ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE CALENDAR 2008–09. University of California, Santa Cruz

Spring '09

Winter '09

Key Dates	Fall '08	Winter '09	Spring '09	
QUARTER BEGINS	Sept 20	Jan 5	Mar 30	
	Sat	Mon	Mon	
ORIENTATION See orienta	ation schedule for de	tails.		
INSTRUCTION BEGINS	Sept 25	Jan 6	Mar 30	
	Thur	Tues	Mon	
INSTRUCTION ENDS	Dec 5	Mar 16	June 5	
	Fri	Mon	Fri	
FINAL EXAMINATIONS	Dec 8–11	Mar 17–20	June 8–11	
	Mon–Thur	Tues–Fri	Mon–Thur	
QUARTER ENDS	Dec 11	Mar 20	June 11	
	Thur	Fri	Thur	
COMMENCEMENTS			June 12–14 Fri–Sun	
HOLIDAYS OBSERVED				
Sept. 1–Labor Day		Jan. 19–Martin Luther King, Jr. Day		
Nov. 11–Veterans Day		Feb. 16–Presidents' Day		
Nov. 27-28–Thanksgiving Holidays		March 27–César Chávez Day		
Dec. 24-25, Dec. 31–Winter Holidays		May 25–Memorial Day		
Jan. 1–New Year's Day		July 3–Independence Day		
CAMPUS CLOSURE DATES The campus is closed from Wednesday, December 24 through Thursday, January 1.				

Advising and Advance Enrollment Fall '08 Winter '09 Spring '09

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Continuing and Readmitted Students (includes visitors)						
ADVISING WEEK Continuing and readmitted undergraduates.	May 12–16 Mon–Fri	Nov 5–12 Wed–Wed	Feb 18–24 Wed–Tues			
PRIORITY ENROLLMENT BEGINS Continuing and readmitted graduate and undergraduate students, by appointr	Mon	Nov 13 Thur	Feb 25 Wed			
Open enrollment follows priority enrollment. For more information, see the quarterly Schedule of Classes.						
OPEN ENROLLMENT ENDS Continuing and readmitted students.	Sept 24 Wed	Jan 5 Mon	Mar 29 Sun			

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New Students				
PRIORITY ENROLLMENT				
New graduate students.	June 19 Thur	TBA		
Undergraduates: priority groups and those who attend summer orientation, by appointment	July 9–24 Wed–Thur	TBA		
Undergraduates new to UCSC who do not attend summer orientation	July 25 Fri	TBA		
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OPEN ENROLLMENT ENDS New students	Sept 24 Wed	Jan. 5 Mon		

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BILLING STATEMENTS AVAILABLE ON PORTAL including registration and housing fees.	Aug 29 Fri	Nov 25 Tues	Feb 27 Fri
HOUSING FEES DUE Cashier's Office.	Sept 17 Wed	Dec 19 Fri	Mar 19 Thur
UNDERGRADUATE REGISTRATION FEES DUE Late registration fee of \$50 assessed after this date. Cashier's Office.	Sept 17 Wed	Dec 19 Fri	Mar 19 Thur
STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE Deadline to apply for waiver. Cowell Student Health Center.	Sept 17 Wed	Dec 19 Fri	Mar 19 Thur
MINIMUM CREDIT LIMIT ENFORCED	Sept 17 Wed	Dec 23 Tues	Mar 25 Wed
Twelve credits for undergraduates and five credits for graduates.			
ADD/DROP/SWAP CLASSES BEGINS	Sept 25 Thur	Jan 6 Tues	Mar 30 Mon
UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT DEADLINE Students must be enrolled in one class by this date, or \$50 late enrollment fee assessed.	Sept 29 Mon	Jan 8 Thur	Apr 1 Wed
GRADUATE STUDENT ENROLLMENT AND FEE PAYMENT DEADLINE \$50 late enrollment fee after this date. Cashier's Office.	Oct 3 Fri	Jan 9 Fri	Apr 3 Fri
GRADUATE STUDENT PART-TIME STATUS Deadline to apply for a reduced class load and fees. Department.	Oct 3 Fri	Jan 9 Fri	Apr 3 Fri
CLASS PERMISSION NUMBERS REQUIRED	Oct 4 Sat	Jan 15 Thur	Apr 8 Wed
ADD/DROP/SWAP CLASSES ENDS Deadline to process enrollment transact	Oct 15 Wed tions.	Jan 27 Tues	Apr 17 Fri
GRADE OPTION	Oct 15	Jan 27	Apr 17
Deadline to change grade option. UNDERGRADUATE PART-TIME PROGRAM Deadline to apply for a reduced	Wed Oct 15 Wed	Tues Jan 27 Tues	Fri Apr 17 Fri
class load and fees. Office of the Registr			
ADD BY PETITION BEGINS First day to add a class by petition (\$10 fee). Office of the Registrar.	Oct 16 Thur	Jan 28 Wed	Apr 20 Mon
UNDERGRADUATE WITHDRAW FROM A CLASS BEGINS Students petition for a W (Withdraw) notation. College.	Oct 16 Thur	Jan 28 Wed	Apr 20 Mon
DECLARATION/CHANGE OF MAJOR/MINOR Deadline to file petition. Contact your department for major/minor declaration information.	Oct 24 Fri	Feb 6 Fri	May 1 Fri
CHANGE OF COLLEGE Deadline to file petition to be effective the following quarter. College.	Dec 1 Mon	Feb 27 Fri	May 7 Thur

Fall '08

Fall '08	Winter '09	Spring '09	Summer
Tues	Feb 18	May 11	
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Nov 4	Feb 18	May 11	
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	Mar 20 Fri	June 11 Thur	
Thur	Dec 11	Mar 20	June 11
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Dec 11	Mar 20	Aug 31	
Thur	Fri	Mon	
Dec 16	Mar 25	June 16	
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GRADUATE STUDENTS Deadline to announce for certificate, master's, or Ph.D., or pay for filing fee, if applicable.	Oct 2 Thur	Jan 15 Thur	Apr 9 Thur	June 18 Thur
UNDERGRADUATES	Sept 20-	Jan 5–	March 30-	June 22–
Apply to graduate on portal.*	Oct 24	Feb 6	April 29	July 31
	Sat–Fri	Mon–Fri	Mon–Wed	Mon–Fri
*Students who apply after the deadline	are billed a \$40	late application f	ee.	
GRADUATE STUDENTS	Dec 11	Mar 20	May 28*	Aug 28
Deadline to complete all requirements for degree.	Thur	Fri	Thur	Fri
* Students not participating in June comm	nencement have u	intil June 11 to co	mplete all requirer	ments for deg
UNDERGRADUATES	Dec 11	Mar 20	June 11	Aug 28
Deadline to complete all requirements for degree and for the Office of the	Thur	Fri	Thur	Fri
Registrar to receive transcripts from oth	ner institutions.			

Intercampus Visitor/Exchange Programs

UNDERGRADUATES Deadline. Office of the Registrar.	Apr 30	Oct 31	Jan 31 (Oct 1, UC Berkeley, UC Merced)
GRADUATE STUDENTS	Aug 15	Nov 15	Feb 15
Deadline to file application.	(Apr 30, 2008,		
Division of Graduate Studies.	UĈ Berkele	ey,	
	UC Merced	Ď	

Financial Aid

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION FOR UNDERGRADUATES

• File the free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by

March 2 prior to each fall quarter at *http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/* for enrollment in fall 2008, file by March 2, 2008 for enrollment in fall 2009, file by March 2, 2009

 Complete financial aid file by providing all supporting documentation requested by the Financial Aid Office by June 1 of each year (prior to each fall quarter), and December 21* (for winter 2009 admits).
 * Date added after publication.

• FAFSA applications received after the March 2 priority deadline will be reviewed after those received on time have been processed. Late applicants will be considered on a funds-available basis.

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION FOR GRADUATES

• To apply for federal student loans, file the Free Application for Federal Aid (FAFSA) each year at *http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/*.

• To apply for other types of graduate support, contact your academic department.

Readmission

READMISSION APPLICATION

 Undergraduates

 Filing deadline for priority enrollment.

 Office of Admissions.

 Fall '08
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 Apr 1, 2008
 Oct 1, 2008

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Spring '09 Jan 1, 2009 Thur



READMISSION APPLICATION FINAL FILING DEADLINEUndergraduates: Office of Admissions.Graduates: Division of Graduate Studies.July 31, 2008Oct 31, 2008Jan 31, 2009ThurFriSat

For more information on procedures and deadlines, including links to the UCSC *General Catalog* and *Navigator Undergraduate Handbook*, go to *reg.ucsc.edu*.

Graduate students may also refer to the *Graduate Student* Handbook at graddiv.ucsc.edu/regulations/handbook.php.

A printable version of this calendar is available at *reg.ucsc.edu/ calendar/calendar.pdf;* for key dates, go to *reg.ucsc.edu/calendar/2008_09.htm*

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