



## Howard College Academic Calendar for Website 2025-2026

### FALL 2025

August 4 (M)	Fall last day to pay
August 11 (M)	Fall first day to use aid at bookstore
August 12-15 (T-F)	DREAMS Week
August 18 (M)	Fall 1 and Fall 16-week classes begin
September 1 (M)	Labor Day Holiday – no classes/offices closed
September 3 (W)	Fall Last Day to Use Aid at Bookstore
September 16 (T)	First Fall aid lock date
September 23 (T)	Fall 1 Last day to drop a course
September 29 (M)	Fall 2 Last day to pay
September 29 (M)	Fall Remaining aid released
October 6-7 (M-T)	Fall 1 final exams
October 7 (T)	Fall 1 ends
October 9 (Th)	Fall 2 New Student Orientation
October 13 (M)	Fall 2 begins
October 27 (M)	Fall 2 Aid Lock Date
November 7 (F)	Fall 2 remaining aid released
November 17 (M)	Spring and Summer Registration begins
November 18 (T)	Fall 2 and Fall 16-week Last day to drop a course
November 24-28 (M-F)	Thanksgiving Break for students and faculty – no classes
November 26-28 (W-F)	Thanksgiving Break for staff and 12-month faculty – offices closed
December 8-9 (M-T)	Fall 2 and Fall 16-week final exams
December 9 (T)	Fall 2 and Fall 16-week ends
December 11 (Th)	San Angelo Fall Graduation

### FALL MINI

December 1 (M)	Fall Mini-Last day to pay
December 15 (M)	Fall Mini classes begin
December 22-Jan 2 (M-F)	Winter Break (offices closed)
January 6 (T)	Fall Mini-Last day to drop a course
January 7 (W)	Fall Mini ends

### SPRING 2026

December 8 (M)	Spring last day to pay
January 12 (M)	First day to use aid at bookstore
January 15 (Th)	Spring 1 New Student Orientation
January 19 (M)	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – no classes/office closed
January 20 (T)	Spring 1 and Spring 16-week classes begin
February 4 (W)	Spring last day to use aid at bookstore
February 17 (T)	First Spring aid lock date
February 24 (T)	Spring 1 Last day to drop a course
March 2 (M)	Spring Remaining Aid Released
March 9 (M)	Spring 2 Last day to pay



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March 9-10 (M-T)	Spring 1 final exams
March 10 (T)	Spring 1 ends
March 12 (Th)	Spring 2 New Student Orientation
March 16-20 (M-F)	Spring Break – no classes /offices closed
March 23 (M)	Spring 2 begins
April 3 (F)	Holiday – no classes/offices closed
April 6 (M)	Fall, Spring, and Summer schedules posted to website Spring 2 Aid lock date
April 17 (F)	Spring 2 - Remaining aid released
April 27 (M)	Spring Mini – Last day to pay
April 28 (T)	Fall Registration begins Spring 2 and Spring 16-week -Last day to drop a course
May 11-12 (M-T)	Spring 2 and Spring 16-week final exams
May 12 (T)	Spring 2 and Spring 16-week ends
May 15 (F)	Big Spring, Lamesa and SWCD graduation
May 19 (T)	San Angelo Graduation

**SPRING MINI**

May 13 (W)	Spring Mini classes begin
May 18 (M)	Summer last day to pay
May 25 (M)	Memorial Day-no classes/offices closed
May 26 (T)	Summer First day to use aid at the bookstore
June 1 (M)	Spring Mini-Last day to drop a course
June 2 (T)	Spring Mini ends/final exams

**SUMMER**

June 3 (W)	Summer 1 and Summer 9-week begins
June 15 (M)	Summer-Last day to use aid at bookstore
June 18 (Th)	1 <sup>st</sup> Summer aid lock date Summer 1 Last day to drop a course
June 22 (M)	Summer 2 last day to pay
June 25 (Th)	Summer 1 ends/final exams Summer remaining aid released
June 29- July 3 (M-F)	Summer Break – no classes/offices closed
July 8 (W)	Summer 2 begins
July 20 (M)	Summer 2 Aid lock date
July 23 (Th)	Summer 2-last day to drop a course
July 28 (T)	Summer 9-week-last day to drop a course
July 30 (Th)	Summer 2 ends/final exams
July 31 (F)	Summer 2 remaining aid released
August 4 (T)	Summer 9-week ends/final exams