2016-2017 Academic Calendar

2016

FALL SEMESTER

August 15  Payment Due for 2016 Fall
August 15-19  Faculty Meetings
August 16  New Student Convocation at 4 p.m.
August 19  Last Day to Register to avoid Late Registration Fee
August 22  Fall Semester Classes Begin
August 29  Last Day to Drop or Add a Semester Course
September 5  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Closed/Labor Day
October 1  Last Day to Apply for December Degree Conferral
October 10-11  Undergraduate Classes Do Not Meet/Some Graduate Classes Meet/Administrative Offices Open/Fall Break
October 12  Mid Term Grades Due at 5 p.m.
October 31-Nov 22  Pre-registration for 2017 Spring
November 16  International Convocation 2 p.m.
November 22  Last Day to Withdraw from a Semester Course
November 23-26  Classes Do Not Meet/Thanksgiving Break for Students
November 24-25  Administrative Offices Closed/Thanksgiving Break
December 5  Last day of Semester classes
December 6-10  Semester Examinations *
December 10  Semester Ends/December Degree Conferral
December 15  Payment Due for 2017 Spring
December 19-Jan 13  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Open Holiday Break for Students
December 23, 26, 27  Administrative Offices Closed/ Holiday Break

2017

SPRING SEMESTER

January 2  Administrative Offices Closed
January 13  New Year’s Day Observed
January 14  Last Day to Register to avoid Late Registration Fee
January 16  Spring Semester Classes Begin
January 23  Martin Luther King Day of Service/Classes Do Not Meet/Service of Remembrance TBD
March 1  Last Day to Drop or Add a Course
March 13-18  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Open Spring Break
March 15  Mid Term Grades Due at 5 p.m.
March 20–July 1  Pre-registration for 2017 Fall
April 14  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Closed Good Friday
April 24  Last Day to Withdraw from a Semester Course
May 4  Last day of Semester Classes/Honorary Friday - Friday Class Schedule Meets
May 5-6  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Closed/Apple Blossom
May 8-12  Semester Examinations *
May 12  Semester Ends/May Degree Conferral
May 13  Commencement Ceremony at 10 a.m.
May 15-19  Faculty Assessment Week

2017 SUMMER SESSIONS

March 20- April 13  Pre-registration for 2017 Summer Session classes (SU & S2)
May 10  Payment Due for 2017/SU Summer 1 Session Classes (beginning prior to June 30)
May 22  2017/SU Summer 1 Begins
May 29  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Closed/Memorial Day
June 15  Payment Due for 2017/S2 Summer 2 Session Classes (beginning after July 1)
July 1  Last day to apply for August Degree Conferral
July 3  2017/S2 Summer 2 Session Begins
July 4  Classes Do Not Meet/Administrative Offices Closed/Independence Day SU Holiday
August 12  Summer (SU & S2) Classes End/August Degree Conferral

*Summer Add/Drop Policy:
The last day to add or drop a course differs for summer terms and is based on the duration of meeting times. A student is entitled to a full refund on a course when it is dropped prior to the published drop date for the specific course.

- Courses meeting less than One and up to Two Weeks ...
  - Any drop must be prior to the first day of class
- Courses meeting Three to Four Weeks ...
  - First day of class and the following business day
- Courses meeting Five to Six Weeks ...
  - First day of class and the following two business days
- Courses meeting Seven to Eight Weeks ...
  - First day of class and the following three business days
- Courses meeting Nine or more Weeks ...
  - First day of class and the following four business days

Summer Withdrawal Policy:
A summer course withdrawal is based on the length of the course. For courses running less than two weeks, the withdrawal period is the first day of class and the following business day. For courses running longer than two weeks, a student is able to withdraw prior to the 60% point of course completion. Tuition is only prorated if a student withdraws from all summer courses in a term by the 60% point.

* Grades due 3 business days after Final Exam

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