

CALENDAR AY 2026-2027
U. S. MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMY
Kings Point, New York

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EVENTS

JUNE 2026

Friday	19	Juneteenth – Federal Holiday
Monday	22	Commencement – Class of 2026

End of Academic Year 2025-2026

Monday	29	Summer Session – Classes begin
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JULY 2026

Friday	3	Independence Day (Observed) – Federal Holiday
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Friday- Thursday	3-9	Sail 4 th 250
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Sunday	5	Indoc Detail Reports 0800
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Thursday	9	Indoctrination begins for the Class of 2030
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Friday	24	Indoctrination ends for the Class of 2030
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Summer Session Ends

Monday	27	Registration for First Term Time: 0930 – 1130 Location: To be announced
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New Faculty Orientation

Tuesday	28	Professional Development Session for Faculty & Staff
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Faculty Recognitions

Wednesday	29	First Term Classes begin
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AUGUST 2026

Saturday	1	Peter J. Rackett '61 Memorial Run
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Monday	3	Academic Convocation Time: TBD Location: Ackerman Auditorium
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Friday	14	Regimental Parade
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SEPTEMBER 2026

Monday	7	Labor Day – Federal Holiday
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<i>Friday</i>	11	<i>Classes follow a Monday Schedule</i>
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Friday-Sunday	11-13	Parents' Weekend Regimental Parade
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<i>Wednesday</i>	16	<i>Sea Fair Day</i>
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Friday-Sunday	25-27	Homecoming Regimental Parade
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Wednesday	30	U. S. Merchant Marine Academy 83rd Birthday Military Information Night Time: 1545 – 1640
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OCTOBER 2026

Wednesday	7	First Term Final Exam Schedule Published
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Monday	12	Columbus Day – Federal Holiday
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<i>Wednesday</i>	14	<i>Classes follow a Monday Schedule</i>
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Friday	16	Regimental Parade
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<i>Thursday</i>	29	<i>Classes follow a Friday Schedule</i> First Term Classes end
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Friday	30	Reading Day
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NOVEMBER 2026

Monday	2	First Term Final Exam Period Monday, 11/02 – Friday 11/06
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Friday	6	Final Exam Period ends; First Term Ends Fall Leave begins after last scheduled Final Examination Sea Duty begins for the Classes of 2028(A) & 2029(A) after last scheduled final examination of each individual midshipman End of First Term
Wednesday	11	Veterans Day – Federal Holiday
Friday	13	Fall Leave ends; Classes of 2027, 2028(C), 2029(B)/(C) and 2030 report
Saturday	14	Secretaries’ Cup Football Game Location: To be announced

Beginning of Second Term

Monday	16	Registration Day for Second Term Time: 0930 – 1130 Location: To be announced. In-processing for the Classes of 2027(C) & 2029(B)
Tuesday	17	Second Term classes begin
Tuesday	24	Thanksgiving Leave begins at 1640 hrs or after last scheduled class
Thursday	26	Thanksgiving Day – Federal Holiday
Sunday	29	Thanksgiving Leave ends
Monday	30	Second Term Classes reconvene

DECEMBER 2026

Friday	18	Winter Leave begins at 1640 hrs or after last scheduled class
Friday	25	Christmas Day – Federal Holiday

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JANUARY 2027

Friday	1, 2027	New Year's Day – Federal Holiday
Sunday	3	Winter Leave ends
Monday	4	Second Term classes reconvene
Monday	18	Birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr. (Observed) – Federal Holiday
<i>Friday</i>	22	<i>Classes follow a Monday Schedule</i>

FEBRUARY 2027

Tuesday	9	Second Term Final Exam Schedule Published
Monday	15	Washington's Birthday – Federal Holiday
<i>Tuesday</i>	16	<i>Classes follow a Monday Schedule</i>

MARCH 2027

Friday	5	Second Term Classes end
Monday	8	Second Term Final Exam Period begins Monday, 3/8 - Friday 3/12
Friday	12	Second Term Final Exam Period ends; Second Term Ends
		Sea Duty begins for the Class of 2028(C) & 2029(C) after last scheduled final examination of each individual midshipman
		Spring Leave begins after last scheduled Final Examination for the Classes of 2027, 2028(B), 2029(B) & 2030
Sunday	21	Spring Leave ends Classes of 2027, 2028(B), 2029(A)&(B) & 2030 report

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End of Second Term

Monday	22	Registration Day for Third Term Time: 0930 – 11:30 Location: To be announced
In-processing for the Classes of 2028(B) & 2029(A)		

Beginning of Third Term

Tuesday	23	Third Term Classes begin
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APRIL 2027

<i>Thursday</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Military Information Night (Tentative)</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Shipping Out Fair (Tentative)</i>
Friday	9	Regimental Parade
Wednesday	21	Shipyards Management Capstone Design Project Presentations Time: 0900 Location: To be determined
Thursday	22	Marine Engineering Systems Capstone Design Project Presentations Time: 0900 Location: To be determined
Friday	23	Flying Bridge Day Regimental Parade

MAY 2027

Tuesday	4	Third Term Final Exam Schedule Published for the Class of 2027
Friday	21	Third Term Classes end for the Class of 2027
Monday	24	Final Examinations begin for the Class of 2027
Wednesday	26	Third Term Final Exam Schedule Published for the Classes of 2028(B), 2029(A) & (B) and 2030
Friday	28	Final Examinations end for the Class of 2027

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Monday	31	Memorial Day – Federal Holiday
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JUNE 2027

<i>Wednesday</i>	2	<i>Classes follow a Monday Schedule</i>
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Monday	7	USCG License Examinations begin for the Class of 2027 , Deck and Engine
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Thursday	10	USCG License Examinations end for the Class of 2027 , Deck and Engine
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Thursday	17	Third Term classes end for the Classes of 2028(B), 2029(A)&(B) and 2030
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Friday	18	Juneteenth (Observed) – Federal Holiday
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Monday	21	Third Term Final Examinations begin for the Classes of 2028(B), 2029(A)&(B) and 2030
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Thursday	24	Athletic Awards Ceremony Change of Command Ceremony
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Friday	25	Awards Convocation Third Term Finals ends for the Classes of 2028(B), 2029(A)&(B) and 2030; Third Term ends Sea Duty begins for the Class of 2029(B) & 2030(B)
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Saturday	26	Regimental Parade
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Monday	28	Commencement – Class of 2027 Classes of 2028(B), 2029(A) & 2030(A)/(C) detach for leave after Graduation Summer School Begins
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End of Third Term

End of Academic Year 2026-2027