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### FALL 2025 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

#### AUGUST

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| 22 | Friday | New Student Orientation – 11:00 AM (Aquin Hall)                                                                                                   |
| 25 | Monday | Classes Begin & Library Opens<br>Academic Convocation – 4:15 PM (Aquin Hall)<br>Opening Mass of the Holy Spirit – 5:00 PM (DHS Chapel), Reception |

#### SEPTEMBER

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| 1   | Monday    | Labor Day (No Classes / PFIC Offices & Library Closed)      |
| 5   | Friday    | Last Day to Add or Drop Courses                             |
| 5–6 | Fri.–Sat. | Thomistic Circles Conference                                |
| 15  | Monday    | Council of the Faculty Meeting – 3:30 PM (St. Dominic Hall) |
| 17  | Wednesday | Constitution Day Observed                                   |

#### OCTOBER

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| 10    | Friday    | Midterm:<br>Last Day to Submit Work for Incompletes from the Previous Semester<br>Last Day to Withdraw from Classes with a 50% Refund<br>Last Day to Change Class Enrollment from Credit to Audit |
| 13    | Monday    | Columbus Day (No Classes / PFIC Offices & Library Closed)                                                                                                                                         |
| 17    | Friday    | Grades Due on Incompletes from the Previous Semester                                                                                                                                              |
| 17–18 | Fri.–Sat. | Conference: “Leo XIII & the Future of the Church”                                                                                                                                                 |
| 20    | Monday    | Council of the Faculty Meeting – 3:30 PM (St. Dominic Hall)                                                                                                                                       |
| 21    | Tuesday   | Administrative Monday (Monday Classes Held; No Tuesday Classes)                                                                                                                                   |
| 30    | Thursday  | Board of Overseers Meeting – 5:30 PM (Academic Center)                                                                                                                                            |

#### NOVEMBER

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| 3–14  | Mon.–Fri. | Registration for Spring 2026 Classes                             |
| 7     | Friday    | Last Day to Withdraw from Classes with a “W” Grade               |
| 17    | Monday    | Council of the Faculty Meeting – 3:30 PM (St. Dominic Hall)      |
| 26–28 | Wed.–Fri. | Thanksgiving Recess (No Classes / PFIC Offices & Library Closed) |

#### DECEMBER

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| 1     | Monday     | Course Evaluation Period Opens                                                                                        |
| 5     | Friday     | Last Day of Classes                                                                                                   |
| 8     | Monday     | Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception (No Classes / PFIC Offices & Library Closed)                                   |
| 9–12  | Tues.–Fri. | Final Exams Period                                                                                                    |
| 12    | Friday     | Semester Ends                                                                                                         |
| 13–16 | Sat.–Tues. | Special Exams Period                                                                                                  |
| 15    | Monday     | Semester Course Grades due on <i>Populi</i> by 3:00 PM<br>Council of the Faculty Meeting – 3:30 PM (St. Dominic Hall) |
| 19    | Friday     | PFIC Offices & Library Close at 12:00 PM for Christmas Break, reopening Jan. 5                                        |

