# 2023-2024 USC Aiken Academic Calendar

## Fall 2023

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<td>Last day to submit reinstatement petition for fall term</td>
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<td>August 16</td>
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<td>Fall tuition and fee payment deadline</td>
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<td>August 24</td>
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<td>Classes begin</td>
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<td>Last day to apply in SSC to graduate in December</td>
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<td>August 31</td>
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<td>Deadline to declare early/late graduation ceremony participation</td>
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<td>September 4</td>
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<td>Labor Day -- no classes</td>
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<td>September 5</td>
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<td>Last day to withdraw for a 70% refund of liable hours</td>
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<td>Faculty deadline to submit Dec. graduation clearance forms</td>
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<td>October 1</td>
<td>Sunday</td>
<td>Advisement Month begins</td>
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<td>October 16</td>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>Midpoint in semester</td>
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<td>October 19 - 20</td>
<td>Thurs.- Friday</td>
<td>Fall break -- no classes</td>
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<td>October 23</td>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>Faculty deadline to enter midterm grades</td>
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<td>Priority registration for spring term opens</td>
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<td>Last day to select the pass/fail option</td>
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<td>November 22 - 24</td>
<td>Wed. - Friday</td>
<td>Thanksgiving break -- no classes</td>
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<td>December 8</td>
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<td>Last day of classes</td>
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<td>December 9 - 10</td>
<td>Saturday - Sunday</td>
<td>Reading days</td>
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<td>December 11 - 15</td>
<td>Monday - Friday</td>
<td>Final exams</td>
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<td>December 14</td>
<td>Thursday</td>
<td>Fall Convocation (Graduation Ceremony)</td>
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<td>December 15</td>
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<td>May graduation application opens in SSC</td>
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<td>December 18</td>
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<td>Faculty deadline to enter fall grades (Noon)</td>
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## Spring 2024

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<td>Spring tuition and fee payment deadline</td>
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<td>January 8</td>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>Classes begin</td>
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<td>January 15</td>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>Martin Luther King Jr. Day -- no classes</td>
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<td>Faculty deadline to submit May graduation clearance forms</td>
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<td>March 1</td>
<td>Friday</td>
<td>Advisement Month begins</td>
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<td>March 4 - 8</td>
<td>Monday - Friday</td>
<td>Spring Break -- no classes</td>
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<td>March 7</td>
<td>Thursday</td>
<td>Faculty deadline to enter midterm grades</td>
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<tr>
<td>March 25</td>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>Priority registration for summer &amp; fall terms opens</td>
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<td>Tuesday</td>
<td>Reading day -- no classes</td>
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<td>April 24 - 30</td>
<td>Wed. - Tuesday</td>
<td>Final exams (excluding Saturday and Sunday)</td>
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<td>May 1</td>
<td>Wednesday</td>
<td>University Commencement</td>
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<td>May 3</td>
<td>Friday</td>
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<td>Monday</td>
<td>Summer term begins</td>
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<td>May 15</td>
<td>Wednesday</td>
<td>August graduation application opens in SSC</td>
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<td>May 27</td>
<td>Monday</td>
<td>Memorial Day -- no classes</td>
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<td>Independence Day -- no classes</td>
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Parts-of-term are condensed academic terms, with course add/drop/withdraw dates and tuition refund dates that may differ from those of the full/main semester calendar.

Final grades are due no later than 72 hours after completion of a course’s final exam.

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