



Traditional Academic Calendar

FALL SEMESTER	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
New students arrive	August 22	August 27	August 26
Final fall check-in	August 24	August 29	August 28
Classes begin	August 25, 8 a.m.*	August 30, 8 a.m.*	August 29, 8 a.m.*
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Sept. 1	Sept. 6	Sept. 5
Homecoming	Oct. 2-4	Oct. 7-9	Oct. 6-8
Mid-term break	Oct. 19-23	Oct. 17-21	Oct. 16-20
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	Oct. 30	Nov. 4	Nov. 3
Academic advising period	Oct. 29-Nov. 13	Nov. 3-18	Nov. 2-17
Thanksgiving break	Nov. 26-27	Nov. 24-25	Nov. 23-24
Last Day of Classes	Dec. 7	Dec. 9	Dec. 8
Reading Day	Dec. 8	Dec. 12	Dec. 11
Final Exams	Dec. 9-11	Dec. 13-15	Dec. 12-14
SPRING SEMESTER	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
New student day, final registration	Jan. 5	Jan. 10	Jan. 9
Classes begin, 8 a.m.	Jan. 6	Jan. 11	Jan. 10
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Jan. 13	Jan. 18	Jan. 17
Martin Luther King Jr. Study Day (evening classes in session)	Jan. 18	Jan. 16	Jan. 15
Mid-term break	Feb. 22-26	Feb. 27-Mar.3	Feb. 26-Mar. 2
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	March 11	March 17	March 16
Academic Advising period	March 10-30	Mar.16-Apr. 3	Mar. 15-Apr. 2
Good Friday Holiday	March 25	April 14	March 30
Last Day of Classes	April 15	April 21	April 20
Reading Day	April 18	April 24	April 23
Final Exams	April 19-21	April 25-27	April 24-26
Baccalaureate Service, 11 a.m. Commencement, 3:00 p.m.	April 24	April 30	April 29
MAY TERM			
Classes begin, 9 a.m.	April 27	May 3	May 2
Drop-add ends, 5 p.m.	April 28	May 4	May 3
No class for 3-credit classes	May 4, 11	May 10, 17	May 9,16
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	May 10	May 16	May 15
Last day of class/final exam	May 18	May 24	May 23
SUMMER SESSION VI			
Begin-End dates	Jun.13-Jul.29	June 19-Aug.4	June 18-Aug. 3
May-Summer SSTers return	July 26	August 1	July 31

See Year-Round calendar for Nursing and MBA graduate programs. The Environmental Education graduate program and undergraduate degree completion programs maintain their own calendars.

*Chem 111 Lab A begins 6:30 pm. Mon. Other classes begin Tue. 8 am.



Year-Round Academic Calendar
Six 7-week sessions*

FALL SEMESTER	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Session I			
<i>Classes begin</i>	<i>August 31</i>	<i>August 29</i>	<i>August 28</i>
<i>Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.</i>	<i>Sept. 8</i>	<i>Sept. 6</i>	<i>Sept. 5</i>
<i>Last day to withdraw with a "W"</i>	<i>Sept. 28</i>	<i>Sept. 26</i>	<i>Sept. 25</i>
<i>Last day of class</i>	<i>Oct. 16</i>	<i>Oct. 14</i>	<i>Oct. 13</i>
Session II			
<i>Classes begin</i>	<i>Oct. 22</i>	<i>Oct. 20</i>	<i>Oct. 19</i>
<i>Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.</i>	<i>Oct. 29</i>	<i>Oct. 27</i>	<i>Oct. 26</i>
<i>Last day to withdraw with a "W"</i>	<i>Nov. 19</i>	<i>Nov. 17</i>	<i>Nov. 16</i>
<i>Thanksgiving break</i>	<i>Nov. 26-27</i>	<i>Nov. 24-25</i>	<i>Nov. 23-24</i>
<i>Last Day of Classes</i>	<i>Dec. 11</i>	<i>Dec. 9</i>	<i>Dec 8</i>
SPRING SEMESTER			
Session III			
<i>Classes begin</i>	<i>Jan. 5</i>	<i>Jan. 10</i>	<i>Jan. 9</i>
<i>Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.</i>	<i>Jan. 13</i>	<i>Jan. 18</i>	<i>Jan. 17</i>
<i>Last day to withdraw with a "W"</i>	<i>Feb. 2</i>	<i>Feb. 7</i>	<i>Feb. 6</i>
<i>Last day of class</i>	<i>Feb. 23</i>	<i>Feb. 28</i>	<i>Feb. 27</i>
Session IV			
<i>First day of class</i>	<i>Feb. 29</i>	<i>March 6</i>	<i>March 5</i>
<i>Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.</i>	<i>March 7</i>	<i>March 13</i>	<i>March 12</i>
<i>Last day to withdraw with a "W"</i>	<i>March 28</i>	<i>April 3</i>	<i>April 2</i>
<i>Good Friday Holiday</i>	<i>March 25</i>	<i>April 14</i>	<i>March 30</i>
<i>Spring Break</i>	<i>April 4-8</i>	<i>April 3-7</i>	<i>April 2-6</i>
<i>Last Day of Classes</i>	<i>April 22</i>	<i>April 28</i>	<i>April 27</i>
<i>Baccalaureate Service, 11 a.m. Commencement, 3 p.m.</i>	<i>April 24</i>	<i>April 30</i>	<i>April 29</i>
SUMMER			
Session V			
<i>Classes begin</i>	<i>April 26</i>	<i>May 2</i>	<i>May 1</i>
<i>Drop/add period ends, 5 p.m.</i>	<i>May 3</i>	<i>May 9</i>	<i>May 8</i>
<i>Memorial Day Holiday</i>	<i>May 30</i>	<i>May 29</i>	<i>May 28</i>
<i>Last day to withdraw with a "W"</i>	<i>May 24</i>	<i>May 30</i>	<i>May 29</i>
<i>Last day of class</i>	<i>June 10</i>	<i>June 16</i>	<i>June 15</i>
Session VI			
<i>Classes begin</i>	<i>June 13</i>	<i>June 19</i>	<i>June 18</i>
<i>Drop/add period ends, 5 p.m.</i>	<i>June 20</i>	<i>June 26</i>	<i>June 25</i>
<i>Independence Day Holiday</i>	<i>July 4</i>	<i>July 4</i>	<i>July 4</i>
<i>Last day to withdraw with a "W"</i>	<i>July 11</i>	<i>July 17</i>	<i>July 16</i>
<i>Last day of class</i>	<i>July 29</i>	<i>Aug 4</i>	<i>Aug. 3</i>

Nursing and MBA graduate programs follow the Year-Round calendar. Degree completion and Environmental Education graduate programs maintain their own calendars.