

Fall 2026 Final Examination Schedule | December 7–11, 2026

Monday, Dec 7, 2026	
Class Meeting Pattern	Exam Time
MWF 8:00 am	8:00–10:00 am
TR 9:30 am	11:00 am–1:00 pm
MWF 2:00 pm	2:00–4:00 pm
MW 5:30 pm	6:00–8:00 pm
MWF 5:00 pm	6:00–8:00 pm

Tuesday, Dec 8, 2026	
Class Meeting Pattern	Exam Time
TR 8:00 am	8:00–10:00 am
MWF 9:00 am	11:00 am–1:00 pm
MW 2:00 pm	2:00–4:00 pm
MW 6:30 pm	6:00–8:00 pm

Wednesday, Dec 9, 2026	
Class Meeting Pattern	Exam Time
MWF 10:00 am	8:00–10:00 am
TR 11:00 am	11:00 am–1:00 pm
MWF 3:00 pm	2:00–4:00 pm
MW 7:00 pm	6:00–8:00 pm

Thursday, Dec. 10, 2026	
Class Meeting Pattern	Exam Time
MWF 11:00 am	12:00–2:00 pm
TR 12:30 pm	3:00–5:00 pm
TR 2:00 pm	6:00–8:00 pm
MW 3:30 pm	6:00–8:00 pm

Friday, Dec. 11, 2026	
Class Meeting Pattern	Exam Time
MWF 12:00 pm	8:00–10:00 am
MWF 1:00 pm	11:00 am–1:00 pm
TR 3:30 pm	2:00–4:00 pm
MWF 4:00 pm	2:00–4:00 pm
TR 5:00 pm	6:00–8:00 pm

Final examinations are scheduled according to the University's established class meeting patterns. Faculty and students should use the course meeting pattern and start time to identify the assigned final examination date and time.

Faculty should include the assigned final examination date and time in the course syllabus. All examinations must be administered according to the University's published final examination schedule unless an alternative arrangement has been approved.

Final Examination Guidelines and Expectations

- Final assessments are required in all undergraduate courses.
- Faculty may not administer final examinations or give an assignment in lieu of an examination on Reading Day.
- Asynchronous courses must complete final examinations or assessments during the established final examination period at the direction of the instructor of record.
- Examinations must be administered according to the University's published final examination schedule.
- Changes to an assigned examination date or time must follow established University approval processes.

Courses with Non-Standard Meeting Patterns

Courses with non-standard meeting patterns, including certain **one-, two-, and four-credit-hour courses, laboratories, studios, and other extended instructional formats**, will be assigned to the final examination period that most closely aligns with the course meeting time and instructional pattern.

The Office of the Registrar will use the published final examination schedule and established class meeting patterns to determine the appropriate examination period for courses that do not follow a standard meeting pattern.

Examination Conflict-Resolution Practice

The University has established a consistent process for students who are scheduled for **more than two (2) final examinations on the same day**.

Student Request Process

A student requesting an alternative examination arrangement must:

- Notify the instructor(s) as soon as the conflict is identified and **no later than five (5) business days before the start of final examinations**.
- Provide the student's complete examination schedule for the affected day.
- Work with the instructor and department chair (or designee), who will review the request and determine whether an alternative examination arrangement is appropriate.

Examination Eligible for Rescheduling

When an alternative arrangement is approved, the examination **scheduled latest in the day will normally be the examination eligible for rescheduling**.

For example, if a student has examinations scheduled from:

- 8:00–10:00 a.m.
- 11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
- 2:00–4:00 p.m.

the **2:00–4:00 p.m. examination** would normally be eligible for rescheduling.

Departments should work collaboratively with students and faculty to identify a reasonable alternative while maintaining academic standards and course requirements.

Alternative arrangements do not guarantee a specific examination date or time, remain subject to instructor and departmental approval, and should be completed within the University's established final examination period whenever possible.

Responsible Office: Office of the Registrar