

Calendar

Academic Calendar 2003–2004

Summer 2003 Orientation/Registration New Students:

- Monday, June 9
- Monday, June 16
- Monday, June 23
- Monday, July 14
- Monday, July 21
- Monday, July 28
- Monday, August 25

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Fall Semester, September 4 – December 12, 2003

Aug 27	International Student orientation/registration	<p>Albertson has an innovative calendar. The school year is divided into two terms. The first is a 13-week semester stretching from early September to the December holidays. The second term is a 19-week semester that begins in January and ends in early June. The second term includes a 6-week winter session in January and February.</p>
Aug 31	Move-in for all new students	
Sept 1	Convocation	
Sept 1 - Sept 3	Off-campus orientation	
Sept 4	Instruction begins	
Sept 12	Registration closes; Last day to Add/Drop semester & first 6-week courses	
Sept 19	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W" -- first 6-week courses	
Sept 29	Last day to elect Pass/Fail -- first 6-week courses	
Oct 3	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W" -- semester courses	
Oct 6	Last day to withdraw from first 6-week courses	
Oct 17	Last day of classes -- first 6 weeks	
Oct 20 - Oct 24	Midsemester recess	
Oct 22	Midsemester marks due - 12 noon	
Oct 27	Instruction resumes -- semester and second 6-week courses	

Oct 31	June & August 2003 degree applications due Last day to Add/Drop -- second 6-week courses
Nov 7	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W" -- second 6-week courses
Nov 10	Last day to elect Pass/Fail -- semester courses
Nov 17	Last day to withdraw -- semester courses
Nov 3 – Dec 12	Advising/Registration for Term 2
Nov 24	Last day to withdraw from second 6-week courses
Nov 27 - Nov 28	Thanksgiving recess
Dec 1	Instruction resumes
Dec 5	Last day of classes -- semester and second 6-week courses
Dec 8 - Dec 12	Final examinations
Dec 12	Fall semester ends - 6 p.m. Holiday recess begins
Dec 17	Final marks due - 12 noon

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Winter Session, January 5–February 13, 2004

Jan 2	International student orientation/registration	This unique session allows students to concentrate on research, internships, off campus study and study abroad. Winter session also includes heightened opportunities for interdisciplinary work, independent study, guest speakers and concerts. During winter session many of the departments offer innovative courses not available at other times of the academic year. Some of these courses may be offered only once. In winter 2003, special offerings will include faculty-led study opportunities in China, Cuba and London.
Jan 5	Instruction begins	
Jan 9	Registration closes for Term 2; Last day to Add/Drop	
Jan 16	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W"	
Jan 26	Last day to elect Pass/Fail	
Feb 2	Last day to withdraw	
Feb 13	Last day of classes; Winter session ends	
Feb 18	Final marks due–12 noon	
Feb 16 - Feb 20	Winter recess	

Spring Semester, February 23–May 28, 2004

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Feb 23	Instruction begins
Feb 27	Registration closes; Last day to Add/Drop -- semester and first 6-week courses
Mar 5	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W" -- first 6-week courses
Mar 15	Last day to elect Pass/Fail -- first 6- week courses
Mar 19	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W" -- semester courses
Mar 22	Last day to withdraw from first 6- week courses
Apr 2	Last day of classes -- first 6-week courses
Apr 5 - Apr 9	Midsemester recess
Apr 7	Midsemester marks due - 12:00 noon
Apr 12	Instruction resumes -- semester and second 6-week courses
Apr 16	Last day to Add/Drop second 6- week courses
Apr 19 - May 14	Advising/Registration for 2003-2004
Apr 23	Last day to withdraw with automatic "W" -- second 6-week courses
Apr 26	Last day to elect Pass/Fail -- semester courses
May 3	Last day to withdraw -- semester courses Last day to elect Pass/Fail -- second 6-week courses
May 10	Last day to withdraw -- second 6- week courses
May 18	Awards Assembly - 11:20 a.m.
May 17	December 2003 & February 2004 degree applications due
May 21	Last day of classes -- semester and second 6-week courses
May 24 - May 28	Final examinations
May 28	Spring semester ends Baccalaureate services

May 29	Commencement exercises
June 2	Final marks due - Noon