

Professional Education Programs Calendars

All Education majors will meet with the Professional Education Program office at certain points. These calendars have respective meeting days for Traditional (on-campus) students, Online Elementary and Special Education Students, and MAT students.

Pre-Teacher Meeting - attend the semester before the Residency 1 course

Intent - attend while enrolled in the Residency 1 course

Orientation - attend at the beginning of the Residency 1 & 2 semesters

Seminar - attend while enrolled in the Residency 2 course

Exit - attend at the end of the Residency 2 semester

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Traditional Undergraduate Calendar for Fall 2026 - Spring 2027

This calendar is for **traditional** (in-person) **Capstone and Residency undergraduate** students for the Fall 2026 and Spring 2027 semesters.

Click [FY 26-27 Traditional Undergraduate](#) to download a PDF copy. (Recommended)

August 7, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency II Orientation All undergraduate students in Residency II for Fall 2026. 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. (Location: via TEAMS)
August 18, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency I & Capstone Orientation All Campuses, all undergraduate Fall 2026 Residency I & Capstone Intern students 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (Location: TBD)
August 20, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency I, Residency II, & Capstone Teacher Interns First day of teaching internship for all ELED, Secondary 7-12, and K-12 Education majors. Check with your Mentor Teacher for your report time.
October 14, 2026	Fall 2027-Spring 2028 Residency Information Session - Mid-South Campus Time - TBD (Location: In person)
October 15, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency II & Capstone Teacher Intern Seminar - ALL Campuses All Undergraduate Elementary, Secondary 7-12 and K-12 Education majors join an in-person meeting at Arkansas State University (Exact location TBD) 8:30 am - 12:00 pm & rejoin the in-person session from 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
October 20, 2026	Fall 2027-Spring 2028 Residency Information Session- Beebe Campus Time- TBD (Location: In person)
October 27, 2026	Fall 2027-Spring 2028 Residency Information Session- Mountain Home Campus Time- TBD (Location: In person)

November 14, 2026	Intent to Graduate Application due for Fall 2026 Commencement If you are graduating December 2026, you must fill out the intent to graduate form. <u>This is required whether you are walking at commencement or not!</u>
December 3, 2026	Fall 2026 All Residency I, Residency II, & Capstone Teacher Interns Last full day of teaching internship for all teacher interns *Note any make-up days need to be made after this date.
December 4, 2026	Study Day
December 7, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency II & Capstone Teacher Interns - Exit Evaluation Evaluation of Teaching Internship Experiences for Elementary, Middle Level, Secondary 7-12, and K-12 Education majors. Specific time schedules for each group are TBD. You will be notified of your time by email. Location: via TEAMS
December 12, 2026	Fall 2026 Commencement Ceremony See the Commencement Website for specific times for all majors
December 12, 2026	Degree Conferral Date Please note that this is the date that will be printed on your transcript and diploma. It will not be until the end of January for this date to be conferred on your degree, so please wait until then to apply for licensure.
December 14, 2026	Fall 2026 All Teacher Interns Final Grades due at 12:00 pm (noon) for all graduating teacher interns (Elementary, Middle Level, Secondary 7-12, and K-12) must be posted by University Supervisors.
January 8, 2027	Spring 2026 Residency II Undergraduate Teacher Intern Orientation - All Campuses Elementary, Middle Level, Special Education, Secondary, and K-12 Education majors 9:00 am - 12:00 pm and report back from 1:00 - 3:00 pm Location: TBD
January 11, 2027	Spring 2026 Residency II Teacher Interns First day of teaching internship for all Elementary, Middle Level, Secondary 7-12, and K-12 Education majors. Check with your Mentor Teacher for your report time.
February 11, 2027	Fall 2027 - Spring 2028 Pre-Residency Resident Check Form Meetings This meeting will include all Mountain Home, Beebe, and Mid-South Students (OFF CAMPUS STUDENTS ONLY) Elementary, Middle Level Education majors 10:30 am Location: TEAMS meeting

February 16, 2027	Fall 2027 - Spring 2028 Jonesboro Pre-Residency Resident Check Form Meetings Elementary, Middle Level Education majors - 3:30 pm Secondary 7-12 and K-12 Education majors - 4:30 pm Location: TBD
February 17, 2027	Fall 2027 - Spring 2028 Jonesboro Pre-Residency Resident Check Form Meetings Secondary 7-12 and K-12 Education majors - 3:30 pm Elementary, Middle Level Education majors - 4:30 pm Location: TBD
March 8, 2027	Pre-Residency Forms Due All Fall 2027 - Spring 2028 Residents, submit pre-residency forms to Canvas – PEP Intern Information
March 16, 2027	Spring 2027 Residency II Teacher Intern Seminar - All Campuses All Undergraduate Elementary, Middle Level, Secondary 7-12, and K-12 Education majors join an in-person meeting Location: TBD
March 16, 2027	Career Fair All education students are invited!
April 9, 2027	Intent to Graduate Application due for Spring 2027 Commencement If you are graduating May 2-27, you must fill out the intent to graduate form. <u>This is required whether you are walking at commencement or not!</u>
April 29, 2027	Spring 2027 Residency II Teacher Interns Last full day of teaching internship for all teacher interns. *Note any make-up days need to be made after this date.
April 30, 2027	Study Day
May 3 & 4, 2027	Spring 2027 Residency II Teacher Interns - Exit Evaluation Evaluation of Teaching Internship Experiences for all Elementary, Middle Level, Special Education, Secondary 7-12, and K-12 Education majors. Specific time schedules for each group are TBD, and you will be notified by email. Location: via TEAMS
May 8, 2027	Spring 2027 Commencement Ceremony See the Commencement Website for specific times for all majors
May 8, 2027	Degree Conferral Date Please note that this is the date that will be printed on your transcript and diploma. It will take a minimum of 4 weeks for this date to be conferred on your degree, so please wait until then to apply for licensure.

May 10, 2027

Spring 2027 All Teacher Interns

Final Grades due at 12:00 pm (noon) for all graduating teacher interns (Elementary, Middle Level, Special Education, Secondary 7-12, and K-12) must be posted by University Supervisors.

Online Undergraduate Calendar for Fall 2026 - Spring 2027

This calendar is for all **Online** Undergraduate **Residency I & II** Elementary Education K-6 and Special Education K-12 majors for the Fall 2026 and Spring 2027 semesters.

Click [FY 26-27 Online Undergraduate](#) to download a PDF copy. (Recommended)

August 17, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency I Orientation All Residency I Online Undergraduate Elementary and Special Education majors 9:00 am - 3:30 pm Location: via TEAMS
August 19, 2026	Fall 2025 Residency I & II Teacher Interns First day of teaching internship for all education majors. Check with your Mentor Teacher for your report time.
October 7, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency I Seminar All Residency I Online Undergraduate Elementary and Special Education majors 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
November 10, 2026	Fall 2027 - Spring 2028 - Residency Informational Meetings Online Undergraduate Elementary and Special Education majors. 3:30 p.m.- 4:30 p.m. Location: via TEAMS
November 14, 2026	Intent to Graduate Application due for Fall 2026 Commencement If you are graduating December 2026, you must fill out the intent to graduate form. <u>This is required whether you are walking at commencement or not!</u>
December 3, 2026	Fall 2026 All Teacher Interns Last full day of Residency I & II for all education majors
December 4, 2026	Study Day

December 7, 2026	Fall 2026 Residency II Teacher Interns - Exit Evaluation Evaluation of Teaching Internship Experiences for all Education majors. Specific time schedules for each group are TBD. Location: via TEAMS
December 13, 2025	Fall 2026 Commencement Ceremony See the Commencement Website for specific times for all majors
December 13, 2025	Degree Conferral Date Please note that this is the date that will be printed on your transcript and diploma. It will not be until the end of January for this date to be conferred on your degree, so please wait until then to apply for licensure.
January 7, 2027	Spring 2027 Residency II Seminar All Residency II Online Elementary and Special Education majors 9:00 am -12:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
January 11, 2027	Spring 2027 Residency II Teacher Interns First day of Residency II for all Elementary and Special Education majors. Check with your Mentor Teacher for your report time.
February 9, 2027	Fall 2027 Residency I Online Undergraduate Pre-Residency Intern Check Form Meetings Elementary Education - 3:30 p.m. Location: via TEAMS
February 10, 2027	Fall 2027 Residency I Online Undergraduate Pre-Residency Intern Check Form Meetings Special Education - 3:30 p.m. Location: via TEAMS
March 3, 2027	Fall 2027 Residency I Online Elementary Education and Special Education Pre-Residency forms due. Submit to Canvas - PEP Intern Information Online.
March 11, 2027	Spring 2027 Online Elementary Education and Special Education - Licensure Seminar 4:00 - 5:30 pm Location: via TEAMS
March 16, 2027	Education Career Fair All online undergraduate Elementary and Special Education majors are invited to attend the Education Career Fair at the Cooper Alumni Center on A-State's campus from 10:00 am - 12:00pm
April 9, 2027	Intent to Graduate Application due for May 2027 Commencement

April 29, 2027	Spring 2027 All Teacher Interns Last full day of Residency II for Elementary and Special Education majors
April 30, 2027	Study Day
May 3 & 4, 2027	Spring 2027 Residency II Teacher Interns - Exit Evaluation Evaluation of Teaching Internship Experiences for all Education majors. Specific time schedules for each group are TBD. Location: via TEAMS
May 8, 2027	Spring 2027 Commencement Ceremony See the Commencement Website for specific times for all majors
May 8, 2026	Degree Conferral Date Please note that this is the date that will be printed on your transcript and diploma. It will be 4 - 8 weeks for this date to be conferred on your degree, so please wait until then to apply for licensure.
May 10, 2027	Spring 2027 All Teacher Interns Final Grades due at 12:00 pm/noon for all graduating teacher interns must be posted by University Supervisors.

MAT Calendar for Fall 2026 - Spring 2027

This calendar is for **Capstone** and **Residency I & II** students in the Elementary, Middle Level, Business, Art, and Special Education **Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT)** programs and the **Certificate for PreK Academy** program for the Fall 2026 and Spring 2027 semesters.

Click [FY 26-27 Calendar MAT & PreK](#) to download a PDF copy. (Recommended)

July 23, 2026	Fall 2026 MAT Capstone, Residency I, and PreK Academy Orientation All PreK Academy and MAT Art, Business, Elementary Education, Middle-Level Education, and Special Education majors 9:00 am - 12:00 pm and report back from 1:00 – 3:30 pm. Location: via TEAMS
August 19, 2026	Fall 2026 MAT Capstone, Residency I, and PreK Academy Interns First day of teaching internship for all PreK Academy and MAT Education majors. Check with your Mentor Teacher for your report time.
October 13, 2026	Fall 2026 MAT Capstone Interns Seminar All CAPSTONE MAT Art, Business, Elementary, Mid-Level, and Special Education majors 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
October 13, 2026	Fall 2026 MAT and PreK Academy Residency I Seminar All RESIDENCY I PreK Academy and MAT Art, Business, Elementary, Mid-Level, and Special Education majors 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
November 13, 2026	Intent to Graduate Application due for Fall 2026 Commencement If you are graduating December 2026, you must fill out the intent to graduate form. This is required whether you are walking at commencement or not!
December 3, 2026	Fall 2026 MAT Capstone, Residency I, and PreK Academy Interns Last full day of teaching internship for all MAT and PreK Academy Teacher Interns.

December 4, 2026	Study Day
December 7, 2026	Fall 2026 MAT Capstone Teacher Interns Exit Evaluation and Evaluation of Teaching Internship Experiences for all MAT Capstone Elementary, Middle Level, Business, Art, and Special Education majors. Specific time schedules for each group are TBD. You will be notified of your time by email. Location: via TEAMS
December 12, 2026	Fall 2026 Commencement Ceremony See the Commencement Website for specific times for all majors
December 12, 2026	Degree Conferral Date Please note that this is the date that will be printed on your transcript and diploma. It will not be until the end of January for this date to be conferred on your degree, so please wait until then to apply for licensure.
January 7, 2027	Spring 2027 MAT and PreK Academy Residency II Orientation All PreK Academy and MAT Art, Business, Elementary Education, Middle-Level Education, and Special Education (K-12) majors 8:30 am - 12:00 pm and report back from 1:00 - 4:00 pm. Location: via TEAMS
January 11, 2027	Spring 2027 MAT & Pre-K Academy Residents First day of Residency II for all majors. Check with your Mentor Teacher for your report time.
February 11, 2027	Fall 2027- Spring 2028 MAT & Pre-K Academy Pre-Residency Meeting This meeting is for all MAT and PreK Academy students who plan to start Residency I in Fall of 2027 and Residency II in Spring 2028. 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
February 18, 2027	Fall 2027- Spring 2028 MAT & Pre-K Academy Pre-Residency Meeting This meeting is for all MAT and PreK Academy students who plan to start Residency I in Fall of 2027 and Residency II in Spring 2028. 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
March 2, 2027	Fall 2027- Spring 2028 MAT & Pre-K Academy Interns Pre-Residency Intent forms due Submit to Canvas - PEP Intern Information MAT

March 9, 2027	Spring 2027 MAT and PreK Academy Residency II Seminar All RESIDENCY II PreK Academy and MAT Art, Business, Elementary, Mid-Level, and Special Education majors 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm Location: via TEAMS
April 9, 2027	Intent to Graduate Application due for Spring 2027 Commencement If you are graduating May 2027, you must fill out the intent to graduate form. This is required whether you are walking at commencement or not!
April 29, 2027	Spring 2027 PreK Academy and MAT Residency II Last full day of Residency II for all PreK Academy and MAT Teacher Interns.
April 30, 2027	Study Day
May 3-4, 2027	Spring 2027 PreK Academy and MAT Residency II Exit Evaluation and Evaluation of Teaching Internship Experiences for all PreK Academy and MAT Elementary, Middle Level, Business, Art, and Special Education majors. Specific time schedules for each group are TBD. You will be notified of your time by email. Location: via TEAMS
May 8, 2027	Spring 2027 Commencement Ceremony See the Commencement Website for specific times for all majors
May 8, 2027	Degree Conferral Date Please note that this is the date that will be printed on your transcript and diploma. It will be 4 - 8 weeks for this date to be conferred on your degree, so please wait until then to apply for licensure.