MS in Applied Data Science
Shiley-Marcos School of Engineering
ACADEMIC CALENDAR

University of San Diego®

SPRING 2026 IMPORTANT DATES

Registration Opens	11/03/2025
Registration Deadline	12/15/2025
Financial Aid Requirements Due	12/15/2025
Last Day to Drop Any Course with 100% Tuition Refund*	01/05/2026
Payment Due Date	01/06/2026
Semester Begins	01/06/2026
First Course Start Date	01/06/2026
Last day to Drop Any Course with 95% Tuition Refund / Drop Deadline	01/09/2026
Last Day to Withdraw from Course A	02/02/2026
First Course End Date	02/23/2026
Second Course Start Date	02/24/2026
Last Day to Withdraw from Course B	03/23/2026
Second Course End Date	04/13/2026
Semester Ends	04/13/2026

*During the first semester of enrollment, any tuition refund amounts will not include the non-refundable enrollment deposit amount (5% of tuition).

Course		Course Name	Units	Start Date	End Date
Orientation	ADS 550	New Student Orientation (New Students Only)	0	11/03/2025	01/02/2026
Prerequisite	ADS 500A	Probability and Statistics for Data Science	3	01/06/2026	02/23/2026
Prerequisite	ADS 500B	Data Science Programming	3	02/24/2026	04/13/2026
Foundation	ADS 501	Foundations of Data Science and Data Ethics	3	01/06/2026	02/23/2026
Foundation	ADS 502	Applied Data Mining	3	02/24/2026	04/13/2026
Core A	ADS 507	Practical Data Engineering	3	01/06/2026	02/23/2026
Core B	ADS 508	Data Science with Cloud Computing	3	02/24/2026	04/13/2026
Final Core	ADS 509	Applied Large Language Models for Data Science	3	01/06/2026	02/23/2026
Capstone	ADS 599	Capstone Project	3	02/24/2026	04/13/2026

Last Revised: *7/16/2025*   *Academic Calendars are subject to change.*