

# 2017 – 2018 Academic Calendar

## Fall Semester

### August

- Saturday, August 12
  - Residence halls open for new students
  - New students complete registration
- Sunday, August 13 – Sunday, August 20
  - Welcome Week
- Monday, August 14 -- Tuesday, August 15
  - Faculty and Staff Institute
- Wednesday, August 16
  - Residence halls open for continuing students
  - New Student Orientation (Make-up)
- Wednesday, August 16 – Friday, August 18
  - Continuing students register or complete registration
- Saturday, August 19
  - Classes begin
- Friday, August 25
  - Last day of late registration
  - Last day to add/change registration
  - Fall payment deadline
- Monday, August 28
  - Students dropped for non-payment

### September

- Monday, September 4
  - Academic holiday (Labor Day)
- Friday, September 8
  - Last day for students to submit an Application for Degree to departments for the Spring 2018 semester
- Friday, September 15
  - Last day for departments to submit Applications for Degree to the Office of the University Registrar for the Spring 2018 semester
- Saturday, September 30 – Friday, October 6
  - Mid-term Examination Week

### October

- Monday, October 9 and Tuesday, October 10
  - Fall Break (No classes)
- Wednesday, October 11
  - All midterm grades to be input by faculty no later than 5:00 pm
- Friday, October 13

- Last day for students to submit work for an incomplete grade received in Spring and/or Summer 2017 semester/session
- Friday, October 20
  - Founder's Day
- Saturday, October 21
  - Homecoming
- Monday, October 23
  - All grade changes for incomplete work from Spring and/or Summer sessions 2017 due in the Office of the University Registrar
- Monday, October 23—Friday, October 27
  - Rising Junior Assessment
- Friday, October 27
  - Last day to drop classes or withdraw from the University with a "W"
- Monday, October 30
  - Last day for Registrar to notify Spring 2018 graduates and advisors of deficiencies in Application for Degree
- Monday, October 30 – Friday, December 8
  - Student evaluations of faculty

## **November**

- Wednesday, November 1 – Thursday, November 30
  - Faculty advisement period for student course selection for the Spring 2018 semester
- Wednesday, November 22 – Saturday, November 25
  - Thanksgiving holiday
- Monday, November 27
  - Classes resume

## **December**

- Friday, December 8
  - Last day of classes
- Saturday, December 9 – Friday, December 15
  - Final examinations
- Wednesday, December 13
  - Reading Day (No exams except for Wednesday evening classes)
- Friday, December 15
  - Fall semester ends
- Saturday, December 16
  - Graduation & Commencement
- Monday, December 18
  - All grades to be input by faculty no later than 5:00 pm