

**BENJAMIN N. CARDOZO SCHOOL OF LAW**  
**2026-2027 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**  
**ONLINE LLM**

**Summer 2026**

**(May 18 – August 30)**

Monday, May 18	First day of Summer classes for online program
Friday, May 22 – Saturday, May 23	University closed for Shavuot
Monday, May 25	University closed for Memorial Day
Tuesday, May 26	Last day to drop a Summer course with a full tuition refund Last day to register for a Summer course
Monday, June 1	Last day to drop a course without a “W” being recorded on a student’s transcript
Friday, July 3	University closed in observance of Independence Day
Friday, August 21 – Sunday, August 30	Final examinations
Sunday, August 30	Last day of Summer term

**Fall 2026**

**(September 8 – December 20)**

Tuesday, September 8	First day of Fall classes for online program
Saturday, September 12 – Sunday, September 13	University closed for Rosh Hashanah
Monday, September 14	Last day to drop a Fall course with a full tuition refund Last day to register for a Fall course
Friday, September 18	Last day to drop a course without a “W” being recorded on a student’s transcript
Monday, September 21	University closed for Yom Kippur
Saturday, September 26 – Sunday, September 27	University closed for Sukkot
Saturday, October 3 – Sunday, October 4	University closed for Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah
Thursday, November 26 – Friday, November 27	Thanksgiving break – University closed
Friday, December 11 – Sunday, December 20	Final examinations
Sunday, December 20	Last day of Fall term

## Spring 2027

**(January 19 – May 9)**

Tuesday, January 19	First day of Spring classes for online program
Monday, January 25	Last day to drop a Spring course with a full tuition refund Last day to register for a Spring course
Monday, February 1	Last day to drop a course without a “W” being recorded on a student’s transcript
Wednesday, April 21 – Thursday, April 29	Passover and Spring break
Friday, April 30 – Sunday, May 9	Final examinations
Sunday, May 9	Last day of Spring term
Sunday, May 23	Class of 2027 Commencement