Summer Start Program



The Summer Start program is designed to provide students a flexible scheduling option that will permit an early start, with either a shorter time to graduation or a more relaxed pace for the program, depending on how students schedule the remainder of their education. If you are interested in starting in the summer or have questions, please contact the Admissions Office at law@umkc.edu or 816-235-1651.

- Students may take Torts (3 credit hours), Lawyering Skills I (3 credit hours), and/or Client Interviewing (1 credit hour), which are all courses that fulfill graduation requirements. Taking the full summer course load will allow Summer Starters to either take a lighter course load during the remainder of their 1L year or get ahead by taking further required or elective courses.
- A Summer Starter's spring 2024 schedule will include the option to take approved elective courses.
- Seats in the Summer Start Program are limited and will be filled in the order <u>full</u> seat deposits are received. The first seat deposit is due April 1st and the second \$250 seat deposit for Summer Starters is due by May 1st.
- Financial aid loans will be available for those who are enrolled in at least 5 credit hours.
 For the summer term, you will need to fill out or add our school code to the FAFSA for
 the 2022-23 academic year. Our school code is 002518. For questions regarding
 financial aid, please contact Steve Barnes in the Financial Aid Office at 816-235-5742
 or barnessm@umkc.edu.

Schedule of Classes

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Torts	Torts	Torts	Torts	Torts
8:30-9:45 a.m.	8:30-9:45 a.m.	8:30-9:45 a.m.	8:30-9:45 a.m.	8:30-9:45 a.m.
Lawyering Skills I	Client Interviewing	Lawyering Skills I		Lawyering Skills I
10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m2:50 p.m.	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.		10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.

Important Dates to Remember

Mandatory Summer Start Orientation: May 15-19

Summer Classes: May 22- July 7
Last Day of Exams: July 19

Fall Orientation: August 14-18 (Summer Start students need only attend portions

of the program, TBD)