

# University Academic Calendar

## 2016 – 2017

### Fall 2016 Semester

#### August

- Saturday, August 13
  - Residence halls open for new students
  - New students complete registration
- Sunday, August 14 – Sunday, August 21
  - Welcome Week
- Monday, August 15
  - Faculty and Staff Institute
- Wednesday, August 17
  - Residence halls open for continuing students
  - New Student Orientation (Make-up)
- Wednesday, August 17 – Friday, August 19
  - Continuing students register or complete registration
- Saturday, August 20
  - Classes begin
- Friday, August 26
  - Last day of late registration
  - Last day to add/change registration
  - Fall payment deadline
- Monday, August 29
  - Students dropped for non-payment

#### September

- Monday, September 5
  - Academic holiday (Labor Day)
- Wednesday, September 7
  - Last day for Administrative Course Additions
- Saturday, September 24
  - Last day for students to submit an Application for Degree to the Departments for the Fall 2016 semester

#### October

- Saturday, October 1
  - Last day for departments to submit Applications for Degree to the Office of the University Registrar for the Fall 2016 semester
- Saturday, October 1 – Friday, October 7
  - Mid-term Examination Week
- Monday, October 10
  - All midterm grades to be input by faculty no later than 5:00 pm
- Friday, October 14

- Founder's Day
  - Last day for students to submit work for an incomplete grade received in Spring and/or Summer 2016 semester/session.
- Saturday, October 15
  - Homecoming
- Monday, October 17 and Tuesday, October 18
  - Fall Break (No classes)
- Monday, October 24
  - All grade changes for incomplete work from Spring and/or Summer sessions 2016 due in the Office of the University Registrar
- Monday, October 24—Friday, October 28
  - Rising Junior Assessment
- Friday, October 28
  - Last day to drop classes or withdraw from the University with a "W"
- Monday, October 31
  - Last day for Registrar to notify Spring 2017 graduates and advisors of deficiencies in Application for Degree
- Monday, October 31 – Sunday, December 4
  - Faculty advisement period for student course selection for the Spring and Summer 2017 semester/session

## **November**

- Tuesday, November 8
  - Academic holiday (Election Day)
- Wednesday, November 23 – Saturday, November 26
  - Thanksgiving holiday
- Monday, November 28
  - Classes resume
- Monday, November 28 – Friday, December 9
  - Student evaluations of faculty

## **December**

- Friday, December 9
  - Last day of classes
- Saturday, December 3 – Friday, December 9
  - Final examinations for prospective graduates
- Saturday, December 10 – Friday, December 16
  - Final examinations
- Wednesday, December 14
  - Reading Day (No exams except for Wednesday evening classes)
- Friday, December 16
  - Fall semester ends
  - Graduate Recognition and Diploma Ceremony
- Saturday, December 17
  - All residence halls closes at 1:00pm
- Monday, December 19
  - All grades to be input by faculty no later than 5:00 pm