



# 2015 - 2016 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

## Traditional Undergraduate Students

### FALL SEMESTER 2015

New Student Check-In/Move-In Day	Fri., August 28
New Student Welcome Weekend	Fri., Aug. 28 – Sun., Aug. 30
*Returning Student Check-In/Move-In Day	Sun., August 30
Residence halls open for returning students	
Academic Convocation	Mon., August 31
<b>Classes begin</b>	<b>Mon., August 31, 12:30 p.m.</b>
Labor Day, no classes, offices closed*	Mon., September 7
Course Add/Drop deadline	Tues., September 15
Columbus Day, no classes**, Offices closed*	Mon., October 12
Mid-term grades deadline	Wed., October 21
Course selection for Spring 2016	Mon., Nov. 2 – Fri., Nov. 13
Course withdrawal deadline	Fri., November 6
Grade/Pass/Fail declaration deadline	Fri., November 6
Web Registration for Spring 2016	Mon., Nov. 9 – Fri., Dec. 4
<b>Wednesday class schedule in effect</b>	<b>Tues., November 10</b>
Veterans Day observed, no classes**, Offices closed*	Wed., November 11
Thanksgiving Recess, no classes**, Offices* and residence halls close at Noon on Wed., Nov. 25	Wed., Nov. 25 – Sun., Nov. 29
Residence halls reopen	Sun., November 29, Noon
Classes end	Mon., Dec. 14, 10:00 p.m.
Final Examinations	Tues., Dec. 15 – Sat. Dec. 19, 10:00 p.m.
<b>Residence halls close</b> <b>(Subject to change in the event of snow days; Students must leave residence</b> <b>halls no later than 24 hrs. after last scheduled exam)</b>	<b>Sun., December 20, Noon</b>
Final Exam Snow Day (if needed)	Sun., December 20
Final grade submission deadline	Thurs., Dec. 24, 10:00 p.m.
Offices closed*	Thurs., Dec. 24 – Fri., Jan. 1
Offices reopen*	Mon., January 4

### SPRING SEMESTER 2016

Martin Luther King Day, no classes**, offices closed*	Mon., January 18
Residence halls reopen at 9:00 a.m. for new students, 10:00 a.m. for returning students	Sun., January 24
Final Registration/Check-in all students	Sun., January 24
<b>Classes begin</b>	<b>Mon., Jan. 25, 7:00 a.m.</b>
Course Add/Drop deadline	Mon., February 8
Presidents' Day, no classes**, Offices closed*	Mon., February 15
Spring Recess, no classes**	Sat., March 12 – Sun., March 20
Residence halls close 7:00 p.m., Fri., March 11	
Residence halls reopen	Sun., March 20, Noon
Mid-term grade submission deadline	Wed., March 23
Course selection for Fall 2016	Mon., April 4 – Fri., April 15
Course withdrawal deadline	Fri., April 8
Grade/Pass/Fail declaration deadline	Fri., April 8
Web Registration for Fall 2016	Mon., April 11 – Fri., April 29
<b>Patriots Day, classes held, offices closed*</b>	<b>Mon., April 18</b>
Classes end	Mon., May 9, 10:00 p.m.
Final Examinations	Tues., May 10 – Sat., May 14, 10:00 p.m.
Residence halls close (Students must leave residence halls no later than 24 hrs. after last scheduled exam)	Sun., May 15, Noon
<b>Senior grades due 48 hours after scheduled exam, no later than</b>	<b>Tues., May 17, 10:00 a.m.</b>
Final grade submission deadline ( <b>not seniors</b> )	Thurs., May 19, 10:00 p.m.
Commencement Rehearsal	Sat., May 21, 10:00 a.m.
Nurse Pinning	Sat., May 21, 3:00 p.m.
Commencement	Sun., May 22
Residence halls close for Senior Week participants 2:00 p.m.	
Memorial Day, offices closed*	Mon., May 30

### WINTER INTERSESSION 2016

Classes held	Sat., Jan. 2 – Sun., Jan. 24
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\* Office staff should check with supervisor. \*\* C.E. accelerated eight-week classes held during this time. Please consult with the Continuing Education Division for details.

*Note: For specific information regarding Continuing Education course schedules, holidays, and closings, please consult with the Continuing Education Division.*