February 2026 Curriculum Cycle
August 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.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	02/16/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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 (for online programs).	03/14/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
President approvals are due.	05/02/2026
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 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
Estimated timeline for new degree program implementation.[4]	Fall 2027

New Majors with Less than 50% New Content and Certificates	
New degree/major program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
Distance and Extended Learning approvals are due (for online programs).	02/16/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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 (for online programs).	03/14/2025
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
President approvals are due.	05/02/2026
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 Higher Education Coordinating Board meeting for proposal review.[1,2]	09/2026
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

[1]The timing of the review is determined by the THECB board.

[2]Program marketing can begin after THECB approval. **All marketing materials must include the phrase** "pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges."

[3]The timing of the review is determined by the SACSCOC board.

[4]Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program additions. Response variation from external governing bodies (e.g., THECB, SACSCOC) may also affect implementation timing.

New Minor	
The submission of the new minor proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2025
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
Estimated timeline for new concentration implementation.[4]	Fall 2027

[1]
The timing of the review is determined by the THECB board.

[2] Program marketing can begin after THECB approval. **All marketing materials must include the phrase** "pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges."

[3] The timing of the review is determined by the SACSCOC board.

[4] Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program additions. Response variation from external governing bodies (e.g., THECB, SACSCOC) may also affect implementation timing.

Program Changes

Major Name Change	
Major name change program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
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 Higher Education Coordinating Board notification submission.[1,2]	09/2026
SACSCOC substantive change notification submission.[3]	12/2026 or 06/2027
Estimated timeline for major name change implementation.[4]	Fall 2027

Degree Designation Change	
Degree change program proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Office of Educator Preparation (for Educator Preparation programs)	02/09/2025
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
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 Higher Education Coordinating Board notification submission.[1,2]	09/2026
SACSCOC substantive change notification submission.[3]	12/2026 or 06/2027
Estimated timeline for degree designation change implementation.[4]	Fall 2027

[1]The timing of the review is determined by the THECB board.

[2] Program marketing can begin after THECB approval. **All marketing materials must include the phrase** "pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges."

[3]The timing of the review is determined by the SACSCOC board.

[4]Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program additions. Response variation from external governing bodies (e.g., THECB, SACSCOC) may also affect implementation timing

Curriculum Changes	
Curriculum changes with modality proposals are due in PIM.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • 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: • 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.	03/16/2026
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: • 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: • 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.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
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

[1]The timing of the review is determined by the THECB board.

[2] Program marketing can begin after THECB approval. **All marketing materials must include the phrase** "pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges."

[3]The timing of the review is determined by the SACSCOC board.

[4]Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program additions. Response variation from external governing bodies (e.g., THECB, SACSCOC) may also affect implementation timing.

Concentration Name Change

The submission of the program change proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
Estimated timeline for concentration name change implementation.[4]	Fall 2027

Curriculum Change

The submission of the program change proposal to PIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
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: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
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
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
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: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
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
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
Estimated timeline for CIP Code change implementation.[4]	Fall 2027

[1] The timing of the review is determined by the THECB board.

[2] Program marketing can begin after THECB approval. **All marketing materials must include the phrase** "pending approval by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges."

[3] The timing of the review is determined by the SACSCOC board.

[4] Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program additions. Response variation from external governing bodies (e.g., THECB, SACSCOC) may also affect implementation timing.

Program Deletions

Delete a Program

The submission of the program deletion proposal to PIM is due	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
Board orders due to Executive VP for Operations Office	06/2026
Texas State University System Board of Regents meeting for proposal review.	08/2026
SACSCOC Board meeting for proposal review.[3] (SACSCOC annual meeting is held Dec.7-10)	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: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • 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
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: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • 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.	03/16/2026
Estimated concentration deletion.[4]	Fall 2026

[4]Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program deletions. Response variation from external governing bodies may also affect implementation timing.

Course Additions, Deletions & Changes

Add a Course

Add a Course	
The submission of the course addition proposal to CIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • College curriculum committee • College council • College dean	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate courses).	03/12/2026
AVP Academic Advising and Transitions undergraduate writing intensive approvals are due.	03/12/2026
General Education Council approvals are due	03/31/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • Programs: 3/27 • Courses: 4/3 & 4/10	Courses: 04/17/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	04/21/2026
Provost and EVPAA approvals are due.	04/23/2026
Estimated course implementation.[4]	Fall 2026

Delete a Course

Delete a Course	
The submission of the course addition proposal to CIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • College curriculum committee • College council • College dean	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
AVP Academic Advising and Transitions undergraduate writing intensive approvals are due.	03/12/2026
General Education Council approvals are due	03/31/2026
University Curriculum Committee approvals are due; UCC meetings are: • Programs: 3/27 • Courses: 4/3 & 4/10	Programs: 04/8/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	04/21/2026
Provost and EVPAA approvals are due.	04/23/2026
Estimated course deletion.[4]	Fall 2026

Change a Course

Change a Course	
The submission of the course addition proposal to CIM is due.	02/01/2026
Departmental Approvals are Due, Including: • Department curriculum committee • Department chair	02/12/2026
College Approvals are Due, Including: • College curriculum committee • College council • College dean	02/26/2026
Graduate dean approvals are due (for graduate programs).	03/12/2026
AVP Academic Advising and Transitions undergraduate writing intensive approvals are due.	03/12/2026
General Education Council approvals are due	03/31/2026
Vice Provost for Academic Innovation and Success approvals are due.	04/21/2026
Provost and EVPAA approvals are due.	04/23/2026
Estimated course change implementation.[4]	Fall 2026

[4]Estimated implementation dates are influenced by many factors, including the timing of course scheduling, creation of degree audits, and preparation of advising materials for program deletions. Response variation from external governing bodies may also affect implementation timing.