

**LAMAR STATE COLLEGE-PORT ARTHUR
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027**

Fall Semester 2026	
First Class Day	August 24 (Monday)
Labor Day Holiday – campus closed	September 7 (Monday)
Census Date	September 9 (Wednesday)
Final day to drop without penalty	September 28 (Monday)
Final day to drop with penalty	November 23 (Monday)
Energy Conservation Day – campus closed	November 25 (Wednesday)
Thanksgiving Holiday – campus closed	November 26 & 27 (Thursday & Friday)
Last Class Day	December 10 (Thursday)
Final grades for graduates due by 4:00 pm	December 10 (Thursday)
Final grades for all others due at noon	December 11 (Friday)
Fall Commencement	December 11 (Friday)
Fall 8-Week Session I 2026	
First Class Day	August 24 (Monday)
Census Date	August 31 (Monday)
Final day to drop without penalty	September 10 (Thursday)
Final day to drop with penalty	October 1 (Thursday)
Last Class/Final Exam Day	October 16 (Friday)
Final grades due at noon	October 19 (Monday)
Fall 8-Week Session II 2026	
First Class Day	October 19 (Monday)
Census Date	October 26 (Monday)
Final day to drop without penalty	November 4 (Wednesday)
Final day to drop with penalty	November 24 (Tuesday)
Energy Conservation Day – campus closed	November 25 (Wednesday)
Thanksgiving Holiday – campus closed	November 26 & 27 (Thursday & Friday)
Last Class Day/Final Exam Day	December 10 (Thursday)
Final grades for graduates due by 4:00 pm	December 10 (Thursday)
Final grades for all others due at noon	December 11 (Friday)
Christmas Break	December 21-31, 2026
Winter Mini 2026	
First Class Day	December 7 (Monday)
Census Date	December 8 (Tuesday)
Final day to drop without penalty	December 11 (Friday)
Final day to drop with penalty	December 17 (Thursday)
Last Class Day/Final Exam Day	December 25 (Friday)
Final grades are due by noon	December 28 (Monday)
Spring Semester 2027	
New Year’s Day observed	January 1, 2027 (Friday)
MLK Holiday – campus closed	January 18, 2027 (Monday)

First Class Day	January 19 (Tuesday)
Census Date	February 3 (Wednesday)
Final day to drop without penalty	February 22 (Monday)
Spring Break – no classes	March 8-12, 2027
Good Friday – campus closed	March 26, 2027 (Friday)
Final Day to drop with penalty	April 16 (Friday)
Last Class Day	May 13 (Thursday)
Final grades for graduates due by 4:00 pm	May 13 (Thursday)
Final grades for all others due at noon	May 14 (Friday)
Spring Commencement 11:00 am & 5:30 pm	May 14 (Friday)
Spring 8-Week Session I 2027	
First Class Day	January 19, 2027 (Tuesday)
Census Date	January 26 (Tuesday)
Final day to drop without penalty	February 4 (Thursday)
Final day to drop with penalty	February 25 (Thursday)
Last Class Day/Final Exam Day	March 19 (Friday)
Final grades due at noon	March 19 (Friday)
Spring 8-Week Session II 2027	
First Class Day	March 22, 2027 (Monday)
Census Date	March 30 (Tuesday)
Final day to drop without penalty	April 7 (Wednesday)
Final day to drop with penalty	April 28 (Wednesday)
Last Class Day/Final Exam Day	May 13 (Thursday)
Final grades for graduates due by 4:00 pm	May 13 (Thursday)
Final grades for all others due at noon	May 14 (Friday)
Spring Mini 2027	
First Class Day	May 13 (Thursday)
Census Date	May 14 (Friday)
Final day to drop without penalty	May 19 (Wednesday)
Final day to drop with penalty	May 26 (Wednesday)
Last Class Day/Final Exam Day	June 3 (Thursday)
All grades are due by noon	June 4 (Friday)
Memorial Day Holiday – campus closed	May 31, 2027 (Monday)
Summer I 2027	
First Class Day	June 7, 2027 (Monday)
Census Date	June 10 (Thursday)
Final day to drop without penalty	June 16 (Wednesday)
Juneteenth Holiday observed– campus closed	June 18 (Friday)
Independence Day Holiday observed– campus closed	July 2 (Friday)
Final day to drop with penalty	July 5 (Monday)
Last Class Day/Final Exams	July 12 (Monday)
Final Grades Due by 4:00 pm	July 12 (Monday)

Summer II 2027	
First Class Day	July 13, 2027 (Tuesday)
Census Date	July 16 (Friday)
Final day to drop without penalty	July 22 (Thursday)
Final day to drop with penalty	August 9 (Monday)
Last Class Day/Final Exams	August 16 (Monday)
Final Grades Due by 4:00 pm	August 16 (Monday)
Summer III 2027 (11 weeks)	
First Class Day	June 7, 2027 (Monday)
Juneteenth Holiday observed - campus closed	June 18 (Friday)
Census Date	June 23 (Wednesday)
Independence Day Holiday observed– campus closed	July 2 (Friday)
Final day to drop without penalty	July 15 (Thursday)
Final day to drop with penalty	August 9 (Tuesday)
Last Class Day/Final Exam Day	August 16 (Monday)
Final Grades Due by 4:00 pm	August 16 (Monday)
Fall Semester 2027	
First Class Day	August 23, 2027 (Monday)
Labor Day Holiday – campus closed	September 6, 2027 (Monday)