KENTUCKY STATE UNIVERSITY

OFFICIAL FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE & INSTRUCTIONS

Fall 2026 • Monday through Thursday (December 7 – 10, 2026)

1. General Examination Directives & Rescheduling Protocols

Final examinations for the Fall 2026 semester are conducted strictly over four days, from Monday, December 7 through Thursday, December 10, 2026. In accordance with university scheduling standards, Fridays are excluded from final examination administration to prevent student travel conflicts and ensure strong academic engagement. All examinations are administered in 110-minute blocks with mandatory 25-minute transition intervals to ensure no overlapping schedules.

Examinations or final course culminating activities may not be opened or administered prior to the published examination period. Students with documented scheduling conflicts must contact their instructor as early as possible. Requests made less than 24 hours prior to the scheduled examination period may not be honored.

HOW TO DETERMINE YOUR FINAL EXAMINATION TIME:

- **Monday/Wednesday/Friday (MWF) & Monday/Wednesday (MW) Morning Courses:** Refer to the regular course start time on the master schedule. For example, classes meeting at 8:00 a.m. MWF or MW test on Monday, December 7, from 8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.; classes meeting MW at 11:00 a.m. (ENGAGE-MW) test on Wednesday, December 9, from 10:15 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.
- **Tuesday/Thursday (TR) Daytime Courses:** Refer to your approved 75-minute meeting block. For example, classes meeting TR at 8:00 a.m. test on Tuesday, December 8, from 8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.; classes meeting TR at 9:30 a.m. (TR-75-2) test on Tuesday, December 8, from 10:15 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.
- **Afternoon & Evening Course Pairings:** Monday/Wednesday afternoon sections are strategically alternated to prevent overlapping schedules for multi-course enrollments. MW 2:00 p.m. courses test on Monday, December 7 (2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.), while MW 3:30 p.m. courses test on Wednesday, December 9 (2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.).

2. Master Final Examination Schedule (Monday, December 7 – Thursday, December 10, 2026)

Strictly four instructional days • Six non-overlapping 110-minute examination periods per day

Matrix Block	Course Days	Semester Start Time	Final Exam Time	Course Category / Alignment
MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2026				
MWF-50-1 / MW-75-1	MWF or MW	**8:00 a.m.**	**8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.**	8:00 a.m. MWF (50-min) & MW (75-min) Courses
MWF-50-3	MWF	**10:00 a.m.**	**10:15 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.**	10:00 a.m. MWF (50-min) Courses
MW-75-3 / Legacy MWF-12	MW or MWF	**12:30 p.m. (or 12:00 p.m. MWF)**	**12:30 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.**	12:30 p.m. MW (75-min) & 12:00 p.m. Legacy MWF Courses
MW-75-4	Monday, Wednesday	**2:00 p.m.**	**2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.**	2:00 p.m. MW Courses
MW-75-6 / EVN-150-E (M)	Monday, Wednesday (or Mon 1x/wk)	**5:00 p.m.**	**5:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.**	5:00 p.m. MW & Monday Early Evening (5:00 p.m.) Courses
EVN-150-L (M)	Monday Only (1x/wk)	**6:30 p.m.**	**7:15 p.m. – 9:05 p.m.**	Monday Late Evening (6:30 p.m.) 1x/Week Courses
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2026				
TR-75-1	Tuesday, Thursday	**8:00 a.m.**	**8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.**	8:00 a.m. TR Courses
TR-75-2	Tuesday, Thursday	**9:30 a.m. (or 9:00 a.m.)**	**10:15 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.**	9:30 a.m. TR Courses

TR-75-3	Tuesday, Thursday	**12:30 p.m. (or 12:00/1:30 p.m.)**	**12:30 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.**	12:30 p.m. TR (and Legacy 12:00/1:30 p.m. TR) Courses
TR-75-5	Tuesday, Thursday	**3:30 p.m. (or 3:00 p.m.)**	**2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.**	3:30 p.m. TR (and Legacy 3:00 p.m. TR) Courses
TR-75-6 / EVN-150-E (T)	Tuesday, Thursday (or Tue 1x/wk)	**5:00 p.m. (or 4:30 p.m.)**	**5:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.**	5:00 p.m. / 4:30 p.m. TR & Tuesday Early Evening Courses
EVN-150-L (T)	Tuesday Only (1x/wk)	**6:30 p.m. (or 6:00 p.m.)**	**7:15 p.m. – 9:05 p.m.**	Tuesday Late Evening 1x/Week Courses
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2026				
MWF-50-2 / MW-75-2	MWF or MW	**9:00 a.m. MWF / 9:30 a.m. MW**	**8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.**	9:00 a.m. MWF (50-min) & 9:30 a.m. MW (75-min) Courses
ENGAGE-MW / MWF-11	MW or MWF	**11:00 a.m.**	**10:15 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.**	11:00 a.m. MW Lecture/Lab Block & Legacy 11:00 a.m. MWF Courses
Legacy MWF-1:00	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	**1:00 p.m.**	**12:30 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.**	Legacy 1:00 p.m. MWF Courses
MW-75-5	Monday, Wednesday	**3:30 p.m.**	**2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.**	3:30 p.m. MW Courses
MW-75-7 / EVN-150-E (W)	Monday, Wednesday (or Wed 1x/wk)	**6:30 p.m. MW / 5:00 p.m. W**	**5:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.**	6:30 p.m. MW Courses & Wednesday 5:00 p.m. 1x/wk Courses
EVN-150-L (W)	Wednesday Only (1x/wk)	**6:30 p.m. (1x/wk) or 8:00 p.m.**	**7:15 p.m. – 9:05 p.m.**	Wednesday Late Evening (6:30 p.m. 1x/wk) & Legacy 8:00 p.m. MW Courses
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2026				
F-EXP-1 / Friday-Only	Friday Only / Applied	**11:00 a.m. – 1:50 p.m. (or Friday)**	**8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.**	Friday Applied STEM / Practicums / Friday-Only Courses
Legacy TR-10:30 / 11:00	Tuesday, Thursday	**10:30 a.m. (or 11:00 a.m.)**	**10:15 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.**	Legacy 10:30 a.m. / 11:00 a.m. TR Courses
TR-75-4	Tuesday, Thursday	**2:00 p.m.**	**12:30 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.**	2:00 p.m. TR Courses
Conflict / Make-Up Window	All Days (By Approval)	**Conflict / Common Exam**	**2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.**	Designated University-Wide Conflict Resolution & Make-Up Examination Window
TR-75-7 / EVN-150-E (R)	Tuesday, Thursday (or Thu 1x/wk)	**6:30 p.m. TR / 5:00 p.m. R**	**5:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m.**	6:30 p.m. TR (or 6:00 p.m. TR) & Thursday 5:00 p.m. 1x/wk Courses
EVN-150-L (R)	Thursday Only (1x/wk)	**6:30 p.m. (1x/wk) or 7:30 p.m.**	**7:15 p.m. – 9:05 p.m.**	Thursday Late Evening (6:30 p.m. 1x/wk) & Legacy 7:30 p.m. TR Courses

3. Institutional Policies for Evening, Laboratory, and Overload Examinations

- **Exclusion of Fridays:** No final examinations are scheduled on Friday, December 11, 2026. The examination period officially concludes on Thursday, December 10, 2026 at 9:05 p.m.
- **Friday-Only & Applied STEM Courses:** Courses meeting solely on Fridays and F-EXP-1 applied STEM blocks administer final assessments on Thursday, December 10 from 8:00 a.m. – 9:50 a.m., or during the final scheduled laboratory meeting of the preceding week.

- **Evening Once-Per-Week Courses (EVN-150-E & EVN-150-L):** Once-per-week evening classes administer examinations on their regular meeting day during the designated 5:00 p.m. – 6:50 p.m. or 7:15 p.m. – 9:05 p.m. time slots between Monday, December 7 and Thursday, December 10.
- **Laboratory, Studio & Clinical Practicum Courses:** Examinations for 110-minute and 170-minute undergraduate laboratories (LAB-110 and LAB-170) are conducted during the final scheduled laboratory meeting of the last instructional week prior to Final Examination Week. Off-site hospital clinical rotations remain exempt from the on-campus examination matrix.
- **Three or More Examinations in a Single Day (Student Relief Policy):** Any student with more than two (2) final examinations scheduled on a single calendar day may request to reschedule the third (or subsequent) exam into the Thursday, December 10 Conflict & Make-Up Window (2:45 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.) by notifying the instructor in writing no later than the 13th week of the semester.
- **Mandatory Final Grade Submission Deadline:** All final semester grades must be entered and submitted to the Office of the Registrar no later than Monday, December 14, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.