24	Last day to withdraw/drop with record (8wk2)
November 26-28	Thanksgiving; no classes - campus closed November 27
December 11-12	Final exams (8wk2)
December 15-19	Finals exams (16wk)
December 22	Grades must be entered by 12:00 PM (noon) (8wk2, 16wk)
Dec 22-Jan 11	Winter break; campus closed Dec 24 (noon) & Dec 25 & Jan 1
December 29	Incompletes change to “F” (8wk2)
January 19	Incompletes change to “F” (16wk)

SPRING 2026

January 11	Residence halls reopen
January 12	Classes begin at 4:00 PM
January 13	First full day of classes
January 15	Last day to add/drop/withdraw without record – 100% refund (8wk1)
January 19	Martin Luther King Jr. Day; campus closed
January 22	Last day to add/drop/withdraw without record – 100% refund (16wk)
January 28	Tuition/fee payment deadline
January 29	Last day to withdraw from school with 75% refund (8wk1)
February 9	Enrollment census date
February 12	Last day to withdraw from school with 50% refund (8wk1)
February 16	President’s Day; campus closed
February 17	Professional Development Day
February 19	Last day to withdraw/drop with record (8wk1)
February 23	Last day to withdraw from school with 75% refund (16wk)
March 5-6	Final exams (8wk1)
March 9	Midterm grades due
March 9	Grades must be entered by 12:00 PM (noon) (8wk1)
March 9-13	Spring Break
March 16	Classes begin (8wk2)
March 16-20	Pre-registration for Summer/Fall 2026
March 19	Last day to add/drop/withdraw without record – 100% refund (8wk2)
March 23	Incompletes change to “F” (8wk1)
March 26	Last day to withdraw from school with 50% refund (16wk)
April 2	Last day to withdraw from school with 75% refund (8wk2)
April 3	Spring graduation applications due
April 3-6	Holiday – no classes, campus closed April 3
April 10	Last day to withdraw/drop with record (16wk)
April 16	Last day to withdraw from school with 50% refund (8wk2)
April 23	Last day to withdraw/drop with record (8wk2)
May 7-8	Final Exams (8wk2)
May 11-15	Finals Week (16wk)
May 15	Commencement at 3:00 PM (Thatcher Hall Gym)
May 18	Grades must be entered by 12:00 PM (noon) (8wk2, 16wk)
May 26	Incompletes change to “F” (8wk2)
June 15	Incompletes change to “F” (16wk)