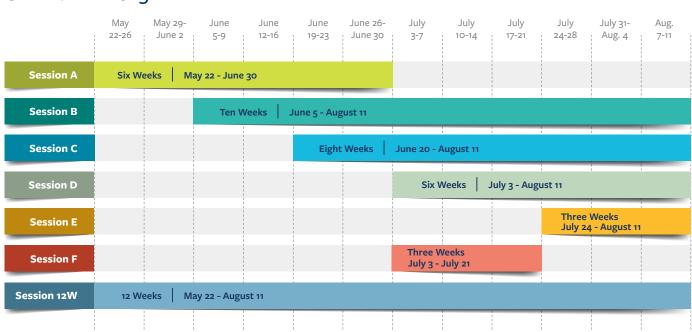
Berkeley SUMMER SESSIONS 2023

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University Holidays

Memorial Day Juneteenth Independence Day *No classes will be held* Monday, May 29 Monday, June 19 Tuesday, July 4

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CALENDAR 2023

At UC Berkeley, learning doesn't take a summer break.

Each summer, over 16,000 students take courses, earn certificates, and form new friendships in Berkeley's summer world of programs and instruction.

Join us for Berkeley Summer Sessions, one of the largest and most exciting summer programs in the United States.

Whether taught by remote, online, or in-person delivery, we offer more than 600 courses to choose from, letting you accelerate your learning while experiencing the academic rigor Berkeley is known for.

Why study at UC Berkeley?

1 CHALLENGE YOURSELF

Complete semester-length courses at an accelerated pace alongside UC Berkeley students in just one summer.

2 DEVELOP YOUR GLOBAL COMMUNITY

Learn with students from Berkeley and around the world. Thousands of students have been attending Summer Sessions each year, including more than 5,000 visiting and international students.

3 EXPERIENCE AN ACADEMIC LEGACY

Be part of a world-renowned university this summer. From individual courses to certificate programs, stand out with a UC Berkeley transcript.

Who can join Summer Sessions?

Berkeley Summer Sessions welcomes UC Berkeley students, other UC students, visiting domestic and international students from other colleges, and community members to enroll in summer courses.

How do I apply?

To participate in Berkeley Summer Sessions, apply online at **summer.berkeley.edu** starting in February. Because there are multiple sessions with various start and end dates, check **summer.berkeley.edu/apply** for specific information. Check with your home institution prior to enrolling for guidelines regarding Summer Sessions.

About UC Berkeley

A Tradition of Excellence

The University of California was founded in 1868, born out of a vision in the State Constitution of a university that would "contribute even more than California's gold to the glory and happiness of advancing generations." The first campus—envisioned as a "City of Learning"—was established at Berkeley, near the San Francisco Bay. Today the world's premier public university and a wellspring of innovation, UC Berkeley occupies a 1,232-acre campus with a park-like 178-acre central core. It is the oldest of 10 University of California campuses.

With its mission of teaching, research, and public service, Berkeley, or "Cal" as alumni know it, is one of the world's most distinguished institutions of higher education. It is renowned for the excellence of its faculty and students, the scope of its research and publications, the size and quality of its library collections, and the excellence of its laboratory and educational facilities.

Academics

Berkeley academic programs are recognized internationally for their excellence. You can expect a rigorous academic experience during your summer studies. The accelerated instruction of Summer Sessions means that you will learn a semester's worth of material in just one summer. Berkeley courses are known for an engaged learning style where you interact frequently with the instructor and other students. With continuous assessment, you are evaluated over the duration of the course through work such as quizzes, exams, lab assignments, papers, attendance, and class participation.

Academic Support

Berkeley offers a range of support services to help you achieve academic success. Academic advisers are available to answer questions about selecting courses. Instructors hold faculty office hours where you can discuss course material. The Student Learning Center provides tutoring and study groups for Summer Sessions students.

Libraries

UC Berkeley is home to one of the finest research libraries in the U.S., encompassing over thirteen million items, along with access to an extensive array of online resources. Online collections include e-books, journal articles, international newspapers, streaming media, digitized primary sources and more. Research assistance is available via 24/7 chat and zoom appointments. Visit us at **lib.berkeley.edu**.

Health and Wellness

University Health Services (UHS) provides comprehensive medical, mental health, insurance, and health promotion services to all Berkeley students. Services are offered at the Tang Center on campus as well as virtual phone and video appointments for many of our services. UHS is staffed by over 200 nurses, nurse practitioners, doctors, health educators, psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, peer-to-peer student health workers, and more. To learn more, visit **uhs.berkeley.edu**.

In addition, membership to the campus Recreational Sports Facility is included in fees. Rec Sports members enjoy access to two recreation centers, four pools, free drop-in group exercise classes, discounts on personal training, outdoor programs, and more. For remote students, RSF offers free resources, virtual classes, online videos, and more. Visit **recsports.berkeley.edu/ online** for more information.

Campus Safety

UC Berkeley has its own dedicated, full-service police department that operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week for all UC Berkeley properties in the Bay Area. The department, in partnership with Campus Parking & Transportation Services, offers free Night Safety Services, including the BearWALK escort service and evening shuttles at <u>nightsafety.berkeley.</u> <u>edu</u>. The Berkeley campus partners with the Everbridge company (<u>warnme.berkeley.edu</u>) to deliver safety messages to you via opt-in text, email, or both in the event of an immediate threat to safety or health affecting the campus community. To learn more, visit <u>ucpd.berkeley.edu</u>.

Summer in the Bay Area

Enjoy summer in the vibrant San Francisco Bay Area! Centrally located, Berkeley is just 25 minutes from downtown San Francisco and within an hour of most local attractions, including national parks, museums, shopping, restaurants, and nightlife.

If you are enrolled in online or remote learning, you can still experience the unique culture of the San Francisco Bay Area through the many virtual events and activities organized by Summer Sessions staff.

Virtual Opportunities for Remote Students

Students will be able to take advantage of staff-led workshops focused on wellness, student success, and career development. Workshops will cover topics such as self-care tips, accessing the Tang Center, utilizing technology for successful learning, and working with the Career Center.

Additionally, there are numerous online experiences that allow remote students to experience the culture of Berkeley. The Berkeley Art Museum & Pacific Film Archive (BAMPFA) has various online exhibits and streaming events and the famous UC Botanical Garden has developed resources to engage from home.

Things to Do

SEE THE SIGHTS. Walk across the Golden Gate Bridge, stroll down twisty Lombard Street, ride a cable car, visit lively Chinatown, and take a tour of Alcatraz Island.

EAT DELICIOUS FOOD. The Bay Area is a food lover's paradise, with fine local restaurants, farmer's markets, and a thriving food truck scene.

CELEBRATE WITH THE LOCALS. Enjoy music, art, and cultural events, such as the Oakland Art + Soul Festival, SF Pride Celebration, and more!

VISIT A MUSEUM. Experience some of California's best art, natural history, culture, and science museums, many of which have discounted admission for students.

GET OUTDOORS. The Bay Area has some of the most beautiful parklands in the nation, including the Marin Headlands, Muir Woods National Monument, and Point Reyes National Seashore.

Courses

Choose from undergraduate courses in more than 80 subjects, including arts, engineering, humanities, natural sciences, social sciences, and the professional fields of architecture, business, education, public health, and social welfare.

Courses are offered in three, six, eight, ten, or twelve week intensive sessions. All courses are regular university courses and are recorded on an official UC Berkeley transcript.

While completion of summer courses does result in a UC Berkeley transcript, participating in this education program does not in itself provide preference in admission to the University of California.

Sample Class Schedule (Six-Week Session)								
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY			
UGBA 102 Introduction to Financial Accounting (3 units)	8-10:30 a.m (lecture)	8-10:30 a.m. (discussion)	8-10:30 a.m. (lecture)	8-10:30 a.m. (discussion)				
ASTRONOMY C12 The Planets (3 units)	1-3 p.m. (lecture)		1-3 p.m. (lecture)	1-3 p.m. (lecture)				

There are different formats available to participate in courses and students are able to tell a specific courses' instructional mode and format by checking the details in the course listing.

Classes will either be offered in-person or be listed as 'Online' and 'Web-Based'. 'Web-Based' and 'Online' courses are all online courses, just with different naming conventions.

Given that classes will be primarily in-person, most students should plan on being present on campus.

- International students with questions about their visa conditions may view the latest guidance at <u>summer.</u> <u>berkeley.edu/visa</u>
- Students who require disability-related accommodations for classes, whether online or in person, should contact the Disabled Students' Program.

Courses that are coded as "in person" will meet completely or primarily in person, and physical attendance on campus is expected. These courses are not required to offer a remote option. Courses that are listed as 'Online' or 'Web-based' are courses that have been approved for online delivery of the coursework. These classes may be asynchronous so that you can complete the requirements in your own time or have synchronous components where meeting in real-time will be required.

Visiting students hoping to take a synchronous course should take scheduling into consideration especially if they intend to access the course outside of the Pacific Standard time zone. Some Online/Web-Based Courses may also require an in-person final exam. However, there are offsite proctoring options available if you are unable to come to the UC Berkeley campus.

Students must review all information in the Class Notes section and the class syllabus to ensure they understand what is expected of them.

To find out the mode of instruction before enrolling, use the "mode of instruction" filter in the <u>Academic Guide's Class</u> <u>Schedule</u> or the Cal Central Schedule of Classes.

Course Numbering

Each UC Berkeley course listing includes a number that indicates whether a course is undergraduate, graduate, or professional level. Use the chart below to determine the level of your course.

Course Numbering Chart

UNDERGRADUATE		GRADUATE	PROFESSIONAL	
1-99	100-196	200-299	300-399	400-499
Lower Division Open to freshmen and sophomores; not acceptable for upper division credit.	Upper Division Ordinarily open to students who have completed at least one lower division course in the given subject or two years of college work.	Ordinarily open only to students who have completed at least 18 upper division units basic to the subject matter of the course.	Offered in Education and other departments, and are specifically designed for teachers or prospective teachers.	Other professional courses (acceptable toward academic degrees only within limitations prescribed by a college, school, or the Graduate Division).

Course Listings

A complete schedule of summer courses and descriptions is available online at **classes.berkeley.edu** beginning early December.

Enrollment

Enrollment for Summer Sessions opens in February. Visit **summer.berkeley.edu/ international** for instructions for visiting international students.

Prerequisites

Many Summer Sessions courses have prerequisites which are indicated in the course description. Before enrolling, check that you meet all prerequisites for each course. If unsure whether you meet a prerequisite, contact the course department or instructor and be prepared to provide documentation of your previous coursework (e.g. syllabi, course descriptions, transcripts).

Credit Transfer

Consult with your home institution regarding transfer of UC Berkeley coursework. Be prepared to provide course descriptions, syllabi, and other course information as required by your home institution.

Grading

The work of all students on the UC Berkeley campus is reported in terms of the following grades:

Grading Scale

Α	Excellent			
в	Good			
С	Fair			
D	Barely passed			
F	Failure			
Ρ	Passed at a minimum level of C- for undergraduate students			
NP	Not passed			
S	Satisfactory, passed at a minimum level of B- for graduate students			
U	Unsatisfactory			
I	Work incomplete due to circumstances beyond the student's control, but of passing quality			
IP	Work in progress, final grade to be assigned upon completion of entire course sequence			



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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Berkeley Charter of Professional Accountancy

Gain the accounting knowledge to prepare for the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) exam and skills that translate to careers in economics, finance, and accounting.

LEARN MORE: bcpa.berkeley.edu

High School Students

Earn college credit and experience university life in the Pre-College Scholars Program. Residential, commuter, virtual, and non-credit options are available.

LEARN MORE: precollege.berkeley.edu

Architecture and Design Programs

Explore architecture, sustainable city design and landscape architecture at the College of Environmental Design. Immerse yourself in studio model building, digital representation, discussion groups, lectures and field trips during these full-time programs (4-6 weeks), while building your portfolio and earning college credit. We offer programs for high school students, college students, and post baccalaureate.

LEARN MORE: ced.berkeley.edu/academics/summer-programs

CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

A summer certificate can enrich your area of study and give you the freedom to develop the skills in a subject you love. Many certificates have the flexibility of online course options and unique elective choices, allowing you to tailor your summer experience. Enroll in the entire certificate program or select the individual courses that interest you most. Plus, you can earn course credit on a Berkeley transcript and a certificate upon completion of all requisite coursework. Most certificate programs can be completed in one summer or more.

Clinical & Counseling Psychology

Explore the diverse career paths of clinical and counseling psychology focusing on neurobiology, social relationships, race and ethnicity, and other sociocultural mechanisms.

LEARN MORE:

psychology.berkeley.edu/students/ undergraduate-program/minor-requirements

Educating for the 21st Century (online)

Explore issues concerning contemporary education, from digital environments to global schooling, and get real-world experience as teacher-mentors through our unique practicum experience.

LEARN MORE : gse.berkeley.edu/online-ed-minor

Global Public Health

Enhance your preparation for careers in the dynamic, growing public health field and for clinical graduate training.

LEARN MORE:

publichealth.berkeley.edu/academics/ undergraduate/global-public-health

Race and the Law

Examine the fundamental interconnections between race and the law within and beyond the U.S. and explore the role of the law in creating and contesting social power.

LEARN MORE:

africam.berkeley.edu/race-and-thelaw-summer-minor

The Developing Child

Integrate research, practice, and policy with problem- solving and implementation skills to enrich your approach to working with children from birth to age 8.

LEARN MORE: thedevelopingchild.berkeley.edu

Educating for the 21st Century: Teaching English to Multilingual Students

(online)

Earn theoretical knowledge and practical experience in the teaching of English as a second language.

LEARN MORE:

writing.berkeley.edu/certificatelanguage-teaching

Journalism in the Digital Age

Gain real world experience using the core techniques of reporting and writing, video, photography, audio, and social media to build audiences and get your work noticed.

LEARN MORE:

journalism.berkeley.edu/programs/ undergrad-minor

Sustainability

Equip yourself with the tools for tackling the most pressing issues facing the world today.

LEARN MORE: erg.berkeley.edu/sustainability

Digital Humanities (online)

Learn how to employ powerful digital tools to create, organize, analyze, and represent your research projects in digital forms.

LEARN MORE: summerdigitalhumanities. berkeley.edu

Film & Media Industries and Professions

Learn about the industry structures that govern a broad range of media professions, fields, and practices for students interested in pursuing careers in film and media.

LEARN MORE:

filmmedia.berkeley.edu/programs/ summer-certificate-program

Performance & Culture in the U.S

Develop or deepen your knowledge of U.S. cultural literacy and intercultural communication skills.

LEARN MORE: tdps.berkeley.edu/summer/certificate

Summer English Language Studies

Elite language program

- Challenging classes for motivated students, from high-beginners to even the most advanced learners
- Uniquely qualified instructors with expertise in teaching English for a variety of specific purposes
- Innovative, engaging classroom environments

Two levels of study

Prepare: Ideal for undergraduates, these classes prepare you for academic work in English.

Refine: Ideal for working professionals and graduate students, these classes offer a unique challenge at the advanced level you need.

Classes that meet your needs and interests

Over 65 classes including the following:

English for Specific Professional and Academic Purposes

Gain the language knowledge needed to advance your career.

- Business English and Writing
- Legal English and Writing
- English for Science and Engineering
- English for Art and Design
- Job Search and Networking Skills
- University Admissions Expectations, and more!

English Through Culture and Media

Learn English through the topics you love.

- Berkeley and California Culture
- Food Culture
- Social Issues
- Popular Music
- Film
- Literature
- Broadway Musicals
- Humor, and more!

Intensive Skill Practice in English

Get the skill practice you need to succeed in school and work.

- Academic and Public Speaking
- Academic Writing
- Conflict Resolution Oral Skills
- Test Preparation
- Writing in the Digital Media, and more!

Programs that fit your schedule

- Three- and six-week programs
- On-campus and online classes

Learning beyond the classroom

Unique fieldwork assignments: Apply classroom concepts as you explore the Bay Area and historic Berkeley campus.

LEARN MORE: writing.berkeley.edu/SELS

Tuition and Fees

This chart represents the estimated tuition and fees for a visiting international student taking two courses (three units each) during a six-week session..

Tuition and Fees

Course Tuition (two three-unit courses at \$595 per unit)	\$3,570
Registration Fee	\$500
International Service Fee	\$400
Document Management Fee	\$65
TOTAL	\$4,535

This chart does not reflect costs for housing, books, supplies, and incidentals. Expenses vary with the length of stay and all fees are subject to change. For detailed fee information, visit <u>summer.</u> <u>berkeley.edu/international/registration/fees</u>.

Course Materials and Service Fee

Some departments charge a Course Materials and Service Fee for specific classes, such as those with science or computer labs, photography labs, physical education courses, and art supplies. The Course Materials and Service Fee is nonrefundable and should be noted in the Class Schedule at **classes.berkeley.edu.**

* There may be additional fee(s) for special programs not included on this page.

** Summer tuition and fees must be paid in full within seven calendar days after enrollment, or you will be dropped from your class(es).

International Student Requirements

Full-Time Student Status

Berkeley Summer Sessions encourages all international students traveling to Berkeley to enroll full-time and obtain the appropriate student visa status for study. In most cases, visiting international students should apply for an F-1 visa. International students with an F-1 I-20 certificate of eligibility document issued by UC Berkeley must be enrolled full time for the entire summer session period noted on your I-20. Full-time student status varies depending on what session(s) you enroll in and does not apply for students taking online classes. For details, see **summer.berkeley.edu/visa**.

English Proficiency Requirement

If you are from a country in which the official language is not English, you are required to submit official evidence of English language proficiency at the time of application to Summer Sessions.

All applicants must meet the English Proficiency Requirement regardless of citizenship, unless one of the following items applies:

- You are from a country exempt from the English Proficiency Requirement
- You enroll exclusively in Summer English Language Studies courses
- Your university has been granted an exemption based on an affiliation agreement

For more information regarding the English Proficiency Requirement, see <u>summer.berkeley.edu/international/</u> <u>english-proficiency-requirement</u>.

Visa and Immigration

International (non-immigrant) students coming to the United States from abroad with the primary intention of study should normally obtain F-1 visa status for Summer Sessions (Students who wish to attend in J-1 visa status should contact the Summer Sessions office). To apply for an F-1 visa at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate in your country, request an F-1 I-20 document. After you enroll in courses, you will be invited to apply for your F-1 I-20 via our ISS Portal. You will also receive a task in Cal Central. Summer Sessions is the responsible office for issuing I-20s.

International students coming from abroad are required to have valid visas in their passports to enter the United States (Canadian citizens do not need visas, but do need the I-20 for entry in student status). For more information, see **<u>summer</u>**. **<u>berkeley.edu/visa</u>**.

Summer Sessions only provides visa advising and assistance to visiting international students who enter the United States using a UC Berkeley visa document (I-20 or DS-2019).

Health Insurance

Medical care in the United States can be very expensive. Hospital costs can average \$4,000-\$5,000 USD per day. Health insurance coverage is required to meet these unexpected expenses. If you plan to come to Berkeley, you should purchase a health insurance policy before you arrive in the United States. This policy should cover all medical and hospital costs, or provide you with a minimum of \$50,000 for each accident or illness, have a deductible of \$500 or less for each accident or illness, cover at least 75% of hospital and physician costs from the time you leave your current residence to the day you plan to return. For more information, visit **uhs.berkeley.edu/ insurance/international-summer-session-students**.

Students in J-1 visa status are required to maintain adequate health insurance for the duration of their program.

For questions about eligibility and obtaining visa documents, please reach out to **visiting-intl@berkeley.edu**

Housing

University Housing: Residence Halls & Apartments

University Housing has many housing options available that provide convenience and safety for students, fostering an environment for success that you can't find off-campus.

Residence Halls include shared lounges and communal bathrooms with all-gender and single- gender floors. Apartments are single-gender that share a bathroom, kitchen, and living room. All locations are furnished, equipped with wireless internet, utilities, custodial services, and more! Additionally, live-in Residential Life staff provide community development activities, wellness programs, and social outings to ensure a successful and fulfilling summer.

Take advantage of the many benefits of living on-campus and apply beginning February 1. Assignments are provided first come, first served.

Learn more by contacting the Summer Housing office at summerhousing@berkeley.edu

Additional Options

In addition to university-affiliated housing, you may also consider options in student cooperatives, private rooms and apartments, sublets, and homestays. For information on these options, visit **summer.berkeley.edu/housing.**

International House

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If you are looking at campus housing options that are more than just a dorm, International House (I-House) offers a once-in-a-lifetime intercultural living opportunity. Located in the southeast foothills of the Berkeley campus, I-House is a historic and architecturally striking campus housing facility and intercultural program center for U.S. and international students. I-House provides you with the best mix of conveniences, entertainment, and social activities.

In addition,

- You'll be part of a global community that supports your academic pursuits, career development, and mentorship networking;
- You will spend your summer living with a diverse group of residents, including graduate students, laboratory researchers, visiting scholars, and exchange students from around the world;
- The historic building has fantastic bay views and convenient access to campus, the Law School, Haas, Cal Memorial Stadium, and the Berkeley hills;
- A full meal plan is included, and I-House is known for having the best food on campus!

I-House offers fully furnished double and single room accommodations. Floors are co-ed, with the exception of the 8th floor Women's Hall. The I-House room and board fee for the summer includes 19 meals per week in the beautiful I-House Dining Commons. Edmonds café is open to the public for meeting with friends over hot or cold coffee drink, pastry, bagel, sandwich, or a glass of beer or wine.

I-House provides a variety of spaces for work and recreation, including a library, resident lounges, game rooms, music practice studios, and a computer center. Conference rooms and a small kitchen are available for residents' special events. A broad program of activities and outings is also offered throughout the summer.

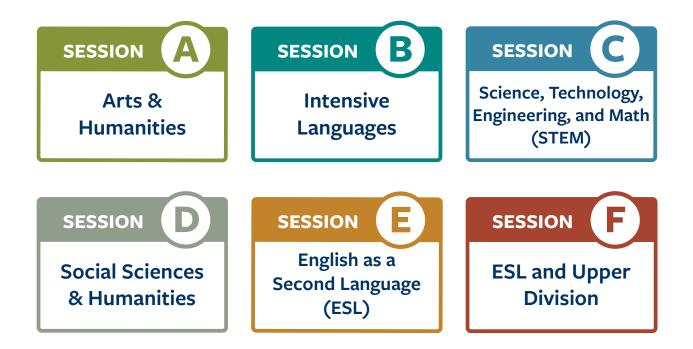
To qualify for summer residency, you must be over the age of 18 and enrolled in full-time study or research at UC Berkeley or a nearby, approved educational institution.

LEARN MORE: ihouse.berkeley.edu/summer

Sessions by Subject Area

As you start browsing summer courses, consider that each session generally focuses on a certain area of study. If you already know which subjects you want to pursue, you can narrow your search to certain sessions and create a multi-session summer calendar that works for you.

The graphic below lists each session and its corresponding area of focus.





Summer Sessions Checklist

Review instructions for visiting international students at summer.berkeley.edu/international
Check with your home institution for guidelines regarding participation in Summer Sessions
Research courses at <u>classes.berkeley.edu</u> beginning early December
Enroll in Summer Sessions courses at <u>summer.berkeley.edu</u> beginning in February
If you are taking classes in-person and coming to Berkeley:
Apply for your student visa
Make housing arrangements for summer as soon as possible after registration
Purchase health insurance

University programs and activities.

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