

**University at Buffalo School of Law  
2025-2026 Academic Calendar**

<b><u>Summer 2025</u></b>	<b><u>*ALL REGISTRATION DATES INCLUDED ON LAST PAGE*</u></b>
Monday, May 19	Classes begin
Monday, May 26	<b>No Classes – Memorial Day</b>
Monday, June 30	Last Day of Class
Thursday, June 19	<b>No Classes - Juneteenth</b>
Tuesday, July 1	Reading Day
Wednesday, July 2	Final Exams
<b><u>Fall 2025</u></b>	
Monday, August 18	First Year Orientation Begins- <b>Mandatory</b>
Tuesday, August 19	LAWR Classes Begin
Wednesday, August 27	All Upper Level and 1L Doctrinal Classes Begin
Monday, September 1	<b>No Classes- Labor Day</b>
Tuesday, September 23	Block 1 Ends
Wednesday, September 24	Block 2 Begins
Thursday, October 9 - Tuesday, October 14	<b>Study and Review Week – No Scheduled Classes*</b> * Students are required to be available during this week for academic and other obligations including meetings with 1L advisors, journals, clinics, practicums, and other out-of-class sessions with professors.
Monday, October 13	<b>Indigenous Peoples' Day</b>
Tuesday, October 28	Block 2 Ends
Wednesday, October 29	Block 3 begins
Tuesday, November 25	Last Day of Classes
Wednesday, November 26 – Friday, November 28	<b>Thanksgiving Break</b>
Saturday, November 29 – Sunday, November 30	Reading Days

Monday, December 1 - Friday, December 12	Final Exams
Saturday, December 13	Winter Recess Begins
Friday, January 10	Fall Grades Due
<b><u>BRIDGE 2026</u></b>	
Monday, January 5	Block 4 Courses Begin - <b>Upper Division Students</b>
Tuesday, January 13	<b>LAWR II Begins- First year students</b>
Monday, January 19	<b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day- No Classes</b>
Wednesday, January 28	Last Day of Bridge/Block 4 ends
Thursday, January 29	Reading Day
Friday, January 30	Bridge Exams; LAWR II continues for first-year students
Friday, February 6	Bridge Grades Due
<b><u>SPRING 2026</u></b>	
Monday, February 2	All Spring Classes Begin/Block 5; Spring LAWR II schedule begins
Friday, February 27	Block 5 ends
Monday, March 2	Block 6 begins
Monday, March 16 - Friday March 20	<b>Spring Recess- No Classes</b>
Friday, April 3	Block 6 ends
Monday, April 6	Block 7 begins
Friday, May 1	Last Day of Classes – Block 7 ends
Saturday, May 2 – Sunday, May 3	Reading Days
Monday, May 4 - Friday May 15	Final Exams
Sunday, May 17, 1:00PM	Commencement
Wednesday, June 3	Spring Grades Due
<i>The University at Buffalo academic calendar is set by the Faculty Senate and University President, and dates may change at their discretion.</i>	

**Summer 2025**

<b>Session</b>	<b>First Day of Classes</b>	<b>Last Day Drop/Add</b>	<b>Resign</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes</b>
All	5/19/2025	5/22/2025	6/12/2025	6/30/2025

**Fall 2025**

<b>Session</b>	<b>First Day of Classes</b>	<b>Last Day Drop/Add</b>	<b>Resign</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes</b>
12W	8/27/2025	9/03/2025	10/17/2025	11/25/2025
Block 1	8/27/2025	8/28/2025	9/12/2025	9/23/2025
Block 2	9/24/2025	9/25/2025	10/09/2025	10/28/2025
Block 3	10/29/2025	10/30/2025	11/13/2025	11/25/2025
8W1	8/27/2025	9/02/2025	9/30/2025	10/28/2025
8W2	9/24/2025	9/29/2025	11/03/2025	11/25/2025
Unv 15W	8/25/2025	9/02/2025	10/22/2025	12/05/2025

**Bridge 2026**

<b>Session</b>	<b>First Day of Classes</b>	<b>Last Day Drop/Add</b>	<b>Resign</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes</b>
Bridge	1/05/2026	1/06/2026	1/19/2026	1/28/2026

**Spring 2026**

<b>Session</b>	<b>First Day of Classes</b>	<b>Last Day Drop/Add</b>	<b>Resign</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes</b>
12W	2/02/2026	2/09/2026	3/30/2026	5/01/2026
Block 5	2/02/2026	2/03/2026	2/17/2026	2/27/2026
Block 6	3/02/2026	3/03/2026	3/23/2026	4/03/2026
Block 7	4/06/2026	4/07/2026	4/21/2026	5/01/2026
8W1	2/02/2026	2/05/2026	3/06/2026	4/03/2026
8W2	3/02/2026	3/05/2026	4/09/2026	5/01/2026
Unv 15W	1/21/2026	1/28/2026	4/14/2026	5/05/2026