

GRADUATE DEGREE DEADLINES

2009-10

		Summer 2009 Graduation	Fall 2009 Graduation	Spring 2010 Graduation
Advancement to Candidacy Filing Deadline	Last day to apply for advancement to candidacy to be eligible for graduation the following term. Advancement must be achieved no later than one semester prior to the term in which you wish to register for the culminating experience and/or apply for the degree to be granted.	Feb. 27, 2009	Feb. 27, 2009	Sept. 28, 2009
Graduation Application Period	The filing period for the master's degree to be granted is approximately the first two weeks of each semester or summer. Applications are available in the Division of Graduate Studies office, Thomas Administration Bldg., room 130, or online at www.csufresno.edu/gradstudies , under the "Forms" link. A \$35.00 non-refundable graduation application fee is required.	May 26 - June 19, 2009	Aug. 24 - Sept. 8, 2009	Jan. 21 - Feb. 5, 2010
Final Thesis (299) Draft Deadline	Final Thesis draft, fully edited and signed, is due in the Division of Graduate Studies, Thomas Administration Building, room 130.	June 22, 2009	Oct. 26, 2009	March 15, 2010
Project (298)	Your department will assign a deadline and provide project procedures.			
Comprehensive Exam	Contact your department for the test date and exam procedures.			
Completion of Academic Work	All courses and requirements must be completed. All paperwork must be submitted to your graduate adviser or department office for processing. Contact your adviser or department concerning the submission of the required Graduate Degree Clearance form.	Aug. 14, 2009 (final day of instruction)	Dec. 9, 2009 (final day of instruction)	May 12, 2010 (final day of instruction)
Departmental Clearance Deadline	Graduate Degree Clearance forms are due in the Division of Graduate Studies, on behalf of all graduating students. Semester grades and grade reports for all "I", "RD", and "RP" graded courses (other than thesis and project) must be on file with the University Records Office. Last day to submit paperwork to the Division of Graduate Studies for graduating students.	Aug. 14, 2009	Dec. 18, 2009	May 21, 2010

IMPORTANT NOTE: Dates above are tentative, and subject to change, until the finalization of the University's Academic Affairs Calendar.