

# Important Registration Activities Dates and Deadlines

Activity	Fall 2018	What You Need to Know or Do
<b>PRIORITY REGISTRATION</b> <b>Continuing Students:</b> By Scheduled Appointments & Open Enrollment Period  <b>New Students:</b> By Summer Orientation Only By Scheduled Appointments  New "Graduate" Classified Students	April 9–May 18  June 4–July 26 July 30–August 1  July 23–August 1	<b>Continuing Students</b> — Your enrollment appointment will be posted in your <a href="#">Student Center</a> prior to the start of registration. You may make changes to your class schedule until the priority period ends. Plan your course of study prior to your enrollment appointment by meeting with your department advisor and an academic advisor in <a href="#">Academic Advising Programs</a> . Check your <a href="#">Student Center</a> for holds or fees due. Holds may be placed at any time and can restrict registration activity or financial aid.  <b>New Students</b> — Participate in Summer Orientation for academic advising and registration of courses. Participants receive earliest possible access to registration.  See " <a href="#">The Step-By-Step Guide to Registration</a> " on the Chico Web.
<b>Registration and Tuition Fee Payment Deadline</b>	<b>Fee Payment Due Date(s) Below:</b>	
Registration: April 9–August 1	August 1	<b>All Students:</b> Your registration and tuition fee payment must be received by the due date that corresponds with your registration date or your classes will be dropped.  <b>Financial Aid Students:</b> You must pay any difference between your pending financial aid and your registration and tuition fees by the date that corresponds with your registration date. Review the " <a href="#">Using Your Aid to Pay Charges</a> " video for help. You will not be allowed to add classes during the Course Add/Drop Period if registration and tuition fees are not paid.
Registration: August 2–August 16	August 16	
Registration: August 17–September 7	Immediately	
<b>Open Registration Add/Drop Period for All Students</b>	August 6–September 7	Use this period for late registration and to add or drop classes. To add classes, you must have paid fees or have sufficient pending financial aid to pay fees. Use the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> to add courses which require permission to register or follow department procedures. All other courses may be added or dropped using the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> . If you are dropping all classes, see the <a href="#">Withdrawal Procedures</a> or go to the <a href="#">Office of the Registrar</a> (SSC 110) for help.
<b>Wildcat Welcome Activities Begin</b>	August 23	Wildcat Welcome provides a wide range of orientation activities and events for new freshmen and transfer students. The mandatory welcome and department meetings for new students are held the Friday before school starts.
<b>Financial Aid Disbursement</b>	August 23	First financial aid disbursement for Fall 2018.
<b>Drop Deadline For Full Financial Credit</b>	August 26 October 29 is the final deadline to receive pro-rata refund for financial credit	You must drop all your classes before the first day of classes to receive a full refund of registration, tuition fee and non-resident tuition (less a \$5 administrative fee). Classes dropped after this date but by the final deadline (October 29) will receive a pro-rata refund of fees and non-resident tuition. Classes dropped after the final deadline will not receive any financial credit for refund. See <a href="#">Fees, Tuition, Credit and Refunds</a> .
<b>First Day of Classes</b>	<b>August 27, 2018</b>	Attend all classes in which you are enrolled or which are on your wait list. Faculty have the right to disenroll students who do not attend to make room for students who wish to enroll.
<b>End of Course Add/Drop Period (weeks 1 and 2 of term)</b>	September 7	This is the last day to add or drop classes using your <a href="#">Student Center</a> . After this date you must have instructor or department approval to add or drop. See the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> on the <a href="#">Student Records and Registration</a> website for additional information. You are financially responsible for any classes in which you are enrolled as of this date plus any classes in which you subsequently enroll.
<b>Limited Course Add/Drop Period (weeks 3 and 4 of term)</b>	September 10–21	You must use the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> to add, drop, or change grade option during this time, and the approval signature of the instructor is required.
<b>University Census</b>	<b>September 21, 2018</b>	Financial aid awards will be adjusted for enrollment. Awards may be reduced for students enrolled in fewer than full-time units. See <a href="#">University Census and Financial Aid and Eligibility and Enrollment</a> .
<b>Restricted Course Add/Drop Period</b>	September 24–November 16	You must have a serious and compelling reason to add or drop classes at this time. You must use the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> , and obtain the approval signatures of the instructor, chair, and dean. To formally withdraw from the University, contact the <a href="#">Office of the Registrar</a> .
<b>Final Course Drop Period</b> *Does NOT include Thanksgiving Break or Finals week	November 26–December 13	To drop a class during this period, you must have a verifiable serious illness or accident with circumstances clearly beyond your control. Request for withdrawal must be received in the <a href="#">Academic Advising Office</a> no later than 5 p.m. on the Thursday prior to finals week.
<p>➤It is vital that the University have current address and telephone information for contacting you during your career at CSU, Chico.                      Access your <a href="#">Student Center</a> online to update your contact information and your emergency contact information.</p> <p>➤At California State University, Chico e-mail is the essential method for communicating official University business with students. Each student is provided with a campus WildcatMail account. Review the contents of your WildcatMail account on a frequent and regular basis. Official notifications from the University related to enrollment, academic status, fees, holds, and financial aid will only be sent to your WildcatMail account. If you do not wish to examine your WildcatMail account on a regular basis, you can adjust that account to forward messages to another frequently checked e-mail address.</p>		

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<b>PRIORITY REGISTRATION</b> <b>Continuing Students:</b> By Scheduled Appointments & Open Enrollment Period  <b>New Students:</b> By Scheduled Appointments	October 15– November 16  December 3– December 7	<b>Continuing Students</b> — Your enrollment appointment will be posted in your <a href="#">Student Center</a> prior to the start of registration. You may make changes to your class schedule until the priority period ends. Plan your course of study prior to your enrollment appointment by meeting with your department advisor and an academic advisor in <a href="#">Academic Advising Programs</a> . Check your <a href="#">Student Center</a> for holds or fees due. Holds may be placed at any time and can restrict registration activity or financial aid.  <b>New Students</b> — All new students are encouraged to participate in an orientation session, either in person or online, prior to registering for spring courses.  See <a href="#">The Step-By-Step Guide to Registration</a> on the Chico Web.
<b>Registration and Tuition Fee Payment Deadline</b>	<b>Fee Payment Due Date(s) Below:</b>	
Registration: Oct. 15–December 13	December 13	<b>All Students:</b> Your registration and tuition fee payment must be received by the due date that corresponds with your registration date or your classes will be dropped.
Registration: Dec. 13–Jan. 10, 2019	January 10, 2019	<b>Financial Aid Students:</b> You must pay any difference between your pending financial aid and your registration and tuition fees by the date that corresponds with your registration date. Review the <a href="#">Using Your Aid to Pay Charges</a> video for help. You will not be allowed to add classes during the Course Add/Drop Period if registration and tuition fees are not paid.
Registration: January 11–February 1	Immediately	
<b>Open Registration Add/Drop Period for All Students</b>	January 2–February 1	Use this period for late registration and to add or drop classes. To add classes, you must have paid fees or have sufficient pending financial aid to pay fees. Use the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> to add courses which require permission to register or follow department procedures. All other courses may be added or dropped using the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> . If you are dropping all classes, see the <a href="#">Withdrawal Procedures</a> or go to the <a href="#">Office of the Registrar</a> (SSC 110) for help.
Financial Aid Disbursement	January 17	First financial aid disbursement for Spring 2019.
<b>Drop Deadline For Full Financial Credit</b>	January 21 April 4 is the final deadline to receive pro-rata refund for financial credit	<b>You must drop all your classes before the first day of classes to receive a full refund of registration, tuition fee and non-resident tuition (less a \$5 administrative fee).</b> Classes dropped after this date but by the final deadline (April 4) will receive a pro-rata refund of fees and non-resident tuition. Classes dropped after the final deadline will not receive any financial credit for refund. See <a href="#">Fees, Tuition, Credit and Refunds</a> .
<b>First Day of Classes</b>	<b>January 22, 2019</b>	<b>Attend all classes in which you are enrolled or which are on your wait list.</b> Faculty have the right to disenroll students who do not attend to make room for students who wish to enroll.
<b>End of Course Add/Drop Period (weeks 1 and 2 of term)</b>	February 1	<b>This is the last day to add or drop classes using your <a href="#">Student Center</a>.</b> After this date you must have instructor or department approval to add or drop. See the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> on the <a href="#">Student Records and Registration</a> website for additional information. <b>You are financially responsible for any classes in which you are enrolled as of this date plus any classes in which you subsequently enroll.</b>
<b>Limited Course Add/Drop Period (weeks 3 and 4 of term)</b>	February 4-15	You must use the <a href="#">Class Add and Drop Request Process</a> to add, drop, or change grade option during this time, and the approval signature of the instructor is required.
<b>University Census</b>	<b>February 15, 2019</b>	Financial aid awards will be adjusted for enrollment. Awards may be reduced for students enrolled in fewer than full-time units. See <a href="#">University Census and Financial Aid and Eligibility and Enrollment</a> .
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