



FALL 2026
STUDENT
SEMESTER
CALENDAR



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DO NOT CROSS

FALL 2026

Administrative and Inservice Days*	August 10-14, 2026
Registration Deadline (Full and A Terms)	August 14
Classes Begin (Full and A Terms)	August 17
Add/Drop Period (A Term)	August 17-18
Add/Drop Period (Full Term)	August 17-20
Labor Day (College Closed)	September 7
Classes End (A Term)	October 7
Registration Deadline (B Term)	October 7
Classes Begin (B Term)	October 8
Add/Drop Period (B Term)	October 8-13
Grades Due (A Term)	October 12 <i>(by noon)</i>
Fall Break*	November 2-3
General Election Day*	November 3
Thanksgiving Break (College Closed)	November 25-27
Classes End (Full and B Terms)	December 4
Administrative and Inservice Days*	December 7-11 and 14-18
Final Grades Due	December 9 <i>(by noon)</i>
Graduation	December 10
Winter Break (College Closed)	December 21-31

*no classes

TERM DATES: FALL 2026

Full Term	August 17 – December 4, 2026
A Term	August 17 – October 7, 2026
B Term	October 8 – December 4, 2026

IMPORTANT DATES

VIP REGISTRATION DATES

(\$0 Registration Fee)

Fall 2026: April 1 - June 26, 2026

Spring 2027: Nov. 1 - Dec. 1, 2026

OPEN REGISTRATION FOR FALL 2026 BEGINS

(\$25 Registration Fee)

Full, A and B Terms: June 27, 2026

LATE REGISTRATION FOR FALL 2026 BEGINS

(\$50 Registration Fee)

Full and A Terms: August 10, 2026

B Term: October 1, 2026

TUITION DEADLINES

Full and A Terms: August 3, 2026

B Term: September 24, 2026

LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW FROM A CLASS

A Term: September 30, 2026

Full Term: November 30, 2026

B Term: November 30, 2026

DROPS FOR NON-PAYMENT (Full and A Terms)

August 10 and August 24, 2026

DROPS FOR NON-PAYMENT (B Term)

October 1 and October 14, 2026

ACADEMIC SUSPENSION/ DISMISSAL APPEAL DEADLINE

Fall 2026 Standing: January 6, 2027

Spring 2027 Standing: May 12, 2027

DEADLINE TO REPORT NEVER ATTENDS

Full and A Terms: August 24, 2026

B Term: October 14, 2026

FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION AVAILABLE ONLINE

Fall 2026: August 25-September 8, 2026

Spring 2027: January 14-28, 2027

PROGRAM READY APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE ONLINE

Fall Transition Nursing: June 1-16, 2026

Spring Nursing (ADN3 and LPN1):

September 1-16, 2026

Spring Funeral Service: October 1-31, 2026

Summer Transition Nursing (Laurens Campus): February 1-16, 2027

Fall 2027 Funeral Service: May 1-31, 2027

Fall 2027 Transition Nursing: June 1-16, 2027

GRADUATION APPLICATION DEADLINE

Fall 2026: October 9, 2026

Spring 2027: March 5, 2027

GRADUATION CEREMONY

Fall 2026: December 10, 2026

STUDENT RECORDS OFFICE CLOSED

Fall 2026: December 9 -10, 2026

DEGREE PICKUP DATES

Summer 2026: August 13, 2026

Fall 2026: January 12, 2027

CONVERSION DATES

Summer 2026 A Term "I": August 19, 2026

Summer 2026 Full and B Term "I" and Spring 2026 "CF" grades convert to "F": September 30, 2026

Fall 2026 A Term "I": November 26, 2026

0% REFUND DATES

A Term: August 19, 2026

Full Term: August 21, 2026

B Term: October 14, 2026

FALL 2026

FINANCIAL AID DATES

FINANCIAL AID STUDENTS CAN PURCHASE BOOKS (FALL 2026)

Full, A, and B Terms Charges Open	August 3, 2026
Full and A Terms Charges End	September 8, 2026
No Bookstore Charges	September 9, 2026
B Term Charges End	October 27, 2026

FINANCIAL AID ENROLLMENT FREEZE DATES

Fall 2026: August 21, 2026
Spring 2027: January 21, 2027

PAYMENT PLAN DATES

Fall 2026 Payment Plan Opens	July 7, 2026
Last day to enroll with no down payment	August 3, 2026
33% down payment begins	August 4, 2026
Last day to enroll with 33% down payment	August 27, 2026
50% down payment begins	August 28, 2026
Last day to enroll in payment plan	October 20, 2026

FINANCIAL AID 60% OF TERM DATES (FALL 2026)

Full Term: October 19, 2026
A Term: September 17, 2026
B Term: November 9, 2026

FINANCIAL AID REQUIREMENTS COMPLETION DEADLINE

Fall 2026: July 15, 2026
Spring 2027: December 15, 2026

FAFSA PRIORITY DATE

Fall 2026: June 1, 2026
Spring 2027: November 1, 2026

FINANCIAL AID DISBURSEMENT DATES (FALL 2026)

(Checks Mailed/Direct Deposits Available)

Financial Aid Disbursement Checks for Full and A Terms mailed Direct Deposits Available for Full and A Term	September 14, 2026
Financial Aid Disbursement Checks for B Term mailed Direct Deposits Available for B Term	November 2, 2026

WORKSHOPS & STUDENT LIFE SERIES



WORKSHOPS

IN THE KNOW WITH TRiO:

Hosted by Student Support Services, these workshops are meant to help improve student success. For more information about Student Support Services, please visit www.ptc.edu/SSS. Workshops will be held in 104K (below the Library) on the Greenwood Campus at 12:45 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

How to Succeed in General Education Classes: **Monday, August 31**

Making "Cents" of Loans & Credit: **Thursday, September 17**

The University Transfer Playbook: **Monday, October 19**

Fund Your Future: Scholarships 101: **Tuesday, November 17**

IGNITE: NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Kick-off your time as a PTC Phoenix at IGNITE! Meet instructors, learn about campus and community resources, take a tour, win prizes, enjoy refreshments, and more!

Greenwood Campus: Wednesday, August 12 • 4–6 P.M.

Greenwood Campus: Thursday, August 13 • 10 A.M.–12 P.M.

County Campuses: Wednesday, August 12 • 9–11 A.M.

STUDENT LIFE

COFFEE & CONNECTIONS: • 9 A.M.–1 P.M.

Swing by the Student Center for free coffee and low-pressure networking with employers and campus support services. Dates are listed below:

Tuesday, August 25

Tuesday, October 27

Tuesday, September 29

Tuesday, November 24

BINGO BONANZA: • 12:30–1:30 P.M.

Stop by the Student Center for BINGO! Play a few rounds, win fun prizes and take a break between classes! Dates are listed below:

Wednesday, August 26

Thursday, October 22

Wednesday, September 23

Thursday, November 19

DIY & DOUGHNUTS: • 10 A.M.–2 P.M.

Join us in the Student Center to create, snack and relax. Dates are listed below:

Thursday, September 3

Wednesday, November 4

Thursday, October 1

FUN & GAMES: • 11 A.M.–1 P.M.

From classics to crowd favorites, Fun & Games is your monthly chance to play, relax, and hang out with other students and staff! Dates are listed below:

Tuesday, September 15

Thursday, November 12

Tuesday, October 13

BUDGET EATS: • 10 A.M.–2 P.M.

Learn how to cook on a budget where the Hope Pantry shows you simple recipes that won't break the bank.

Wednesday, September 9

Wednesday, November 18

Thursday, October 15

PTC STUDENT LIFE EVENTS

Wednesday & Thursday, August 12-13: **Welcome Back**

Thursday, August 20: **Soda Mixer**

Monday, August 24: **Waffle Station**

Tuesday, September 22: **Blood Drive**

Wednesday, October 14: **Block Party**

Thursday, October 22: **College Transfer Fair & Club Fair**

Thursday, October 29: **Halloween Ghost Hunt & Trick or Treat**

Tuesday, November 10: **Veterans Day Event**

Tuesday, November 24: **Pie Day**

Wednesday, December 2: **Holiday Hangout**

PIEDMONT POINTS



GET INVOLVED!



GET REWARDS!

HOW IT WORKS:

one

Attend Student Life-sponsored events and sign in when you arrive. You must scan your ID or enter your P# to receive points.

two

Continue attending events throughout the year to rack up points!

three

To check your balance, please visit the Student tab on Pathway.

four

Email lagreca.k@ptc.edu to schedule a time to pick up prizes.

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Dates are subject to change. Visit Pathway for the most current information: www.ptc.edu/pathway



UNIVERSITY TRANSFER ADVANTAGE

AT PIEDMONT TECHNICAL COLLEGE

START WITH CONFIDENCE. TRANSFER ANYWHERE.

The University Transfer Advantage gives you a clear, structured path from your first semester at PTC to your future major at a four-year university. With **40 mapped transfer pathways**, you'll know exactly which courses to take, how they apply to your degree, and how to stay on track.

What You'll Get

- ➔ **A clear 60-credit plan**
Every pathway is aligned to real university majors — so you enter your transfer institution prepared.
- ➔ **No lost credits**
Courses are selected to keep you moving forward, saving you time and money.
- ➔ **Five easy-to-explore focus areas**
Business • Healthcare • STEM • Education • Social Sciences
- ➔ **A confident transition into your major**
You'll build the right academic foundation before taking upper-level courses.

Start Here. Succeed There.

1. Meet with your advisor.
2. Choose your pathway.
3. Follow your mapped plan.
4. Transfer anywhere with confidence.



Find Your Major Today www.ptc.edu/advantage



A LOOK AHEAD

SPRING 2027

New Year's Day (College Closed)	January 1, 2027
Administrative and Inservice Days*	January 4-8
Registration Deadline (Full and A Terms)	January 8
Classes Begin (Full and A Terms)	January 11
Add/Drop Period (A Term)	January 13-15
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (College Closed)	January 18
Add/Drop Period (Full Term)	January 13-20
Classes End (A Term)	January 18
Administrative and Inservice Days*	March 3
Spring Break*	March 4-5
Registration Deadline (B Term)	March 8-12
Classes Begin (B Term)	March 12
Add/Drop Period (B Term)	March 15
Grades Due (A Term)	March 15-18
Classes End (Full and B Terms)	March 18 (by noon)
Administrative and Inservice Days*	May 4
Graduation	May 5-7
Final Grades Due	May 6
	May 7 (by noon)

SUMMER 2027

Administrative and Inservice Days*	May 10-14, 2027
Registration Deadline (Full and A Terms)	May 14
Classes Begin (Full and A Terms)	May 17
Add/Drop Period (A Term)	May 17-18
Add/Drop Period (Full Term)	May 17-19
Memorial Day (College Closed)	May 31
Classes End (A Term)	June 21
Registration Deadline (B Term)	June 21
Classes Begin (B Term)	June 22
Add/Drop Period (B Term)	June 22-23
Grades Due (A Term)	June 24
Summer Break*	July 5
Administrative and Inservice Day*	July 9
Classes End (Full and B Terms)	August 2
Administrative and Inservice Days*	August 3-6
Final Grades Due	August 5 (by noon)

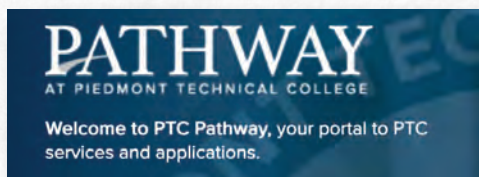
STAY CONNECTED

Stay connected by visiting www.ptc.edu/connect. Here you'll find links to resources such as PTC Pathway, D2L, the PTC mobile app and more. Visit www.ptc.edu/directory to find specific faculty and employee phone numbers, suite/office numbers and email addresses.



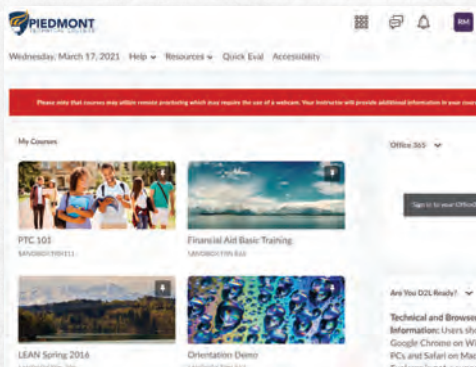
PTC Pathway

PTC Pathway is your gateway to online college services and allows you to access important information as well as a number of college services.



Brightspace (D2L)

Students use D2L to submit assignments, take quizzes, and collaborate with instructors and classmates. Once registered for a course, students will be added to their D2L course.



PTC Navigate

Download the PTC Navigate app to connect with PTC resources, make appointments, register/view your class schedules, and review upcoming events/to do. Download Navigate using the QR code to the right.



MAP & LOCATIONS



- 1 Greenwood County Campus
- 2 Abbeville County Campus
- 3 McCormick County Campus
- 4 Edgefield County Campus
- 5 Saluda County Campus
- 6 Newberry County Campus
- 7 Laurens County Campus
- 8 Laurens Center for Advanced Manufacturing

Find campus locations, campus maps, driving directions, contact info and more by visiting www.ptc.edu/locations.



Scan for campus maps and locations.

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