



AJU Academic Calendar 2026-2027

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| Legend | Holidays- AJU Closed |
| | Holidays- Some Closures |
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| | Financial Deadlines |
| | Academic Deadlines |
| | Term Start/End |
| Schools | All Schools & Academic Programs |
| | Masor School for Jewish Education and Leadership (online) |
| | Ziegler School School of Rabbinic Studies (350 S. Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills) |
| | ZSRS |

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| July 2026 | 3 | Fri | Independence Day (Observed) - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 24 | Fri | Last day of classes for MSJEL Summer 2026. Last day to petition for Incompletes. | MSJEL |
| | 24 | Fri | Signed financial aid award letters due to Financial Aid for the 2026-27 Year. Awards must be accepted in the AJU Populi Portal. | AJU |
| | 27 | Mon | Finals Week begins for MSJEL Summer 2026. | MSJEL |
| | 31 | Fri | Summer 2026 Semester ends for MSJEL. Finals Week ends. | MSJEL |
| August 2026 | 17 | Mon | MSJEL New Student Orientation for MAEd ECE and EdD JECL Programs. | MSJEL |
| | 18 | Tue | MSJEL New Student Orientation for BA ECE and MA ECSEI Programs. | MSJEL |
| | 19 | Wed | MSJEL New Student Orientation for EdD ECEL Program. | MSJEL |
| | 21 | Fri | Students receiving Financial Aid may begin to see award disbursements reflected in the AJU Populi Portal. Any eligible refunds will be processed within 14 days of disbursement. You will receive notification from our billing department once your refund is available. | AJU |
| | 24 | Mon | Fall 2026 Semester begins. First day of classes. | AJU |
| | 28 | Fri | First payment due to Student Billing Office for students on payment plan for Fall 2026. Fall 2026 semester tuition due to Student Billing Office for students <u>not</u> on payment plans. | AJU |
| September 2026 | 7 | Mon | Labor Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 11 | Fri | End of eligibility for 100% tuition refund. | AJU |
| | 11 | Fri | Erev Rosh Hashanah - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 14-18 | Mon-Fri | ZSRS closed. AJU administrative offices open & MSJEL classes held. | AJU |
| | 21 | Mon | Yom Kippur - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 22 | Tue | ZSRS resume classes, MSJEL classes held and AJU administrative offices open. | AJU |
| | 25 | Fri | Erev Sukkot. No MSJEL classes. Administrative and ZSRS open regular business hours. | AJU |
| October 2026 | 1 | Thur | Federal Student Deadline: FAFSA for 2027-2028 academic year is open. | AJU |
| | 2 | Fri | Erev Shemini Atzeret. Administrative and ZSRS open regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 5 | Mon | Classes resume for ZSRS and MSJEL during regular hours. | AJU |
| | 12 | Mon | refund of tuition. | AJU |
| | 19 | Mon | MSJEL ECE Extension Fall Session II begins. | MSJEL |
| November 2026 | 16 | Mon | Spring 2027 Registration begins for MSJEL, students must complete Enrollment Agreement in Populi. | MSJEL |
| | 25 | Wed | No classes MSJEL or ZSRS. Professors may offer make-ups. Administration offices open. | AJU |
| | 26 | Thur | Thanksgiving Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 27 | Fri | Day after Thanksgiving - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| December 2026 | 5-12 | Sat-Sat | Hanukkah | AJU |
| | 7 | Mon | ZSRS Spring 2027 Advisement and Registration begins. | ZSRS |
| | 11 | Fri | \$100 Late Registration Fee begins. | AJU |
| | 11 | Fri | Last day of classes. Last day to petition for Incompletes. | AJU |
| | 14 | Mon | Finals Week begins. | AJU |
| | 18 | Fri | Additional \$150 Late Registration Fee begins. | AJU |
| | 18 | Fri | Fall 2026 Semester ends. Finals Week ends. Winter Break for students begins through January 18, 2027. | AJU |
| | 21-24 | Mon-Thur | Administrative Offices open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 25 | Fri | Christmas Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 28-30 | Mon-Wed | Administrative Offices open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| 31 | Thur | New Year's Eve - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU | |

Questions?

| Department | Email | Phone |
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| Registrar Services | registrar@aju.edu | 310-440-1519 |
| Financial Aid | financialaid@aju.edu | 310-440-1500 |
| Student Billing | studentbilling@aju.edu | 310-440-1595 |
| Academic Affairs | academicaffairs@aju.edu | 310-440-1539 |
| IT Support | support@circlemsp.com | (800) 635-8558 option 4 |



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| January 2027 | 1 | Fri | New Year's Day- AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 4 | Mon | Additional \$250 Late Registration Fee begins. | AJU |
| | 4 | Mon | New students starting in Spring 2026: Signed financial aid award letters due to Financial Aid. Awards must be accepted in the AJU Populi Portal. | AJU |
| | 7 | Thur | ZSRS Spring 2027 Winter Intensive Begins. | ZSRS |
| | 8 | Fri | Students receiving Financial Aid may begin to see award disbursements reflected in the AJU Populi Portal. Any eligible refunds will be processed within 14 days of disbursement. You will receive notification from our billing department once your refund is available. | AJU |
| | 15 | Fri | Last day of classes for ZSRS Spring 2027 Winter Intensive. | ZSRS |
| | 18 | Mon | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 19 | Tue | Spring 2027 Semester begins. First day of classes. | AJU |
| February 2027 | 22 | Fri | First payment due to Student Billing Office for students on payment plan for Spring 2027. Spring 2027 semester tuition due to Student Billing Office for those <u>not</u> on payment plans. | AJU |
| | 5 | Fri | Last day for all students to add or drop classes. All students must get the instructor and dean's permission to add a class after deadline. End of eligibility for 100% tuition refund. | AJU |
| | 15 | Mon | President's Day- AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| March 2027 | 26 | Fri | Last day for all students to declare Audit option. Last day for students in all programs to withdraw from classes. End of eligibility for 50% refund of tuition. | AJU |
| | 1 | Mon | State Financial Aid Deadline: CAL Grants and FSEOG for BAECE Students for priority consideration. BAECE students should complete the FAFSA prior to this deadline. | MSJEL |
| | 15 | Mon | MSJEL Summer & Fall 2027 Registration Week begins. MSJEL students must complete Enrollment Agreement in Populi. | MSJEL |
| | 15 | Mon | MSJEL ECE Extension Spring Session II begins. | MSJEL |
| | 22 | Mon | \$100 Late Registration Fee begins for MSJEL. | MSJEL |
| | 22 | Mon | Erev Purim. MSJEL no classes. ZSRS classes end at 3:30pm. AJU Administration offices open. | AJU |
| April 2027 | 23 | Tue | Purim. MSJEL and ZSRS no classes. ZSRS facilities will be closed. AJU administration offices open. | AJU |
| | 12 | Mon | Additional \$150 Late Registration Fee begins for MSJEL. | MSJEL |
| | 19 | Mon | Additional \$250 Late Registration Fee begins for MSJEL. | MSJEL |
| | 19 | Mon | Spring Break begins for MSJEL and ZSRS students. | AJU |
| | 19-20 | Mon-Tue | Administrative Offices open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 21 | Wed | Erev Passover - MSJEL and ZSRS no classes. AJU Administrative offices close at 12:30pm. | AJU |
| | 22 | Thur | Passover 1st Day. AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 23 | Fri | Passover 2nd Day. AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 26-27 | Mon-Tue | Administrative Offices open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 28 | Wed | Passover 7th Day. AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 29 | Thur | Passover 8th Day. AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| May 2027 | 30 | Fri | Administrative Offices open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 30 | Fri | Spring break ends for MSJEL and ZSRS. classes resume Monday, May 3, 2027. | AJU |
| | 3 | Mon | Classes resume for MSJEL and ZSRS. | AJU |
| | 3 | Mon | ZSRS Fall 2027 Advisement/Registration Week begins. | ZSRS |
| | 7 | Fri | \$100 Late Registration Fee begins for ZSRS. | ZSRS |
| | 7 | Fri | Last day of classes. Last day to petition for incompletes. | AJU |
| | 10 | Mon | Finals Week begins. | AJU |
| | 12 | Wed | Yom Ha'atsma'ut - Israeli Independence Day. AJU open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 14 | Fri | Additional \$150 Late Registration Fee begins for ZSRS. | ZSRS |
| | 14 | Fri | Spring 2027 Semester ends. Finals Week ends. | AJU |
| | 19 | Wed | Additional \$250 Late Registration Fee begins for ZSRS. | ZSRS |
| | 19-23 | Wed-Sun | MSJEL EdD Intensive: In-person at AJU's Brandeis-Bardin Campus. | MSJEL |
| June 2027 | 23 | Sun | MSJEL Graduation Commencement Ceremony for BA ECE, MAEd ECE, MAEd ECSEI and EdD ECEL Class of 2027 at Brandeis-Bardin Campus. | MSJEL |
| | 24 | Mon | ZSRS Ordination. | ZSRS |
| | 25 | Tue | Lag BaOmer. AJU open during regular business hours. | AJU |
| | 31 | Mon | Memorial Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 1 | Tue | Summer 2027 Semester begins for MSJEL. First day of classes. | MSJEL |
| | 4 | Fri | First payment due to Student Billing Office for students on payment plan for Summer 2027. Summer 2027 semester tuition due to Student Billing Office for students not on payment plans. | AJU |
| | 10 | Thur | Erev Shavu'ot - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS facilities closes at 4:00pm. | AJU |
| | 11 | Fri | Shavu'ot 1st Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| July 2027 | 18 | Fri | Juneteenth (Observed) - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 4 | Sun | Independence Day - AJU, MSJEL, & ZSRS closed. | AJU |
| | 23 | Fri | Last day of classes for MSJEL Summer 2027. Last day to petition for incompletes. | MSJEL |
| | 23 | Fri | Signed financial aid award letters due to Financial Aid for the 2027-28 Year. Awards must be accepted in the AJU Populi Portal. | AJU |
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