

Academic Calendar

2008-2009

SUMMER TERM 2008

May 26	Holiday – Memorial Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
May 27	First day of summer term.
May 28	First day of classes.
May 28-July 9	Session S1.
May 28-August 20	Session T1.
May 30	Last day to apply for August 2008 graduation with an advanced degree, Division of Graduate Affairs.
June 5	Session S1 schedule adjustment. (6:00 p.m. deadline.)
June 12	Session T1 schedule adjustment. (6:00 p.m. deadline.)
July 3	Final day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Affairs for thesis review to ensure graduation in August 2008.
July 4	Holiday – Independence Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
July 7-August 22	Theses may be submitted to the Division of Graduate Affairs on an at-risk basis. However, August 2008 graduation is contingent upon completion of final processing by noon, August 19. Students missing this deadline will be required to reapply for graduation for the term in which they expect to graduate.
July 10-August 20	Session S2.
July 18	Session S2 schedule adjustment. (6:00 p.m. deadline.)
July 22	Census.
July 30	Last day for submission of Incomplete and RP grade removals (excluding thesis) for summer graduation with an advanced degree.
August 13	Last day for reporting results on comprehensive examinations to the Division of Graduate Affairs by department or college.
August 19	Final day for depositing approved theses at Aztec Shops Montezuma Publishing. (Noon deadline.)
August 20	Last day of classes. (Final examinations are the last day of classes for each summer session.)
August 22	Last day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Affairs for the current term.
August 22	Grades due from instructors. (11:00 p.m. deadline.)
August 22	Last day of summer term.

FALL SEMESTER 2008

August 1	Applications for admission or readmission to San Diego State University for the spring semester 2009 accepted from domestic and international (foreign) students.*
August 25	First day of fall semester.
August 27	New Graduate Student Orientation.
August 27	Last day to officially withdraw for fall semester 2008 and receive a full refund.
August 28	Convocation.
September 1	Holiday – Labor Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
September 2	First day of classes.
September 2-22	Schedule adjustment and late registration.

September 22	Last day for payment of fees for late registration. (4:00 p.m. deadline.)
September 22	Last day to add classes, drop classes, or change grading basis. (6:00 p.m. deadline.)
September 22	Last day to officially withdraw from the university for fall semester 2008.
September 22	Last day to file petition for concurrent master's degree credit for fall semester 2008.
September 22	Last day to apply for December 2008 graduation with an advanced degree, Division of Graduate Affairs.
September 29	Census.
October 1	Applications for admission or readmission to San Diego State University for the fall semester 2009 accepted from domestic and international (foreign) students.*
November 3	Final day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Studies for thesis review to ensure graduation in December 2008.
Nov. 4-Dec. 31	Theses may be submitted to the Division of Graduate Affairs on an at-risk basis. However, December 2008 graduation is contingent upon completion of final processing by noon, December 19. Students missing this deadline will be required to reapply for graduation for the term in which they expect to graduate.
November 6	Last day to officially withdraw from all classes for fall 2008 and receive a prorated refund (withdrawal after September 22 requires special approval and a penalty fee is assessed).
November 11	Holiday – Veteran's Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
November 27-29	Holiday – Thanksgiving recess. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
December 1	Last day for submission of incomplete and RP grade removals (excluding thesis) for December 2008 graduation with an advanced degree.
December 12	Last day of classes before final examinations.
December 12	Last day for reporting results on comprehensive examinations to the Division of Graduate Affairs by department or college.
December 13-20	Final examinations.
December 19	Final day for depositing approved theses at Aztec Shops Montezuma Publishing. (Noon deadline.)
December 24-29	Holiday – Winter recess. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
December 31	Grades due from instructors. (11:00 p.m. deadline.)
December 31	Last day to apply for a leave of absence for fall semester 2008.
December 31	Last day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Affairs for the current term.
December 31	Last day of fall semester.
January 1	Holiday – New Year's Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.

* Graduate applicants should consult the departmental listings in the Graduate Bulletin for closing dates and program deadlines.

SPRING SEMESTER 2009

January 15	First day of spring semester.
January 19	Holiday – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
January 21	Last day to officially withdraw for spring semester 2009 and receive a full refund.
January 22	First day of classes.
Jan. 22-Feb. 11	Schedule adjustment and late registration.
February 11	Last day for payment of fees for late registration. (4:00 p.m. deadline.)
February 11	Last day to add classes, drop classes, or change grading basis. (6:00 p.m. deadline.)
February 11	Last day to officially withdraw from the university for spring semester 2009.
February 11	Last day to file petition for concurrent master's degree credit for spring semester 2009.
February 11	Last day to apply for May 2009 graduation with an advanced degree, Division of Graduate Affairs.
February 18	Census.
March 28	Last day of classes before spring recess.
March 30 - April 3	Spring recess.
March 31	Holiday – Cesar Chavez Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
April 4	Classes resume.
April 6	Last day to officially withdraw from all classes for spring 2009 and receive a prorated refund (withdrawal after February 11 requires special approval and a penalty fee is assessed).
April 6	Final day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Affairs for thesis review to ensure graduation in May 2009. Joint university deadlines apply when submitting approved doctoral dissertations to the Division of Graduate Affairs for May commencement.
April 7- May 6	Theses may be submitted to the Division of Graduate Affairs after this date on an at-risk basis. However, May 2009 graduation is contingent upon completion of final processing by noon, May 21. Students missing this deadline will be required to reapply for graduation for the term in which they expect to graduate.
May 1	Last day for submission of Incomplete and RP grade removals (excluding thesis) for May 2009 graduation with an advanced degree.
May 13	Last day of classes before final examinations.
May 14-21	Final examinations.

May 15	Last day for reporting results on comprehensive examinations to the Division of Graduate Affairs by department or college.
May 21	Final day for depositing approved theses at Aztec Shops Montezuma Publishing. (Noon deadline.)
May 21	Commencement, Imperial Valley Campus
May 22-24	Commencement days, main campus.
May 25	Holiday – Memorial Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
May 26	Grades due from instructors. (11:00 p.m. deadline.)
May 26	Last day to apply for a leave of absence for spring semester 2009.
May 26	Last day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Affairs for the current term.
May 26	Last day of spring semester.

SUMMER TERM 2009

NOTE:	Summer session dates to be determined. Refer to SDSU Summer Session <i>Class Schedule</i> .
May 29	Last day to apply for August 2009 graduation with an advanced degree, Division of Graduate Affairs.
July 2	Final day for submitting theses to the Division of Graduate Affairs for thesis review to ensure graduation in August 2009.
July 3	Holiday – Independence Day observed. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
July 4	Holiday – Independence Day. Faculty/staff holiday. Campus closed.
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July 31	Last day for submission of Incomplete and RP grade removals (excluding thesis) for summer graduation with an advanced degree.
August 14	Last day for reporting results on comprehensive examinations to the Division of Graduate Affairs by department or college.
August 19	Final day for depositing approved theses at Aztec Shops Montezuma Publishing. (Noon deadline.)
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(Please Note: This is not to be construed as an employee work calendar and is subject to change. Refer to SDSU Web site for any changes to this calendar.)