September 2025 Curriculum Cycle

February Board of Regents Meeting

Program Additions

New Majors with 50% or More New Content and Certificates	
New degree/major program proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	09/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: Department curriculum committee Department chair	09/12/2025
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	09/16/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: College curriculum committee College council College dean	09/26/2025
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	10/12/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/14/2025
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • Programs: 10/24 • Courses: 10/31 & 11/7	Programs: 11/5/2025
Faculty Senate program approvals are due.	11/21/2025
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	11/26/2025
Provost programs approvals are due.	12/01/2025
President approvals are due.	12/03/2025
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	12/05/2025
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	02/2026
SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ¹	12/2025 or 6/2026
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{2,3}	05/2026
Estimated timeline for new degree program implementation. ⁴	Fall 2026

New Majors with Less than 50% New Content and	l Certificates
New degree/major program proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025
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New Minor		
The submission of the new minor proposal to PIM is due.	09/2/2025	
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:		
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025	
Department chair		
College Approvals are Due, Including:		
College curriculum committee	09/26/2025	
College council	00, 20, 2020	
College dean		
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025	
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025	
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due;	Programs:	
UCC meetings are:	11/5/2025	
Programs: 10/24		
• Courses: 10/31 & 11/7		
Faculty Senate approvals are due.	11/21/2025	
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	11/26/2025	
Estimated timeline for new minor implementation. ⁴	Fall 2026	

New Concentration		
New concentration program proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025	
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: Department curriculum committee Department chair	09/12/2025	
College Approvals are Due, Including: College curriculum committee College council College dean	09/26/2025	
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025	
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/14/2025	
Estimated timeline for new concentration implementation.4	Fall 2026	

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Program Changes

Major Name Change	
Major name change program proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	09/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: Department curriculum committee Department chair	09/12/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: College curriculum committee College council College dean	09/26/2025
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
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Degree Designation Change	
Degree change program proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	09/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: Department curriculum committee Department chair	09/12/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: College curriculum committee College council College dean	09/26/2025
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
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Curriculum Changes	
Curriculum changes with modality proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: Department curriculum committee Department chair	09/12/2025
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs)	09/16/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: College curriculum committee College council College dean	09/26/2025
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs)	10/12/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/14/2025
Estimated timeline for curriculum change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2026

Modality Changes	
Modality change proposals are due in PIM.	09/2/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: Department curriculum committee Department chair	09/12/2025
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due	09/16/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: College curriculum committee College council College dean	09/26/2025
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due	10/12/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/14/2025
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • Programs: 10/24 • Courses: 10/31 & 11/7	Programs: 11/5/2025
Faculty Senate program approvals are due.	11/21/2025
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	11/26/2025
Provost programs approvals are due.	12/01/2025
SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ¹	12/2025 or 6/2026
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{2,3}	05/2026
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	Concentration Name Change		
The subm	nission of the program change proposal to PIM is	09/02/2025	
due.			
Departm	ental Approvals are Due, Including:		
•	Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025	
•	Department chair		
College A	College Approvals are Due, Including:		
•	College curriculum committee	9/26/2025	
•	College council	9/26/2025	
•	College dean		
Graduate	e dean approvals are due (for graduate	10/10/2025	
programs	s).		
Vice Prov	ost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025	
Estimate impleme	d timeline for concentration name change ntation.4	Fall 2026	

Curriculum Change		
The submission of the program change proposal to PIM is	09/02/2025	
due.		
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:		
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025	
Department chair		
College Approvals are Due, Including:		
College curriculum committee	9/26/2025	
College council	9/20/2023	
College dean		
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025	
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025	
Estimated timeline for curriculum change	Fall 2026	
implementation.4		

Student Credit Hour Change	
The submission of the SCH change proposal to PIM is due.	09/02/2025
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	09/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:	
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025
Department chair	
College Approvals are Due, Including:	
College curriculum committee	9/26/2025
College council	9/26/2025
College dean	
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025
Provost programs approvals are due.	12/01/2025
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	12/05/2025
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	02/2026
SACSCOC substantive change notification submission.	12/2025 or 06/2026
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{2,3}	05/2026
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CIP Code Change	
The submission of CIP code change proposal to PIM is due.	09/02/2025
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	09/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:	
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025
Department chair	
College Approvals are Due, Including:	
College curriculum committee	0/00/0005
College council	9/26/2025
College dean	
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025
Provost programs approvals are due.	12/01/2025
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	12/05/2025
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	02/2026
SACSCOC substantive change notification submission.	12/2025 or 06/2026
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board proposal submission. ²³	05/2026
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Program Deletions

Delete a Program	
The submission of the program deletion proposal to PIM is due.	09/02/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:	
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025
Department chair	
College Approvals are Due, Including:	
College curriculum committee	09/26/2025
College council	09/20/2023
College dean	
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are:	Programs:
Programs: 10/24	11/5/2025
• Courses: 10/31 & 11/7	
Faculty Senate approvals are due.	11/21/2025
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	11/26/2025
Provost approvals are due.	12/01/2025
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	12/05/2026
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	02/2026
SACSCOC substantive change notification and teach-out plan submitted.	12/2025 or 06/2026
Estimated timeline for program deletion.4	Fall 2026

	Delete a Certificate			
	nission of the certificate deletion program	09/02/2025		
	to PIM is due.			
Departm	ental Approvals are Due, Including:	00/40/0005		
•	Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025		
0 11	Department chair			
College A	Approvals are Due, Including:			
•	College curriculum committee	09/26/2025		
•	College council			
•	College dean			
Graduate program	e dean approvals are due (for graduate s).	10/10/2025		
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•	Courses: 10/31 & 11/7			
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Acadami	c Affairs Council approvals are due.	11/26/2025		
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	approvals are due.	12/01/2025		
Provost a	approvals are due. ders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	12/01/2025 12/05/2026		
Provost a Board or Texas Sta	<u> </u>	12/01/2020		

Delete a Concentration		
The submission of the concentration deletion proposal to PIM is due.	09/02/2025	
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:		
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025	
Department chair		
College Approvals are Due, Including:		
College curriculum committee	09/26/2025	
College council	00/20/2020	
College dean		
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	10/10/2025	
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due.	10/13/2025	
Estimated timeline for concentration deletion.4	Fall 2026	

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Course Additions, Deletions & Changes

New Course		
The submission of the course addition proposal to CIM is due.	09/02/2025	
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including:		
Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025	
Department chair		
College Approvals are Due, Including:		
 College curriculum committee 	09/26/2025	
College council	09/20/2023	
College dean		
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate courses).	10/10/2025	
AVP Academic Advising and Transitions undergraduate writing intensive approvals are due.	10/10/2025	
General Education Council approvals are due	10/17/2025	
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are:	_	
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• Courses: 10/31 & 11/7	11/14/2025	
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due	11/17 /2025	
Provost and EVPAA approvals are due.	11/18/2025	
Estimated course implementation.4	Fall 2026	

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College Approvals are Due, Including:		
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Vice Provost for Academic Innovation approvals are due	11/17 /2024	
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Change a Course		
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Department curriculum committee	09/12/2025	
Department chair		
College Approvals are Due, Including:		
College curriculum committee	09/26/2025	
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