

Graduate School of Education
2018 FALL TERM Academic Calendar

TBA	TBA	International Student Orientation dates are TBA, but usually take place the week before the first day of class
August 27	Monday	New Student Orientation
August 28	Tuesday	Fall term classes begin
August 31	Friday	Orientation for Students of Color
September 3	Monday	Labor Day (NO CLASSES)
September 17	Monday	Add/drop period ends at 12:00 Midnight Drops after this are subject to partial refund schedule: 75% refund September 18 - September 24 50% refund September 25 - October 1 NO REFUND October 2 - October 8
October 8	Monday	LAST DAY to drop a course (NO REFUND)
October 8	Monday	LAST DAY to request course registration changes (e.g. audit, pass/fail) with instructor approval
October 19	Friday	LAST DAY to apply for December 2018 degree without a late fee*: http://www.gse.upenn.edu/students/grad_app
October 29 - November 11	Monday - Sunday	Advance Registration for Spring 2019
November 5	Monday	LAST DAY Ed.D. and Ph.D. students may submit dissertation for review & signature of the Assoc. Dean for December 2018 degree
November 9	Friday	FINAL DEADLINE to apply for December 2018 degree. Late sign-up fee is \$25*: http://www.gse.upenn.edu/students/grad_app
November 9	Friday	LAST DAY to withdraw from a course (partial refund schedule applicable). 'W' will appear on transcript.
November 20	Tuesday	Course selection for Spring 2019 re-opens. Log into Penn InTouch after 10am to register for courses: www.upenn.edu/pennintouch
November 20 - 21	Tuesday - Wednesday	Thursday - Friday class schedule on Tuesday - Wednesday

November 22 - 25	Thursday - Sunday	Thanksgiving Break (NO CLASSES)
November 26	Monday	Classes resume
December 3	Monday	LAST DAY for submission of approved & signed dissertations for December 2018 degree: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ed.D. to GSE Student Records Office • Ph.D. to Graduate Arts & Sciences
December 3	Monday	LAST DAY Divisions may submit Master's Comprehensive Examination, Thesis or Portfolio results to the GSE Student Records Office for December 2018 degree
December 10	Monday	Undergraduate Classes end
December 13	Thursday	Last day of classes at GSE; MONDAY CLASS SCHEDULE
December 13	Thursday	LAST DAY doctoral final defense ballots will be accepted by Student Records Office
December 20	Thursday	Fall term ends for University
January 3, 2019	Thursday	Fall term grades due

Spring Classes begin on January 16, 2019 (Monday class schedule)

**Graduation Applications do not roll over. Names are purged from the system after every degree term. A student who misses the final deadline must sign up for the following degree term. No exceptions will be made after the final deadline*