Baptist Health College Little Rock
Fall 2026 – Spring 2027 Academic Calendar

Fall 2026 – 22 Week Term	
Independence Day Observed (Campus Closed)	July 3
Classes Begin	July 6
Census Day (11th Class Day)	July 20
Labor Day (Campus Closed)	September 7
Last Day for Student Withdrawal	November 20
Thanksgiving (Campus Closed)	November 26 & 27
BHCLR End of Semester Senior Grades Due/Conferral Date*	December 11
Commencement	December 12
Continuing Students Grades Due	December 15
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	December 23
Christmas (Campus Closed)	December 25

Fall 2026 – 16 Week Term	
Independence Day Observed (Campus Closed)	July 3
Classes Begin – 8-Week I and 16-Week	August 17
Census Day – 8-Week I (5th Class Day)	August 21
Census Day – 16-Week (11th Class Day)	August 31
Labor Day (Campus Closed)	September 7
Last Day for Student Withdrawal – 8-Week I	September 25
End of 8-Week I	October 9
Fall Break	October 12-16
Classes Begin – 8-Week II	October 19
Census Day – 8-Week II (5th Class Day)	October 23
Thanksgiving (Campus Closed)	November 26 & 27
Last Day for Student Withdrawal – 16-Week	November 20
Last Day for Student Withdrawal – 8-Week II	November 30
End of Semester Senior Grades Due/Conferral Date*	December 11
Commencement	December 12
Continuing Students Grades Due	December 15
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	December 23
Christmas (Campus Closed)	December 25

Fall 2026 – METRO Dual Enrollment Term	
Classes Begin	August 11
Census Day (11th Class Day)	August 25
Labor Day (Campus Closed)	September 7
Last Day for Student Withdrawal	November 27
Thanksgiving (No Classes)	November 23-27
End of Semester Senior Grades Due	December 18
Continuing Students Grades Due	December 22
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	December 23
Winter Vacation (No Classes)	December 21-January 5

Spring 2027 – 22 Week Term	
New Year's Day (Campus Closed)	January 1
Classes Begin	January 4
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Campus Closed)	January 18
Census Day (11th Class Day)	January 19
Spring Break (No Classes)	March 22-26
Last Day for Student Withdrawal	May 21
Memorial Day (Campus Closed)	May 31
BHCLR End of Semester Senior Grades Due/Conferral Date*	June 11
Commencement	June 12
Continuing Students Grades Due	June 15
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	June 23
Spring 2027 – 16 Week Term	
New Year's Day (Campus Closed)	January 1
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Campus Closed)	January 18
Classes Begin – 8-Week I and 16-Week	January 19
Census Day – 8-Week I (5th Class Day)	January 25
Census Day – 16-Week (11th Class Day)	February 2
Last Day for Student Withdrawal – 8-Week I	February 26
End of 8-Week I	March 12
Classes Begin – 8-Week II	March 15
Census Day – 8-Week II (5th Class Day)	March 19
Spring Break (No classes)	March 22-26
Last Day for Student Withdrawal – 16-Week	April 23
Last Day for Student Withdrawal – 8-Week II	April 30
End of Semester Senior Grades Due/Conferral Date*	May 14
Continuing Students Grades Due	May 18
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	May 26
Commencement	June 12

Spring 2027 – METRO Dual Enrollment Term	
Classes Begin	January 6
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Campus Closed)	January 18
Census Day (11th Class Day)	January 21
Spring Break (No Classes)	March 19-26
Last Day for Student Withdrawal	April 30
End of Semester Senior Grades Due	May 21
Continuing Students Grades Due	May 25
Commencement	June 12
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	TBA

Summer 2027 – 8 Week Term	
Memorial Day (Campus Closed)	May 31
Classes Begin – 4-Week I and 8-Week	June 1
Census Day 4-Week I and 8-Week (5th Class Day)	June 7
End of 4-Week I	June 25
Classes Begin – 4-Week II	June 28
Census Day 4-Week II (5th Class Day)	July 2
Independence Day Observed (Campus Closed)	July 5
End of Semester Conferral Date*	July 23
Transcripts Available for Cleared Students	July 30

Important Notes:

The OTA program and General Education courses follow the UA – Pulaski Tech academic calendar-https://uaptc.edu/academic-calendar.

The METRO Dual Enrollment follows the Little Rock School District academic calendar-https://www.lrsd.org/page/calendars.

Each program of study schedules a one-week instruction break per semester with the exception of summer terms.

*Conferral Date for Cleared Graduates