

2025-2026 Academic Year Calendar for Retention, Tenure, & Promotion		Probationary Plan New or Revised
AUGUST/SEPTEMBER		---
Fall Semester Begins. Faculty are on contract.		Mon, Aug 18, 2025
Faculty Affairs Opens Cases that are mandated to file, and continues to open requested.		Mon, Aug 18, 2025
Instruction Begins		Wed, Aug 20, 2025
Labor Day		Mon, Sep 1, 2025
Evaluation Criteria made available to faculty by 14th day of instruction. Article 15.3		Wed, Sep 3, 2025
Department chair 1) declares in writing intent for all reviews to the Dean; and 2) certifies members of the elected committee to the Dean and Faculty Affairs. Email committee list to Faculty Affairs indicating review type committees for each.		Wed, Sep 3, 2025
OCTOBER		---
Consultation period to create the first draft of the Probationary Plan ends. Case File closes, load your plan into the case, and faculty submits case. Faculty member emails Word document to the Chair		Oct 20, 2025 5:00 PM
Department Level consultation period for Probationary Plan.		10/20/25 - 11/4/25
NOVEMBER		---
Load 1) New draft Plan is loaded into the case along with a 2) Summary changes (if any) and 3) Document describing unresolved issues if any. Then 4) Forward the case to the College Level. Email 5) Email word document of the last draft version to the Dean		Tue, Nov 4, 2025
Veteran's Day		Tue, Nov 11, 2025
Thanksgiving Break Begins		Mon, Nov 24, 2025
Thanksgiving Break Ends		Fri, Nov 28, 2025
DECEMBER		---
College Level consultation period Committee and Faculty Member.		11/5/25 - 12/12/25
Load 1) New draft Plan is loaded into the case along with a 2) Summary changes (if any) and 3) Document describing unresolved issues if any. Then 4) Forward the case to the Dean for review. Email 5) Email word document of the last draft version to the Dean		Fri, Dec 12, 2025
Fall Semester Ends;		Mon, Dec 22, 2025
JANUARY		---
Spring Semester Begins		Thu, Jan 15, 2026
Spring Instruction Begins		Thu, Jan 15, 2026
FEBRUARY		---
President's Day		Mon, Feb 16, 2026
MARCH		---
Spring Break Begins		Mon, Mar 30, 2026
Cesar Chavez Day		Tue, Mar 31, 2026
APRIL		---
MAY		---
Anticipated Date for Probationary Plans		Fri, May 15, 2026