

Stanford Law School

2023-24 Academic Calendar

AUTUMN QUARTER

August

28 (Mon) Move-in for 1Ls
29 (Tue) Orientation begins

September

4 (Mon) Labor Day Holiday
5 (Tue) 1L/LLM classes begin
11 (Mon) S-Term begins
15 (Fri) Admin Monday for 1L classes*
25 (Mon) 2L/3L/Adv Classes begin, but no classes meet in observance of Yom Kippur

October

13 (Fri) Admin Day for Sept 25 a.m. classes*
20 (Fri) Admin Day for Sept 25 p.m. classes*

November

3 (Fri) Admin Day for Nov 7 a.m. classes*
7 (Tue) Day of Civic Service – no classes
10 (Fri) Admin Day for Nov 7 p.m. classes*
20 (Mon) Thanksgiving Recess begins
24 (Fri) Thanksgiving Recess ends

December

1 (Fri) Last Day of Classes
2 (Sat) Reading period begins
7 (Thu) Reading period ends
8 (Fri) Exams begin
15 (Fri) Exams end

WINTER QUARTER

January

8 (Mon) First day of classes
15 (Mon) MLK, Jr Holiday

February

19 (Mon) Presidents' Day but Monday classes meet

March

11 (Mon) Last day of classes
12 (Tue) Reading period begins
14 (Thu) Reading period ends
15 (Fri) Exams begin
22 (Fri) Exams end
25 (Mon) Spring Recess begins
29 (Fri) Spring Recess ends

SPRING QUARTER

April

1 (Mon) First day of classes
19 (Fri) Admin Monday*

May

3 (Fri) Friday classes meet twice*
27 (Mon) Memorial Day Holiday
31 (Fri) Last day of classes

June

1 (Sat) Reading period begins
3 (Mon) Reading period ends
4 (Tue) Exams begin
8 (Sat) In-person exams end
9 (Sun) Take-home exams end
15 (Sat) Law School Diploma Ceremony
16 (Sun) Commencement

* Unusual Calendar Dates:

- Friday, September 15 - 1L Monday classes will meet. Friday 1L classes do not meet.
- Friday, October 13 - Classes regularly scheduled for the morning of Monday, Sept. 25 will meet beginning 2:15 p.m.
- Friday, October 20 - Classes regularly scheduled for the afternoon of Monday, Sept. 25 will meet beginning 2:15 p.m.
- Friday, November 3 - Classes regularly scheduled for the morning of Tuesday Nov 7 will meet beginning 2:15 p.m.
- Friday, November 10 - Classes regularly scheduled for the afternoon of Tuesday Nov 7 will meet beginning 2:15 p.m.
- Friday, April 19 is an Admin Monday to make up Memorial Day classes. Friday classes do not meet.
- Friday, May 3 - Classes regularly scheduled Friday morning will meet again in the afternoon beginning 1:30 p.m.