

# SIT 2025–2026 Academic Calendar\*\*

## Fall 2025: September 2 – December 12

September 1	*Labor Day: US offices closed
September 2	<b>Fall semester begins</b>
September 2-6	Reading Week
September 2-12	<b>Add/drop period for the fall semester</b>
September 7	Students arrive in Sevilla, Spain
September 8-10	Orientation in Sevilla
September 11	Classes begin
October 13	<b>Indigenous People’s Day: US offices closed / Día de la Hispanidad in Spain</b>
October 19-24	Trip to Morocco
November 14-December 1	<b>Online registration for the spring semester</b>
November 27-28	*Thanksgiving Break: US offices closed
December 6	Depart from Sevilla
December 12	<b>Last day of classes / Fall semester ends</b>
December 25–January 5	*SIT Holiday: US offices closed

## Spring 2026: January 20–May 1

January 20	<b>Spring semester begins</b>
January 20-23	Reading week
January 20-30	<b>Add/drop period for Spring semester</b>
January 25	Students arrive in Kathmandu, Nepal
January 26-28	Orientation in Nepal
January 29	Classes begin
February 10	<b>Student deadline for submitting incomplete fall coursework</b>

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February 16	*President's Day: offices closed
March 9-13	Trip to local community in Nepal TBD
April 1-15	<b>Online registration for summer semester</b>
May 1	Last day of classes
May 2	Depart from Kathmandu
May 1	<b>Spring semester ends</b>
<b>Summer 2026: May 18 – August 7</b>	
May 18	<b>Summer Semester begins (students may begin practicum as early as May 11 and no later than May 26)</b>
May 18-June 2	<b>Add/drop period for summer semester</b>
June 19	*Juneteenth observed: US offices closed
July 4	*Independence Day: US offices closed
June 30	Student deadline for submitting incomplete spring coursework
August 1-15	<b>Online registration for fall Semester</b>
August 3-7	Capstone Seminar
August 7	<b>Summer semester ends</b>
August 8	Commencement & degree conferral

**\*\* For more program-specific calendars, please see [Pre-Program Documents](#) which are updated 3-4 months before programs start.**

*SIT's academic calendar is created and maintained by the Calendar Committee. Any questions about the calendar should be referred to the Academic Administrator for the Graduate Institute, Kim Lier at [kim.lier@sit.edu](mailto:kim.lier@sit.edu).*

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