

UCSF Academic Year Planning Guide 2027-2028
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Quarter	Date	Class of 2031			Class of 2030			Class of 2029		Class of 2028				
Summer 2 Q 7/26/27 - 9/10/27	7/26/2027 - 7/30/2027	Vacation			Vacation/Inquiry			Foundations 2: Block 4	Longitudinal FCM 110/IDS 113 FS-in-F2	Career Launch: Block 5				
	8/2/2027 - 8/6/2027	Launch			CIC	IDS 122A Life Stages	CMC	IDS 117B PI Week 6		IDS 117D PI Week 8				
	8/9/2027 - 8/13/2027	CIC	IDS 121A Ground School	CMC				Foundations 2: Block 5		IDS 118 Deep Explore / IDS 125 SPAN				
	8/16/2027 - 8/20/2027													
	8/23/2027 - 8/27/2027													
	8/30/2027 - 9/3/2027													
	9/6/2027 - 9/10/2027	IDS 121A CMC Immersion			IDS 122B PI Week 4		Foundations 2: Block 6				Career Launch: Block 6			
9/13/2027 - 9/17/2027	CIC	IDS 121B ABC	CMC	Career Launch: Block 7										
9/20/2027 - 9/24/2027														
9/27/2027 - 10/1/2027														
10/4/2027 - 10/8/2027														
Fall Q 9/11/27 - 12/31/27	10/11/2027 - 10/15/2027	IDS 121B PI Week 1			CIC	IDS 122B BMB	CMC	Foundations 2: Block 6	Career Launch: Block 8					
	10/18/2027 - 10/22/2027	CIC	IDS 121B ABC	CMC					Career Launch: Block 9					
	10/25/2027 - 10/29/2027													
	11/1/2027 - 11/5/2027													
	11/8/2027 - 11/12/2027	Vacation			Vacation		Winter Break			Winter Break				
	11/15/2027 - 11/19/2027	CIC	IDS 121B ABC	CMC	IDS 122C DR	CMC								
	11/22/2027 - 11/26/2027													
	11/29/2027 - 12/3/2027							IDS 123A Inquiry Immersion			Winter Break			
	12/6/2027 - 12/10/2027							CIC	IDS 121B ABC			CMC		
	12/13/2027 - 12/17/2027													
	12/20/2027 - 12/24/2027													
	12/27/2027 - 12/31/2027													
	Winter Q 1/3/28 - 3/24/28	1/3/2028 - 1/7/2028	CIC	IDS 121C REGN	CMC	Foundations 2: Block 1	Longitudinal FCM 110/IDS 113 FS-in-F2	Step 1 Study Period and Exam	Career Launch: Block 10					
		1/10/2028 - 1/14/2028												
		1/17/2028 - 1/21/2028												
1/24/2028 - 1/28/2028														
1/31/2028 - 2/4/2028		IDS 121C PI Week 2			Foundations 2: Block 2				Longitudinal FCM 110/IDS 113 FS-in-F2	IDS 119 Intro to Career Launch / IDS 120 DCR	Career Launch: Block 11			
2/7/2028 - 2/11/2028		CIC	IDS 121C REGN	CMC		Career Launch: Block 12								
2/14/2028 - 2/18/2028														
2/21/2028 - 2/25/2028														
2/28/2028 - 3/3/2028		CIC	IDS 121D SCOPE	CMC	Foundations 2: Block 3		Longitudinal FCM 110/IDS 113 FS-in-F2	IDS 117C PI Week 7	Career Launch: Block 13					
3/6/2028 - 3/10/2028														
3/13/2028 - 3/17/2028						Vacation				CIC	IDS 121D PHD	CMC		
3/20/2028 - 3/24/2028														
3/27/2028 - 3/31/2028														
Spring Q 3/27/28 - 6/9/28		4/3/2028 - 4/7/2028	CIC	IDS 121D SCOPE	CMC	IDS 117A PI Week 5	Foundations 2: Block 3	Longitudinal FCM 110/IDS 113 FS-in-F2	Career Launch: Block 2					
		4/10/2028 - 4/14/2028												
	4/17/2028 - 4/21/2028													
	4/24/2028 - 4/28/2028													
	5/1/2028 - 5/5/2028	IDS 121D PI Week 3			CIC				IDS 121D PHD	CMC	Career Launch: Block 3			
	5/8/2028 - 5/12/2028													
	5/15/2028 - 5/19/2028													
	5/22/2028 - 5/26/2028													
	Summer 1 Q 6/12/28 - 7/28/28	5/29/2028 - 6/2/2028	Vacation/Inquiry			Foundations 2: Block 4	Longitudinal FCM 110/IDS 113 FS-in-F2	Career Launch: Block 4						
		6/5/2028 - 6/9/2028												
6/12/2028 - 6/16/2028														
6/19/2028 - 6/23/2028														
6/26/2028 - 6/30/2028														
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	7/24/2028 - 7/28/2028													

Legend: ABC, Airway, Blood & Circulation; BMB, Brain, Mind & Behavior; CIC, Core Inquiry Curriculum; CMC, Clinical Microsystems Clerkship; DCR, Designing and Conducting Research; DR, Diagnostic Reasoning; FCM, Family and Community Medicine; F1, Foundations 1; F2, Foundations 2; IDS, Interdepartmental Studies; PHD, Pathogens & Host Defenses; PI, Physician Identity; REGN, Regulation, Endocrine, GI & Nutrition; SCOPE, Social Context, Outcomes, Policy and Ethics; SPAN, Specialty Prattice in Ambulatory Sub-INTernship