



2023-2024 Academic Schedule

The Alberta University of the Arts's Academic Schedule defines the academic year terms, as well as other important dates and deadlines for the institution. This includes adding and dropping courses, withdrawals, holiday dates, deadlines for fees payments, and other important related information.

Academic Year

The 2023-2024 Academic year starts on July 1, 2023 and continues to June 30, 2024.

Academic Terms

- Summer Term 2023 – The period of the academic year that runs from July – August. Term Code: 202301.
- Fall Term 2023 – The period of the academic year that runs from September – December. Term Code: 202302
- Winter Term 2024 – the Period of the academic year that runs from January – April. Term Code: 202303.
- Spring Term 2024 – The period of the academic year that runs after the Spring Intensive Term for 6 weeks from May – June. Term Code: 202304 (part of term).
- Spring/Summer Term 2024 – The period of the academic year that runs from May – August. Term Code: 202304.

Weekday (Workday, working day)

Any day of the week excluding weekend days (Saturday/Sunday); excludes holiday days. When a deadline date occurs on a weekend or Statutory or Civic Holiday, the deadline will be the next weekday.

Calendar Day

Any day of the calendar including weekend days; excludes holiday days.

TIP: Save or print a copy of these pages and keep it close by as you will refer to them often throughout the Academic Year.

Fall Term 2023

September							October							November							December						
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June 2023

June 2 Registration Opens

July 2023

July 2 Fall term tuition and fees viewable on webService(Students)

September 2023

Sep 1 First day of Fall term
 Sep 4 *Labour Day – (University offices closed)*
 Sep 5 New Student Orientation
 Sep 6 First day of classes for the Fall term
 Non-degree and Visiting Student registration opens
 Sep 8 Last day to Waitlist for Fall term courses
 Sep 11 Waitlist ends; open seats available for registration
 Sep 14-15 Audit course registration
 Sep 15 End of Add/Drop period: Last day to add/drop Fall term courses; last day for refund of Fall term tuition and fees for courses dropped/University withdrawals
 Sep 15 Fee deadline: Last day to pay Fall term fees without penalty including deregistration*
 Sep 22 Final grade appeal deadline for final grades assigned in the previous Spring and Spring/Summer term
 Sep 30 *National Day for Truth and Reconciliation*

October 2023

Oct 2 Winter term tuition and fees viewable on webService(Students)
 Last day to opt out of AUArts Student Association Health and Dental Plan
 Oct 9 *Thanksgiving Day – No classes scheduled (University offices closed)*
 Oct 24 Mid-term grading complete

November 2023

Nov 1 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for 2023 Spring/Summer & Spring term courses
 Mid-term grades communicated
 Nov 10 Last day to withdraw from Fall term course(s), or complete University withdrawal, for this term
 Nov 11 *Remembrance Day*
 Nov 13 *Remembrance Day Observance – (University offices closed)*
 Nov 14-17 *Fall term break – No classes scheduled*
 Nov 20 Last day to apply to graduate for Spring 2024
 Nov 29 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Wednesday
 Nov 30 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Thursday

December 2023

Dec 1 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Friday
 Dec 5 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Tuesday
 Dec 6 Additional and last class meeting (on Wednesday) for courses scheduled Monday
 Dec 7-9, 11-13 Final exam week in all schools: end of term assessments and course jury critiques
 Dec 18 Final grades due to the Registrar's Office @12noon
 Dec 21 Last day of Fall term
 Dec 22–Jan1 *Winter Holiday Break – No classes scheduled (University closed)*

January 2024

Jan 23 Final grade appeal deadline for grades assigned for Fall 2023 courses

March 2024

March 1 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for Fall 2023 courses

*Fees due; ensure you allow for (bank/credit card) processing time. See Fees section.

Winter Term 2024 – Starting Thursday, January 4

January							February							March							April						
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June 2023

June 2 Registration Opens

January 2024

Jan 1 *New Year's Observance – (University offices closed)*
 Jan 2 First day of Winter term
 University offices open
 Jan 4 First day of classes for the Winter term
 Non-degree and Visiting Student registration opens
 Jan 8 Last day to Waitlist for Winter term courses
 Jan 10 Waitlist ends; open seats available for registration
 Deadline to submit Exchange and Study Abroad Application
 Jan 11-12 Audit course registration
 Jan 12 End of Add/Drop period: Last day to add/drop Winter term courses, last day for refund of Winter term tuition and fees for courses dropped/University withdrawals
 Jan 12 Fee deadline: Last day to pay Winter term fees without penalty including deregistration*
 Jan 23 Final grade appeal deadline for final grades assigned for Fall term courses
 Jan 31 Last day for new students to opt out of AUArts Student Assoc. Health and Dental Plan

February 2024

Feb 1 Spring & Spring/Summer term tuition and fees viewable on webService(Students)
 Recommended – final day to change major for continuing students
 Feb 19 *Family Day – No classes scheduled (University offices closed)*
 Feb 17, 20-23 *Winter Term Break – No classes scheduled (University offices open)*

March 2024

Mar 1 Mid-term grading complete
 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for Fall term courses
 Mar 8 Mid-term grades communicated
 Mar 8 Last day to withdraw from Winter term courses, or complete university withdrawal, for this term
 Mar 29 *Good Friday (University offices closed)*

April 2024

Apr 1 *Easter Monday (University offices closed)*
 Apr 2 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Tuesday
 Apr 3 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Wednesday
 Apr 4 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Thursday
 Apr 5 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Friday
 Apr 8 Last class meeting for courses scheduled Monday
 Apr 9-15 Final exam week: end of term assessments and course jury critiques
 Apr 19 Final grades due to the Registrar's Office @12noon
 Apr 30 Last day of Winter term

May 2024

May 17 Final grade appeal deadline for grades assigned for Winter 2024 courses
 May 23 AUArts 2024 Convocation

July 2024

July 4 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for Winter 2024 courses

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Spring Term 2024

May							June						
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June 2023

June 2 Registration Opens

May 2024

May 1 First day of Spring term
Last day for continuing undergraduate students to apply for Annual General Awards

May 6 First day of classes for the Spring term
Last day to Waitlist for Spring term courses
Non-degree and Visiting Student registration opens

May 8 Waitlist ends; open seats available for registration

May 10 End of Add/Drop period: Last day to add/drop Spring term courses, Last day for refund of Spring term tuition and fees for courses dropped/University withdrawals

May 10 Fee deadline: Last day to pay Spring term fees without penalty including deregistration*

May 17 Final grade appeal deadline for final grades assigned for Winter term courses
Mid-term grading complete

May 20 *Victoria Day – No classes scheduled (University offices closed)*

May 24 Mid-term grading complete

May 28 Mid-term grades communicated

May 30 Last day to withdraw from Spring term courses, or complete University withdrawal, for this term

June 2024

Jun 17 Last day of classes for courses in all Schools

Jun 18-22, 24 Final exam week: end of term assessments and course jury critiques

Jun 26 Final grades due to the Registrar's Office @12noon

September 2024

Sep 22 Final grade appeal deadline for grades assigned for Spring 2024 courses

November 2024

Nov 1 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for Spring 2024 courses

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Spring/Summer Term 2024

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June 2023

June 2 Registration Opens

May 2024

May 1 First day of Spring/Summer term
Last day for continuing undergraduate students to apply for Annual General Awards
May 6 First day of classes for the Spring/Summer term
Non-degree and Visiting Student registration opens
May 14 End of Add/Drop period: Last day to add/drop Spring/Summer term courses, and
Last day for refund of Spring/Summer term tuition and fees for courses dropped/University withdrawals
May 14 Fee Deadline: Last day to pay Spring/Summer term fees without penalty including deregistration*
May 17 Final grade appeal deadline for final grades assigned for Winter term courses
May 20 *Victoria Day – No classes scheduled (University offices closed)*

June 2024

Jun 23 Mid-term grading complete
Jun 29 Mid-term grades communicated

July 2024

Jul 1 *Canada Day observance – No classes scheduled (University offices closed)*
Jul 4 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for Winter term courses
Jul 5 Last day to withdraw from Spring/Summer term courses, or complete University withdrawal, for this term
Jul 29 Last day of classes
Jul 30-Aug 2 Final exam week: end of term assessments and course jury critiques

August 2024

Aug 5 *Heritage Day – No classes scheduled (University offices closed)*
Aug 8 Final grades due to the Registrar's Office @12noon
Aug 31 Last day of Spring/Summer term

September 2024

Sep 22 Final grade appeal deadline for grades assigned for Spring 2024 courses

November 2024

Nov 1 Incomplete grade deadline for "I" grades assigned for Spring 2024 courses

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