Important dates for spring start students 2026

NOVEMBER

Early November — Housing Contract and Preferences available through The Nest, Messiah's Housing Portal

DECEMBER

Student ID Photo due

Course registration begins at 10:30 a.m.

(Enrollment deposit due no later than Nov. 30 to be eligible to register for classes on Dec. 2)

8 Housing Contract and Preferences due

Ebills are updated weekly, based on your course registration date. Spring 2026 bill payments are due prior to arrival on campus.

Health forms due

Last day to apply for parking privileges
Final day to change your major online

Remember to submit your final transcript from your most recent school

JANUARY

Ebills are updated weekly, based on your course registration date. Spring 2026 student bill payments are due prior to your arrival on campus.

New Student Arrival and Orientation begins

First day of classes

Last day to enroll in 6-month payment plan

FEBRUARY

Last day to waive student health insurance

Last day to enroll in 5-month Monthly Payment Option plan



