



2026 Legislative Session Dates

| State | Session Dates | | | | | | | | | | | | Intro Deadlines | | Crossover | Carryover | | | |
|-------|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|---|---|--|------------|------------|-----|-----|
| | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | House | Senate | | '25 to '26 | '26 to '27 | | |
| AL | 1/13 | | 3/30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | No | No | |
| AK | 1/20 | | | | 5/20 | | | | | | | | 2/23/26 | 2/23/26 | | | Yes | No | |
| AZ | 1/12 | | | 4/25 | | | | | | | | | 2/9/26 | 2/9/26 | 2/27/26 | | No | No | |
| AR | | | | 4/8 | 5/7 | | | | | | | | 4/22/26 | 4/22/26 | | | No | No | |
| CA | 1/5 | | | | | | | 8/31 | | | | | 2/20/26 | 2/20/26 | 5/29/26 | | Yes | No | |
| CO | 1/14 | | | | 5/13 | | | | | | | | 2/13/26 | 2/6/26 | 3/20/26 | | No | No | |
| CT | | 2/4 | | | 5/6 | | | | | | | | 2/6/26 | 2/6/26 | | | No | No | |
| DE | 1/13 | | | | | 6/30 | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No | |
| FL | 1/13 | | 3/13 | | | | | | | | | | 1/13/26 | 1/13/26 | | | No | No | |
| GA | 1/12 | | | 4/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 3/6/26 | | Yes | No |
| HI | 1/21 | | | | 5/8 | | | | | | | | 1/28/26 | 1/28/26 | Non-Budget Bills: 3/12/26; Budget Bills: 3/18/26 | | Yes | No | |
| ID | 1/12 | | | 4/10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | No | No |
| IL | 1/13 | | | | 5/31 | | | | | | | | 2/6/26 | 2/6/26 | Senate: 4/17/26; House: 5/22/26 | | Yes | No | |
| IN | 1/13 | | 3/14 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1/29/26 | | No | No |
| IA | 1/12 | | | 4/21 | | | | | | | | | 1/23/26 | 1/23/26 | | | Yes | No | |
| KS | 1/12 | | | 4/10 | | | | | | | | | 2/4/26 | 2/4/26 | 2/19/26 | | Yes | No | |
| KY | 1/6 | | | 4/15 | | | | | | | | | 3/4/26 | 3/4/26 | | | No | No | |
| LA | | | 3/9 | | | 6/1 | | | | | | | 3/31/26 | 3/31/26 | | | No | No | |
| ME | 1/7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| MD | 1/14 | | | 4/13 | | | | | | | | | 2/13/26 | 2/9/26 | 3/23/26 | | No | No | |
| MA | 1/7 | | | | | | | 7/31 | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| MI | 1/14 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12/31 | | | Yes | No |
| MN | | 2/17 | | | 5/18 | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| MS | 1/6 | | | 4/5 | | | | | | | | | 1/19/26 | 1/19/26 | 2/26/26 | | No | No | |
| MO | 1/7 | | | | 5/15 | | | | | | | | 3/8/26 | 3/8/26 | | | No | No | |
| MT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NE | 1/7 | | | 4/17 | | | | | | | | | | 1/21/26 | | | | Yes | No |
| NV | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NH | 1/7 | | | | | 6/30 | | | | | | | 1/8/26 | | 3/26/26 | | Yes | No | |
| NJ | 1/13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1/11/2027 | | | No | Yes |
| NM | 1/20 | 2/19 | | | | | | | | | | | 2/4/26 | 2/4/26 | | | | No | No |
| NY | 1/7 | | | | | 6/4 | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| NC | | | | 4/21 | | | | 8/31 | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| ND | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OH | 1/5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12/31 | | | Yes | No |
| OK | | 2/2 | | | 5/29 | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| OR | | 2/2 | 3/8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2/16/26 | | No | No |
| PA | 1/6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 11/30 | | | Yes | No |
| RI | 1/6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | No | No |
| SC | 1/13 | | | | 5/7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| SD | 1/13 | | 3/30 | | | | | | | | | | Member Bills: 2/4/26; Committee Bills: 2/5/26 | Member Bills: 2/4/26; Committee Bills: 2/5/26 | 2/24/26 | | No | No | |
| TN | 1/13 | | | 4/24 | | | | | | | | | 1/30/26 | 1/30/26 | | | Yes | No | |
| TX | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| UT | 1/20 | | 3/6 | | | | | | | | | | 1/30/26 | 1/30/26 | 3/3/26 | | No | No | |
| VT | 1/6 | | | | 5/8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| VA | 1/14 | | 3/14 | | | | | | | | | | 1/23/26 | 1/23/26 | 2/18/26 | | No | Yes | |
| WA | 1/12 | | 3/12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| WV | 1/14 | | 3/14 | | | | | | | | | | 2/17/26 | 2/23/26 | 3/4/26 | | Yes | No | |
| WI | 1/13 | | 3/19 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| WY | | 2/9 | 3/11 | | | | | | | | | | 2/13/26 | 2/13/26 | 2/24/26 | | No | No | |

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