

BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE 2024-2025 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

MONTHS OF INSTRUCTION	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	NOTATIONS
AUGUST					1	2	3	
7 days of instruction	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
2 Flex days	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Aug. 16 – Return to Regular Operating Hours ¹
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	Aug. 22 - 23 – Flex Days
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Aug. 24 – Instruction Begins, Fall
SEPTEMBER								
24 days of instruction	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Sept. 2 – Labor Day ²
	8	GPS	10	11	12	13	14	
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
	22	GPS	24	25	26	27	28	
	29	30						
OCTOBER			1	2	3	4	5	
27 days of instruction	6	GPS	8	9	10	11	12	
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
	20	GPS	22	23	24	25	26	
	27	28	29	30	31			
NOVEMBER						1	2	
22 days of instruction	3	GPS	5	6	7	8	9	
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Nov. 11 – Veteran’s Day ²
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	Nov. 28 - Thanksgiving Day ²
	24	GPS	26	27	28	29	30	Nov. 29 – Thanksgiving Recess ^{2,3}
DECEMBER								
12 days of instruction	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Dec. 9-13- Final Exams, End of Fall Semester
Total instructional days for Fall: 92	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Dec. 16 - Jan. 17 – Winter Recess ⁴
Total Flex days for Fall: 2	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	Dec. 23 - Jan. 3 – Winter Break ⁴
Total semester days for Fall: 94	29	30	31					Dec. 24-25 – Christmas Day Recess ²
JANUARY				1	2	3	4	Jan. 1 – New Year’s Day ²
17 days of instruction	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Jan 17 – Flex Day
1 Flex day	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Jan. 18 – Instruction Begins, Spring
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	Jan. 20 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day ²
	26	27	28	29	30	31		

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2. Classified, Confidential & Management Holidays.
3. Dates are tentative pending recommendation from a districtwide task force to research the viability of extending Thanksgiving Recess.
4. Districtwide business closure for Winter Break. Dates to be agreed upon between District and CSEA.
5. Summer session classes may run any dates within the twelve (12) weeks noted.

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FEBRUARY							1	
22 days of instruction	2	3 GPS	4	5	6	7	8	
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Feb. 14 – Lincoln Day ²
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	Feb. 17 – Washington Day ²
	23	24	25	26	27	28		
MARCH							1	
20 days of instruction	2	3 GPS	4	5	6	7	8	
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
	16	17 GPS	18	19	20	21	22	
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
	30	31						
APRIL			1	2	3	4	5	
26 days of instruction	6	7 GPS	8	9	10	11	12	
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	April 14-18 – Spring Recess, April 18 – Spring Recess ²
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	April 20 - Easter
	27	28 GPS	29	30				
MAY – 8 days of Instruction					1	2	3	May 10 - May 16 - Final Exams. Spring
Total Flex days for Spring: 1	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	May 16 – End of Spring Semester & Commencement
Total semester days for Spring: 94	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	May 19 – Summer Session Begins ⁴
Total days for 2024-25: 188	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	May 19-Summer Operating Hours Begins ¹
14 days of Summer instruction in May	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	May 26 – Memorial Day ²
JUNE								
20 days of instruction	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	June 19 – Juneteenth ²
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
	29	30						
JULY			1	2	3	4	5	July 4 – Independence Day ²
22 days of instruction	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
	27	28	29	30	31			
AUGUST – 1 day of instruction						1	2	Aug. 8 – Summer Session Ends
Total days of Summer instruction: 57	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	

The academic calendar will be developed in accordance with BP/AP 4010.

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