

Texas A&M University School of Law

JD and Graduate

2024-2025 Academic Calendar

Fall 2024*

August 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none">o Orientation begins for JD programo Graduation application opens in Howdy for all students planning to graduate in December 2024
August 13	Orientation begins for Fort Worth graduate program
August 19	Classes begin for JD and all graduate programs
August 23	<ul style="list-style-type: none">o Last day to add a course for JD and Fort Worth graduate courses;o Last day to add/drop a course for San Antonio and distance education graduate courses
August 30	Last day to elect pass/fail option for JD courses
September 1	Timely deadline to file application with the Texas Board of Law Examiners for the February Bar examination
September 2	Labor Day holiday for JD and all graduate programs
September 3	Last day to drop a course for JD and Fort Worth graduate courses
September 4	Fall official census date
September 20	Last day to apply for a December degree without a late fee
September 29	Last day of classes for first part of term for San Antonio program and distance education graduate programs
September 30	Make-up day for Labor Day holiday for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
October 1	Timely deadline for first-year JD students to file a Declaration of Intent to Study Law with the Texas Board of Law Examiners

October 2-6	Final exams for first part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
October 7-11	Fall break for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
October 14-18	Fall break for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
October 14	First day of classes for second part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
October 28-30	Priority registration for winter 2025 and spring 2025 for JD program
October 31- November 1	Priority registration for spring 2025 for all graduate programs
November 5	Reading day; no classes for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
November 18	Make-up day for Monday classes for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs; Make-up for Labor Day
November 19	Last day of classes for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs; Make-up for November 5
November 20-21	Make-up day for inclement weather if needed for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
November 22-29	Thanksgiving holiday for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
November 24	Last day of classes for second part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
November 27- December 3	Final exams for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
November 28-29	Thanksgiving holiday for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
December 2	Last day to apply for December graduation
December 3-13	Final exams for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
December 12 or 13 [§]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Commencement and Hooding Ceremony in College Station for JD degrees ○ Commencement and Commissioning Ceremony in College Station for LL.M. and M.L.S. degrees

Winter 2025*

October 28-30	Priority registration for winter 2025 for JD program
January 6	Classes begin
January 6	Last day to add or drop a class
January 7	Last day to elect pass/fail option
January 13	Last day of classes

Spring 2025*

December 16	Graduation application opens in Howdy for all students planning to graduate in May 2025
January 9	Orientation begins for Fort Worth graduate program
January 13	Classes begin for JD and all graduate programs
January 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none">o Last day to add a course for JD courses and Fort Worth graduate courses;o Last day to add/drop a course for San Antonio and distance education graduate courses
January 20	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holiday for JD and all graduate programs
January 24	Last day to elect pass/fail option for JD courses
January 28	Last day to drop a course for JD courses and Fort Worth graduate courses
January 29	Spring official census date
February 1	Timely deadline to file application with the Texas Board of Law Examiners for the July Bar examination
February 14	Last day to apply for May degree without a late fee
February 23	Last day of classes for first part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
February 24	Make-up day for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holiday for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
Feb. 26-Mar. 2	Final exams for first part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs

March 3-7	Spring Break for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
March 10	First day of classes for second part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
March 10-14	Spring Break for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
March 24-26	Priority registration for summer 2025 and fall 2025 for JD program
March 27-28	Priority registration for summer 2025 and fall 2025 for all graduate programs
April 14	Last day of classes for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs; Make-up for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
April 15-16	Make-up days for inclement weather if needed for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
April 18	Reading Day
April 20	Last day of classes for second part of term for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
April 21	Make-up day for Friday classes for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs; Make-up for April 18
April 22	Make-up days for inclement weather if needed for San Antonio graduate program
April 22-May 2	Final exams for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
April 23-27	Final exams for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
April 29	Last day to apply for May graduation
May 3	Hooding and Commencement in Fort Worth for JD, LL.M. and M.L.S. degrees

Summer 2025*

May 12	Graduation application opens in Howdy for all students planning to graduate in August 2025
May 19	Classes begin for JD and all graduate programs

May 21	Last day to add/drop a course for JD and Fort Worth graduate courses
May 22	Last day to add/drop a course for San Antonio and distance education graduate courses
May 23	Last day to elect pass/fail option for JD classes
May 26	Memorial Day holiday for JD and all graduate programs
May 30	Summer official census date
June 19	Juneteenth holiday for JD and all graduate programs
June 30	Last day of classes for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs; Make-up for Memorial Day
July 1	Make-up day for Thursday classes for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs; Make-up for Juneteenth
July 4	Independence Day holiday for JD and all graduate programs
July 2-6	Final exams for San Antonio and distance education graduate programs
July 7	Last day of class for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs; Make-up for Memorial Day
July 8	Make-up day for Thursday classes for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs; Make-up for Juneteenth
July 9	Make-up day for Friday classes for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs; Make-up for Independence Day
July 10-13	Final exams for JD and Fort Worth graduate programs
July 11	Last day to apply for August degree without a late fee
August 5	Last day to apply for August graduation
August 8 or 9 ^{§,Ω}	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Commencement and Hooding Ceremony in College Station for JD degrees ○ Commencement and Commissioning Ceremony in College Station for LL.M. and M.L.S. degrees

**all dates and times subject to change*

§commencement ceremony schedule is available at <http://graduation.tamu.edu/>

Ω please be aware that for a student who has taken and passed the February bar exam and graduates in the summer term, this date could delay the student's swearing in