Academic Senate
of the
California State University

Academic Senate of the California State University 2026-2027 Meetings

1. **RESOLVED:** That the Academic Senate of the California State University (ASCSU) adopt the following schedule of meetings for 2026-2027:

2026

August TBD	Orientation	Remote
September 2-4	Committees/Plenary	Chancellor's Office/Hybrid
October 9	Interim Committees	Remote
	Plenary	Remote
November 4-6	Committees/Plenary	Chancellor's Office/Hybrid
December 4	Interim Committees	Remote

2027

January 20-22	Committees/Plenary	Chancellor's Office/Hybrid
February 12	Interim Committees	Remote
March 3-5	Committees/Plenary	Chancellor's Office/Hybrid
April 9	Interim Committees	Remote
April 28-April 30	Committees/Plenary	Chancellor's Office/Hybrid

; and be it

2. **RESOLVED:** That the Executive Committee of the ASCSU be authorized, with notice to the ASCSU, to change the approved schedule of meetings or meeting modality; and be it

3. **RESOLVED:** That Standing Committee Chairs be authorized, with notice to the Executive Committee and in coordination with the ASCSU office, to call additional committee meetings or alter committee meeting times as needed; and be it finally

4. **RESOLVED:** That the ASCSU distribute this resolution to:

   CSU Board of Trustees
   CSU Chancellor
   CSU campus Presidents
   CSU campus Senate Chairs
   CSU campus Senate Executive Committees
   CSU Provosts/Vice Presidents of Academic Affairs
   California Faculty Association
   California State Student Association
   CSU Emeritus and Retired Faculty & Staff Association

Rationale

Changes from previous years' resolutions

The virtual interim committee meeting on October 9 will be truncated to conduct an approximately 2 hour plenary. This agenda for this meeting will be a Committee of the Whole to discuss matters such as emerging issues, strategic planning, or other matters of interest to the ASCSU as determined by the Executive Committee. This is an experimental practice in response to feedback raised in previous discussions.

In past years, the resolution included the ASCSU-Chancellor's Office Leadership Retreat This caused confusion because the event is only attended by the Executive Committee, Chairs, and other leadership. Therefore, it has been removed from the generally announced schedule; it has not been cancelled.

Meeting times

ASCSU plenaries normally begin no earlier than 9am. The Thursday meeting normally ends no later than 5pm; the Friday meeting normally ends no later than 3pm. The Executive Committee may alter these times if there is no alternative means to accomplish the ASCSU's work.

The meeting times for ASCSU committees are typically:

Executive Committee: 8:00am to 5:00pm

Extended Executive Committee: 9:00am to 10:00am

Standing Committees: 10:30am to 5:00pm

Executive Committee liaisons to standing committees: 1:00pm to 1:30pm

JEDI liaisons to standing committees: 1:30pm to 2:00pm

This schedule is intended to maximize the participation of senators in the work of the ASCSU and support Standing Committees in fulfilling their charges. Therefore, experimentation with deviations from this schedule which enable Standing Committees to better meet these twin goals is encouraged.

Scheduling considerations

The ASCSU normally schedules plenary meetings in advance of the meetings of the California State University Board of Trustees. The Trustees have adopted the following meeting dates for the 2026-2027 academic year:

September 20-23, 2026

November 16-18, 2026

January 26-27, 2027

March 16-17, 2027

May 4-5, 2027

To ensure that there is adequate time to finalize resolutions, a one week gap between ASCSU plenaries and Trustees' meetings is preferred.

Considerations involved in determining this meeting schedule also include:

Avoid meetings on religiously significant days

Veteran's Day: Wednesday, Nov 11, 2027

Grand Prix: likely around April 12, 2027

California State Student Association plenary meetings

Resolution Summary

Establishes the ASCSU's meeting schedule for 2026-2027.