

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

PA KNOXVILLE Class of 2028	
Fall 1 Semester (15 weeks)	
Orientation/Semester begins	August 31, 2026
Thanksgiving Break – no class	November 23-27, 2026
Last day of class	December 11, 2026
Spring 1 Semester (15 weeks)	
Class begins	January 4, 2027
Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No Class	January 18, 2027
Good Friday – No Class	March 26, 2027
Last day of class	April 16, 2027
Summer 1 Semester (15 weeks)	
Class begins	April 19, 2027
Memorial Day – No Class	May 31, 2027
Juneteenth – No Class	June 18, 2027 (observance)
Independence Day – No Class	July 5, 2027 (observance)
Last day of class	July 30, 2027
Fall 2 Semester (14 weeks Didactic/4 weeks Clinical)	
Class begins	August 9, 2027
Labor Day – No Class	September 6, 2027
Last day of class Didactic Phase	November 10, 2027
Clinical Orientation	November 11 – 12, 2027
SCPE Block #1	November 22 – December 17, 2027
Spring 2 Semester (16 weeks)	
SCPE Block #2	January 3 – January 28, 2028
SCPE Block #3	January 31 – February 25, 2028
SCPE Block #4	February 28 – March 24, 2028
SCPE Block #5	March 27 – April 21, 2028
BREAK – No Class	April 24 – April 28, 2028
Summer 2 Semester (16 weeks)	
SCPE Block #6	May 1 – May 26, 2028
SCPE Block #7	May 29 – June 23, 2028
SCPE Block #8	June 26 – July 21, 2028
SCPE Block #9	July 24 – Aug 18, 2028
Fall 3 Semester (14 weeks)	
CLINICAL CONFERENCE / EOC	August 21 – August 25, 2028
SCPE Block #10	August 28 – September 22, 2028
SCPE Block #11	September 15– October 20, 2028
SCPE Block #12	October 23– November 17, 2028
Thanksgiving Break – No Class	November 20 – 24, 2028
Clinical Conference / Clinical Phase Cumulative Assessment/ Summative Evaluation	November 27 – December 1, 2028
TENTATIVE Graduation	December 4, 2028