

February 2026 Curriculum Cycle

August Board of Regents Meeting

Program Additions

New Majors with 50% or More New Content and Certificates		New Majors with Less than 50% New Content and Certificates	
New degree/major program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026	New degree/major program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2026	Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026	Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	02/16/2025	Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	02/16/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026	College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026	Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	03/14/2025	Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	03/14/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026	Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Programs: 3/27 Courses: 4/3 & 4/10 	Programs: 04/8/2026	University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Programs: 3/27 Courses: 4/3 & 4/10 	Programs: 04/8/2026
Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026	Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026	Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026
Provost approvals are due.	05/01/2026	Provost approvals are due.	05/01/2026
President approvals are due.	05/02/2026	President approvals are due.	05/02/2026
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	06/2026	Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	06/2026
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	08/2026	Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	08/2026
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{1,2}	09/2026	Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{1,2}	09/2026
SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ³ (SACSCOC annual meeting is held Dec.7-10)	12/2026 or 06/2027	SACSCOC substantive change notification submission ³ (SACSCOC annual meeting is held Dec.7-10)	12/2026 or 06/2027
Estimated timeline for new degree program implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027	Estimated timeline for new degree program implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

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New Minor	
The submission of the new minor proposal to PIM is due.	02/15/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Programs: 3/27 Courses: 4/3 & 4/10 	Programs: 04/8/2026
Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026
Provost approvals are due.	05/01/2026
Estimated timeline for new minor implementation. ⁴	Spring 2027

New Concentration	
New concentration program proposals are due in PIM.	02/1/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2025
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
Estimated timeline for new concentration implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

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Program Changes

Major Name Change		Degree Designation Change	
Major name change program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026	Degree change program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2025	Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026	Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
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Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026	Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026	Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	06/2026	Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	06/2026
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	08/2026	Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	08/2026
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board notification submission. ^{1,2}	09/2026	Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board notification submission. ^{1,2}	09/2026
SACSCOC substantive change notification submission. ³	12/2026 or 06/2027	SACSCOC substantive change notification submission. ³	12/2026 or 06/2027
Estimated timeline for major name change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027	Estimated timeline for degree designation change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

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Curriculum Changes	
Curriculum changes with modality proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	02/17/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due.	03/16/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
Estimated timeline for curriculum changes implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

Modality Changes	
Modality change proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	02/17/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
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Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026
Provost approvals are due.	05/01/2026
SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ¹	12/2026 or 06/2027
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{2,3}	09/2026
Estimated timeline for modality change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

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Concentration Name Change	
The submission of the program change proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
Estimated timeline for concentration name change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

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College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
Estimated timeline for curriculum change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

Student Credit Hour Change	
The submission of the SCH change proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
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SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ³ <small>(SACSCOC annual meeting is held Dec.7-10)</small>	12/2026 or 06/2027
Estimated timeline for SCH change implementation. ⁴	Fall 2027

CIP Code Change	
The submission of the CIP code change proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
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Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review. ^{1,2}	09/2026
SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ³ <small>(SACSCOC annual meeting is held Dec.7-10)</small>	12/2026 or 06/2027
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Program Deletions

Delete a Program	
The submission of the program deletion proposal to PIM is due	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
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SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review. ³ <small>(SACSCOC annual meeting is held Dec.7-10)</small>	12/2026 or 06/2027
Estimated program deletion. ⁴	Spring 2027

Delete a Certificate	
The submission of the certificate deletion program proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
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Faculty Senate approvals are due.	04/22/2026
Academic Affairs Council approvals are due.	04/29/2026
Provost approvals are due.	05/01/2026
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	06/2026
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	08/2026
Estimated certificate deletion. ⁴	Spring 2027

Delete a Concentration	
The submission of the concentration deletion proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department curriculum committee Department chair 	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College curriculum committee College council College dean 	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/17/2026
Estimated concentration deletion. ⁴	Fall 2026

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