

Fall 2025 Computer Science Undergraduate Course Restrictions

Date	ST = Staggered registration indicates the following restriction schedule, in addition to any major restrictions				
4/7	ALL CS GENG along with CS &/+ students that were first-time freshman FA22 or before and off campus transfers				
4/16	CS GENG along with CS &/+ students that were first-time freshman FA23 or before				
4/21	CS GENG along with CS &/+ students that were first-time freshman FA24 or before				
4/23	All remaining CS students as time tickets permit.				
	CS GENG CS &/+	CE	All GENG Tuition	Campus	If any remaining reserved seats
CS 124	open		open	open	8/20
CS 128	open		open	open	8/20
CS 173	open	open	open	open	8/20-8/25*
CS 210	CS ENG only FA22 & FA23, ST				8/20
CS 211	CS ENG only FA22 & FA23, ST				
CS 222	4/7 open to FA22 & FA23, 4/21 ST				
CS 225	open	open	open	open	8/20-8/25*
CS 233	4/7 open to FA22 & FA23, 4/21 ST		ST***	ST***	8/20-8/25*
CS 277	Course not running for FA25				
CS 307	Not Available to CS Majors	open	5/5	5/7	8/20
CS 340	CS &/+ only**	8/20-8/25*	8/20-8/25*	8/20-8/25*	8/20-8/25*
CS 341	ST		5/5	5/7	8/20
CS 357	ST	5/2	5/5	5/7	8/20
CS 361	ST	5/2	5/5	5/7	8/20
CS 374	ST	ECE ST	8/20-8/25*	8/20-8/25*	8/20-8/25*
CS 421	4/7 open to FA22 & FA23, 4/21 ST	5/2	5/5	5/7	8/20
CS 448	CS + Music, 4/18 open to all CS & ST	5/2	5/5	5/7	8/20
CS 4--	ST	5/2	5/5	5/7	8/20-8/25*

The CS Department will release RESTRICTIONS on given dates, if additional release dates are announced it will be on the CS Advising piazza. A date given does not automatically mean there will be seats available to release on that date. It is not possible to provide an exact time of day when restrictions or seats will be released. We will attempt to adjust restrictions between the hours of 9:00am and 5:00pm on that date. If the day is busy, it may take additional time after 5:00pm.

CS 124, 128, 173, 225 and 233 all have a section dedicated to only those currently in one of the CS majors and a separate section for non-major section. The nonmajor sections will be open to all cohorts with the exception of CS 233. Only CS 233 non-major sections will have staggered registration that follows the CS timeline listed above. CS 233 major section will be open to any FA23 and earlier and then follow stagger for later cohorts.

*Sign-up for the CS Advising piazza for the most up to date information about the CS advising office and CS courses: <https://piazza.com/illinois/other/csadvising>

Students should mark sections as “Favorites” in the Class Schedule found in Course Explorer to be notified when additional seats have been released.

CS 210 and CS 211: These courses will open to FA24 cohort on 4/21. Students must meet prerequisites and have junior standing. If there are remaining seats only the CS 210 section will open to non-majors.

CS 340: This course will open to all CS &/+ majors first and may open to other majors outside of CS-ENG after incoming ICT's are processed. CS &/+ majors also have the option to take the CS 233/341 sequence. CS GENG are required to take 233 and 341.

All 400 level CS courses will restrict first-time freshman from enrolling in the course and prerequisites will be enforced. To find out the prerequisites for a course look at the entry for the course in the Class Schedule found in Course Explorer. It will also list in the section notes any other restrictions of the course.

<https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/2025/fall>

CS 307 will have a major only section for DS majors and a separate section for all other majors.

CE majors will have access to CS 400 levels on 5/2 with the exception of CS 491 and CS 498 sections.