Culver Academies Academic Calendar

### Important Dates for SY 2024 - 2025

**8/12:** All Faculty and Staff return  
**8/14:** Classes of 2025 and 2026 (returning), New International Students, returning Band cadets arrive  
**8/15:** Culver2theMax, Class of 2027 (returning) arrive  
**8/17:** New Students (domestic) arrive  
**8/19:** First Day of GP1, Term 1  
**9/16:** First Day of GP2  
**9/18:** Pictures / Comments Writing  
**9/26 – 9/29:** Fall Parents Weekend  
**9/27:** Live the Legacy Auction  
**10/9:** PSAT, Advising Programming  
**10/21:** First Day of GP3, Term 2  
**11/11:** Veterans Day (Special Sched.)  
**11/18:** First Day of GP4  

1/6: Academic Leadership retreat  
1/7: Academic and Student Life Faculty and Staff PD  
1/8: First Day of GP5, Term 3  
1/20: MLK, Jr. Day (Special Schedule)  
1/28: Day of Spirit  
2/12: First Day of GP6  
3/5: School Day SAT/PSAT  
3/31: First Day of GP7, Term 4  
4/10: Alternative Student Programming  
4/29: First day of GP8  
5/2: Sr. Dinner Dance  
5/16: Honors Day / Alumni Weekend  
5/26: Memorial Day (Special Sched.)  
5/29: Final Day of Term 4  

5/30: Commencement Events  
5/31: Baccalaureate, Convocation, Final Ball  
6/1: Graduation and Final Formation for Class of 2025  

**Blackout Dates for 2024 – 2025**  
10/15, 10/16, 10/21, 10/22, 11/21, 11/22, 12/2, 12/3, 12/19, 12/20, 1/8, 1/9, 2/5, 2/6, 2/12, 2/13, 3/12, 3/13, 3/31, 4/1, Final Week of Classes  

**Graduation Dates for 2026 – 2028**  
SY 2025 – 2026: Sunday, May 31  
SY 2026 – 2027: Sunday, June 6  
SY 2027 – 2028: Sunday, June 4
IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 1
Aug 6 – 8: Select Faculty and Counselors Return
Aug 12: All Faculty and Staff Return
Aug 14: Seniors and 1st Classmen, returning Juniors and 2nd Classmen, New International Students, returning Bandsmen, and returning students needing Culver bus transportation Arrive
Aug 15: Culver2theMax, returning Soph/2nd Classmen Arrive
Aug 17: All New Students (Domestic) Arrive
Aug 19: First Day of Term 1
Aug 24: SAT Administered
Aug 25: Matriculation
September 12-14: Ambassador Weekend (Alumni)
Sept 12: Frank Batten Day Retreat
Sept 14: ACT Administered
Sept 15: Dean England Ceremony
Sept 18: Pictures & SL Programming
Sept 26: Fall CPA Board Meeting
Sept 26-29: Parents Weekend, CEF Board of Trustees Meet
Sept 27: Live the Legacy Auction
Sept 28: Fall Ball
Oct 5: SAT Administered
Oct 9: PSAT Day, Advising Programming for Grade 12
Oct 16: Final Day of Term 1
Oct 17: Fall Weekend Leave Begins (6:00 AM)
Oct 20: Fall Weekend Leave Ends (7:00 PM)

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 2
Oct 21: First Day of Term 2
Oct 26: ACT Administered
Nov 2: SAT Administered
Nov 11: Veterans Day and Ceremony – Special Class Schedule
Nov 23: Thanksgiving Leave Begins (6:00 AM)
Dec 1: Thanksgiving Leave Ends (7:00 PM)
Dec 7: SAT Administered
Dec 14: ACT Administered
Dec 15: Vespers (5:30 PM)
Dec 20: Final Day of Term 2 Classes
Dec 21: Winter Leave Begins (6:00 AM)

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 3
Jan 7: Faculty and Counselor Professional Development
Jan 7: Winter Leave Ends (7:00 PM)
Jan 8: First Day of Term 3 Classes
Jan 20: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Special Class Schedule
Jan 26: CGA Crest Ceremony
Jan 28: Day of Spirit (No Classes)
Jan 30 – Feb 1: CEF Board of Trustees Weekend
Feb 6: Winter CPA Board Meeting
Feb 7: Winter Weekend Leave Begins (6:00 AM)
Feb 11: Winter Weekend Leave Ends (7:00 PM)
Feb 21-22: Distinguished Scholarship Weekend
Feb 24: Daivd Brooks, Special Programming Day (No Classes)
Mar 4-5: Culver Annual Review (CAR)
Mar 4-5: Culver Women’s Celebration (CWC)
Mar 5: SAT School Day (11th)/PSAT (9th and First Yr. 10th)
Mar 6-8: Legion Board Meeting & Culver Connections Weekend
March 13: Final Day of Term 3 Classes
March 14: Spring Leave Begins (6:00 AM)

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 4
March 30: Spring Leave Ends (7:00 PM)
March 31: First Day of Term 4 Classes
April 4: Revisit Day
April 5: ACT Administered
April 10: Day of Giving
April TBD: CSSAA Board Meeting
April 10: 9th Grade to Chicago; 11th Grade on College Tours
April 24: Spring CPA Board Meeting
April 24-27: Parents Weekend
May 2: Senior Dinner Dance (No Classes)
May 1-3: CEF Board of Trustees Weekend
May 3: SAT Administered
May 15: Legion Board Meeting
May 16-18: Reunion Weekend
May 16: Academic HONORS Fair
May 26: Gold Star Ceremony – Special Class Schedule
May 29: Final Day of Term 4 Classes
May 31: Baccalaureate, Convocation, and Final Ball
June 1: Graduation and Final Formation
June 27-28: Summer CPA Board Meeting
July 10-12: CEF Board of Trustees Weekend

Select Guest Speakers and Concert Series
Sept 6: Sharon McMahon, “America’s Government Teacher,” Sponsored by the Class of 1962 Student Enrichment Fund
Sept 10: Jennifer B. Wallace, Parents Online
Sept 22: Mountain Film Festival, Sponsored by Casey Olson ‘71
Nov 4: Huffington Concert Series: Uniting Voices Chicago
Feb 24: David Brooks, Sponsored by Class of 1962
March 10: Huffington Concert Series: Astronaut Group 1

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