

NORTHLAND COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2027–2028

SUMMER SESSION 2027	
Mon, May 17	Summer Session Starts
Mon, May 31	Memorial Day (non-contract/no classes)
Fri, June 18	Juneteenth (non-contract/no classes)
Mon–Fri, June 28–July 2	Session Break for On-Campus Classes (regular schedule for Distance Classes and campus-based proctor services)
Tues, July 13	Summer Distance Session Ends
Thurs, August 5	Summer Session Ends / Grades Due

FALL SEMESTER 2027	
Wed, Aug 18	Duty Day
Thurs, Aug 19	.5 Duty Day / .5 Faculty Contract Day
Fri, Aug 20	Faculty Contract Day
Mon, Aug 23	Fall Semester Classes Start
Mon, Sept 6	Labor Day (non-contract/no classes)
Thurs–Fri, Oct. 14–15	MSCF Days (non-contract/no classes)
Thurs, Nov 11	Veterans' Day (non-contract/no classes)
Thurs–Fri, Nov 25–26	Thanksgiving (non-contract/no classes)
Mon–Thurs, Dec 13–16	Test Days (Finals Week)
Thurs, Dec 16	Fall Semester Ends
Fri, Dec 17	Grades Due / Faculty Contract Day
Mon, Dec 20–Tues, Jan 4	Semester Break (non-contract/no classes)

SPRING SEMESTER 2028	
Wed, Jan 5	Duty Day
Thurs–Fri Jan 6–7	Faculty Contract Days
Mon, Jan 10	Spring Semester Classes Start
Mon, Jan 17	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (non-contract/no classes)
Mon, Feb 14	President's Day (non-contract/no classes)
Mon–Fri, March 6–10	Spring Break (non-contract/no classes)
Fri, March 31	.5 Duty Day / .5 Faculty Contract Day (no classes)
Mon–Thurs, May 8–11	Test Days (Finals Week)
Thurs, May 11	Student Success Day
Thurs, May 11	Spring Semester Ends / Graduation (TRF)
Fri, May 12	Grades Due / Graduation (EGF) / Faculty Contract Day

	Class Days	Test Days	Duty Days	Fixed FC Days	Total Days
August	7	0	1.5	1.5	10
September	21	0	0	0	21
October	19	0	0	0	19
November	19	0	0	0	19
December	8	4	0	1	13
TOTAL	74	4	1.5	2.5	82

	Class Days	Test Days	Duty Days	Fixed FC Days	Total Days
January	15	0	1	2	18
February	20	0	0	0	20
March	17	0	.5	.5	18
April	20	0	0	0	20
May	5	4	0	1	10
TOTAL	77	4	1.5	3.5	86

Float FC Days: 3

	Class Days	Test Days	Duty Days	FC Days (Fxd+FIt)	Total Days
TOTAL	151	8	3	9	171

DEFINITIONS:

Class Days are regular instructional days. **Test Days** are used for final exams or other end-of-term instructional or professional activities. **Duty Days** are when faculty members engage in duties as assigned by the administration. **Faculty Contract (FC) Days** are used by faculty for activities necessary for the successful accomplishment of their professional responsibilities. These may be **Fixed FC Days** (designated on specific days) or **Float FC Days** (self-scheduled, flexible).
[The above definitions are drawn or derived from the MSCF Contract, Articles 2 and 10, and intended to be compatible with standard interpretations of contract definitions as well as the description of faculty work assignments in Article 11.]

.5 days will be construed as a 3.5-hour block.

NOTES:

Official Course Withdrawal shall be established as the date on which eighty percent (80%) of the instructional days for the course have elapsed.
 Classes in Summer Session shall have flexible start dates and shall not exceed 39 consecutive days.