

Academic Calendar Fairbanks Campus

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Fall 2011

Registration and fee payment for degree-seeking students for fall 2011 semester begin	Monday, April 4
Registration and fee payment for non-degree-seeking students for fall 2011 semester begin	Wednesday, April 6
Deadline for applications for admission for fall semester (UA Scholars)	Sunday, May 1
Deadline for applications for admission for fall semester (graduate student)	Wednesday, June 1
Deadline for applications for admission for fall semester (undergraduate student)	Wednesday, June 15
Deadline to apply for summer 2011 graduation	Friday, July 15
Residence halls open, 8 a.m.	Sunday, Aug. 28
Orientation for new students	Sunday – Wednesday, Aug. 28 – Aug. 31
First day of instruction/late registration begins	Thursday, Sept. 1
Labor Day (offices closed — no classes, registration or fee payment)	Monday, Sept. 5
Deadline for adding classes, late registration and fee payment, 6 p.m. in person; midnight at UAOnline	Friday, Sept. 9
Deadline for 100 percent refund of tuition and fees	Friday, Sept. 9
Deadline for student-initiated and faculty-initiated drops (course does not appear on academic record)	Friday, Sept. 16
Deadline for 50 percent refund of tuition (tuition only, no fees refunded)	Friday, Sept. 16
Freshmen progress reports due	Friday, Oct. 7
Deadline to apply for fall 2011 graduation	Saturday, Oct. 15
Deadline for student-initiated and faculty-initiated withdrawals (W grade appears on academic transcript)	Friday, Oct. 28
Spring 2012 course listing available at UAOnline	Monday, Oct. 31
Registration and fee payment for degree-seeking students for spring 2012 semester begin	Monday, Nov. 14
Registration and fee payment for non-degree-seeking students for spring 2012 semester begin	Monday, Nov. 21
Thanksgiving holidays (most offices closed)	Thursday – Sunday, Nov. 24 – 27
Last day of instruction	Monday, Dec. 12
Final examinations	Wednesday – Saturday, Dec. 14 – 17
Residence halls close, noon	Sunday, Dec. 18
Deadline for faculty to post grades, noon	Wednesday, Dec. 21
Winter holiday — most offices closed (reopens Jan. 4 at 8 a.m.)	Saturday – Tuesday, Dec. 24 – Jan. 3

Spring 2012

Deadline for applications for admission for spring semester (graduate student)	Saturday, Oct. 15
Deadline for applications for admission for spring semester (undergraduate student)	Tuesday, Nov. 1
Registration and fee payment for degree-seeking students for spring 2012 semester begin	Monday, Nov. 14
Registration and fee payment for non-degree-seeking students for spring 2012 semester begin	Monday, Nov. 21
WINTERmester courses begin	Wednesday, Jan. 4
Deadline for WINTERmester student-initiated and faculty-initiated withdrawals (W grade appears on academic transcript)	Wednesday, Jan. 11
Alaska Civil Rights Day (most offices closed)	Monday, Jan. 16
Residence halls open, 8 a.m.	Tuesday, Jan. 17
Orientation for new students	Wednesday, Jan. 18
First day of instruction/late registration begins	Thursday, Jan. 19
Deadline for adding classes, late registration and fee payment, 6 p.m. in person; midnight at UAOnline	Friday, Jan. 27
Deadline for 100 percent refund of tuition and fees	Friday, Jan. 27
Deadline for student-initiated and faculty-initiated drops (course does not appear on academic record)	Friday, Feb. 3
Deadline for 50 percent refund of tuition (tuition only, no fees refunded)	Friday, Feb. 3
Summer 2012 course listings available at UAOnline	Monday, Feb. 6
Deadline to apply for spring 2012 graduation	Wednesday, Feb. 15
Deadline for UA Foundation and privately funded scholarship applications	Wednesday, Feb. 15
Freshmen progress reports due	Friday, Feb. 24
Summer Sessions registration begins	Monday, Feb. 27
Spring break (no classes)	Monday – Friday, March 12 – 16
University holiday (most offices closed for spring break)	Friday, March 16
Deadline for student-initiated and faculty-initiated withdrawals (W grade appears on academic transcript)	Friday, March 23
Fall 2012 course listings available at UAOnline	Monday, March 26
Registration and fee payment for degree-seeking students for fall 2012 semester begin	Monday, April 2
Registration and fee payment for non-degree-seeking students for fall 2012 semester begin	Monday, April 9
UAF SpringFest (no classes)	Friday, April 27
Last day of instruction	Friday, May 4
Final examinations	Monday – Thursday, May 7 – 10
Commencement	Sunday, May 13
Residence halls close, noon	Monday, May 14
Deadline for faculty to post grades, noon	Wednesday, May 16



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- Alaska Police Standards
- American Association of Museums
- American Bar Association
- American Chemical Society
- Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
- Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs: Dental Hygiene, Medical Assisting and Paramedic Program
- Commission on Dental Accreditation
- Computing Accreditation Commission of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology
- Council on Social Work Education
- Federal Aviation Administration
- National Association of Schools of Music
- National Automotive Technicians Education Foundation
- National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education and Alaska State Board of Education
- Society of American Foresters

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English majors Mami Takase, left, and Namiko Takato wave while hanging out in Cornerstone Plaza on the first day of class in the fall semester.

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