

Note: The University of Maryland School of Nursing reserves the right to modify the academic calendar.

FALL 2026

August *	(Tentative) NCLEX Review (traditional BSN and CNL fall graduates)
August *	<i>In-person Med-calc testing for continuing BSN and CNL/MSNE students</i>
August 23	Last day for students who withdraw from UMSON for the term to receive 100% refund*
	Last day for students who pay per-credit tuition to receive 100% refund for dropped course(s)*
August 24	Fall semester begins; tuition and fees due for fall semester
August 28	Last day to add class. Use the add form here . Last day for students who pay per-credit tuition to receive 80% refund for dropped course(s)*
September 7	Labor Day holiday
September *	Deadline: Graduation Application for December 2026 graduation
September 11	Last day to drop course(s) or withdraw from UMSON for the term before it counts as an attempt*
September *	Last day for students who withdraw from UMSON or the term to receive 90% refund
October 19	Advising for Spring 2027
October *	Last day for students who withdraw from UMSON or the term to receive 50% refund
October 23	Last day for students to drop course(s) without receive a WP or WF*
November 2	Spring 2027 advanced registration begins for continuing and returning students
November 13	Deadline to register for all spring clinical, practicum, practice, and project courses (all programs)
November 16	Spring 2027 registration opens for new students (except CWO)
November *	Last day for all students to withdraw from UMSON or the term to receive 25% refund
November 26-27	Thanksgiving Holiday
November 30	Last day for students to withdraw from the term*
December 11	Last day of instruction (Exams, make-up, etc. may occur until end of term)
December 10	Graduation ceremony for July and December graduates (Both campuses) <i>Snow day TBA</i>
December 17	Grades for graduating students due by noon
December 18	End of Term; Fall diploma date; grades due for continuing students due by noon
December 31	Compliance deadline for all continuing students for spring 2027 clinicals and practicum

Session Dates ONLY dates listed below differ from standard academic calendar

First session: 8/24 – 10/18/2026

* – last day to withdraw from first session (if this is the only class) for 90% refund

9/11 – last day to drop before attempt or WP/WF

* – last day to withdraw from first session (if this is the only class) for 50% refund

* – last day to withdraw from first session (if this is the only class) for 25% refund

Second session: 10/19-12/18/2026

10/19 - last day to for students who pay-per credit to drop from second session with 100% refund. Only applies to the course that is second rotation.

10/23 - Last day for student who pay-per credit to drop from second session with 80%. Only applies to courses(s) in second rotation.

* – last day to withdraw from second session (if this is the only class) for 90% refund

11/6 - Last day to drop before it counts as an attempt or WP/WF

* – Last day to withdraw from second session (if this is the only class) for 50% refund

* – Last day to withdraw from second session (if this is the only class) for 25% refund

11/30 - Last day to withdraw from second session

**withdraw from term refunds only apply to session courses if it is the only course on student's schedule