

Creighton University School of Dentistry Academic Calendar 2026-27

Fall Term: August 10, 2026 - December 15, 2026

Aug 10 (Mon): Fall term/1st quarter begins; Classes, lab and clinic D2/D3/D4;

D1 Orientation I

Aug 11 (Tues): D1 Labs/Classes begin

Aug 14 (Fri): Faculty & Staff Retreat (University Move-In Day) *D1 required Boot Camp; No Classes, labs or clinics D2-D4*

Aug 26 (Wed): D1 Orientation II

Sep 7 (Mon): Labor Day; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Sept 14-25 (Mon-Fri): D4 mock boards and remediation PRS/END/PER

Oct 2 (Fri): Creighton Days/ *Classes and clinic in session*

Oct 2 (Fri): 1st quarter ends

Oct 3-11 (Sat-Sun): Fall recess; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Oct 12 (Mon): 2nd quarter begins

Oct 24-25 (Sat-Sun): ADEX (PRS/END/PER)

Nov 25-29 (Wed-Sun): Thanksgiving recess; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Dec 2-11 (Wed-Fri): D4 mock boards and remediation (GDO)

Dec 15 (Tue): Clinic ends; 2nd quarter/Fall term ends D1/D2/D3/D4

Dec 16-Jan 3 (Wed-Sun): Winter recess D1/D2/D3/D4

Spring Term: January 4, 2027 - May 7, 2027

Jan 4 (Mon): Spring term/3rd quarter begins; Classes, labs and clinics resume for D1/D2/D3/D4; Last Mock Board remediation D4

Jan 23-24 (Sat-Sun): ADEX (GDO) and PEP Retakes

Jan 18 (Mon): Martin Luther King Jr. Day; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Feb 20-21 (Sat-Sun): ADEX Retake

Feb 26 (Fri): 3rd quarter ends

Mar 1 (Mon): 4th quarter begins

Mar 6-14 (Sat-Sun): Spring recess; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Mar 26 (Fri): Good Friday; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Mar TBD: CRDTS Exam

Apr 9 (Fri): Nebraska Dental Assoc. Annual Meeting

Apr 22 (Thurs): Spring Picnic; *Beginning at 5:00 pm*

May 5 (Wed): 4th quarter/ Spring term ends D1/D2/D3/D4

TBD: White Coat Ceremony

May 12 (Wed): Senior Award Ceremony PM; *No classes, labs or clinics*

May 13 (Thurs): School of Dentistry Hooding and Commencement; *No classes, labs or clinics*

May 14 (Fri): Graduate School Hooding and Commencement –SOD Masters in Oral Biology; *No classes, labs or clinics*

May 14 (Fri): Baccalaureate Mass (evening)

May 15 (Sat): May Degree Conferral Date

**Non-academic ceremonial events*

Summer Term: May 17, 2027-July 23, 2027

(Classes advance to the next level in the program. New D2 etc.)

May 6-16 (Thurs-Sun): Summer Recess I; *No classes, labs or clinics; Faculty Planning Days*

May 17 (Mon): Summer clinic schedule begins; Summer Term begins D2/D3/D4

May 17-19 (Mon-Wed): Clinic Orientation D3

May 31 (Mon): Memorial Day; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Jun 18 (Fri): Juneteenth (Observed); *No classes, labs or clinics*

July 2-5 (Friday-Mon): Summer Recess II; *No classes, labs or clinics*

Jul 5 (Mon): Independence Day (Observed); *No classes, labs or clinics*

July 23 (Fri): Summer Term ends D2/D3/D4

Jul 24-August 8 (Sat-Sun): Summer Recess III; *No classes, labs or clinics; Faculty Planning Days*

August 9 (Mon): Start of 2027 Academic Year

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