

2026-2027 Academy Calendar

Semester dates, studio closures, recital registration, program fees, and performance deadlines

Fall Semester Begins	Week of August 31, 2026
Christmas Recital	Saturday, December 12, 2026
Spring Semester Begins	February 1, 2027
Spring Recital	Saturday, June 12, 2027
Summer Semester Begins	June 14, 2027
Summer Music Festival	Saturday, August 14, 2027

EDITOR OVERVIEW

This document contains the approved calendar copy for the Musical Living Academy website. Dates are grouped by semester and event so each section can be transferred directly to the appropriate website calendar or information page.

Standard Recital Registration	\$35
Late Recital Registration	\$45, if space remains
Program Enhancement Fee	\$40, charged April 10, 2027

FALL 2026-2027

SEMESTER DATES

Fall Semester Begins	Week of August 31, 2026
Thanksgiving Break	November 22-28, 2026 — Studio Closed
Christmas & New Year Break	December 20, 2026 - January 2, 2027 — Studio Closed

FALL INTRO CLASSES

New Fall Intro Class Launch	Classes begin the week of August 31, 2026
Enrollment Window	August 31 - September 19, 2026

Enrollment closes three weeks after each new class launches. Continuing Intro courses may follow their existing individual class calendars.

2026 CHRISTMAS RECITAL

Performance Date	Saturday, December 12, 2026
Location	STC Cooper Center Auditorium

REGISTRATION

Early Registration	September 5-19, 2026 — Performance Fee: \$35
Late Registration	September 20 - October 20, 2026 — Performance Fee: \$45; available only if space remains
Final Registration Cutoff	October 20, 2026 — No new performers may be added after this date

SELECT YOUR RECITAL TIME

October 27 - November 10, 2026

Families who have completed recital registration will receive instructions to select their preferred recital session.

10:00 AM	11:30 AM	1:00 PM	2:30 PM
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Important: Registering for the recital and selecting a recital time are two separate steps.

SPRING 2027

SEMESTER DATES

Spring Semester Begins	February 1, 2027
Spring Break	Dates to be announced
Good Friday	March 26, 2027 — Studio Closed

SPRING INTRO CLASSES

Classes Begin	Week of February 1, 2027
Enrollment Window	February 1-20, 2027

Enrollment closes three weeks after each new class launches.

2027 SPRING RECITAL

Performance Date	Saturday, June 12, 2027
Location	Robert Pulido Performing Arts Center, Robert Vela High School

REGISTRATION

Early Registration	March 6-20, 2027 — Performance Fee: \$35
Late Registration	March 21 - April 20, 2027 — Performance Fee: \$45; available only if space remains
Final Registration Cutoff	April 20, 2027 — No new performers may be added after this date

RECITAL SESSION SELECTION

Begins April 27, 2027

Registered families will receive instructions for selecting their preferred recital session once the final recital roster and session structure are established.

ANNUAL PROGRAM ENHANCEMENT FEE

Charge Date	April 10, 2027
Annual Fee	\$40

New members enrolling January–March are not charged the Program Enhancement Fee until the following year.

SUMMER 2027

SEMESTER DATES

Summer Semester Begins	June 14, 2027
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SUMMER INTRO CLASSES

Classes Begin	Week of June 14, 2027
Enrollment Window	June 14 – July 3, 2027

Enrollment closes three weeks after each new class launches.

2027 SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL

Performance Date	Saturday, August 14, 2027
Venue	To Be Announced
Registration & Participation Dates	To Be Announced

The Summer Music Festival is a special performance opportunity with limited performer capacity. Registration deadlines and performance requirements will be communicated once the 2027 festival production timeline is finalized.

FEES SUMMARY

Standard Recital Registration	\$35
Late Recital Registration	\$45
Annual Program Enhancement Fee	\$40 — April 10, 2027

Performance registration fees are non-refundable. Late recital registration is available only if space remains. Students must be registered by the published final registration cutoff in order to participate. No performers are added after the final recital registration cutoff.

PLEASE PLAN AHEAD

Recital registration, recital-session selection, studio breaks, and other important dates are communicated throughout the year by email, SMS, and the Musical Living Academy Client Portal.

Families are encouraged to save important performance dates early and complete registration requirements before published deadlines.