

Academic Calendar 2017-2018

Fall 2017

Aug 23-27Wed - SunFirst Year OrientationAug 24-25Thurs-FriFirst Year AdvisingAug 28MonFirst day of classes

Sept 8 Fri Last day drop/add or change grading option

Sept 15 – 17 Fri - Sun Homecoming

Oct 4 - 23 Wed -Mon Mid-semester reports due

Oct 7 - 10Sat - TuesReading daysOct 27FriFall Honors DayOct 27 - 29Fri - SunFamily Weekend

Nov 10 Fri Last day to withdraw from classes with Grade of "W"

Nov 21Tues, 5:00 pmThanksgiving break beginsNov 27Mon, 8:00 amThanksgiving break endsDec 8FriLast day of classes

Dec 18 Mon All grades due

Spring 2018

Jan 1. Mon

Jan 22 Mon First day of classes

Feb 2 Fri Last day drop/add or change grading option

Feb 28 – Mar 19Wed - FriMid-semester reports dueMar 9Fri, 5:00 pmSpring break beginsMar 19Mon, 8:00 amSpring break ends

Apr 6 Fri Last day to withdraw from classes with Grade of "W"

Apr 21SatGet Acquainted DayMay 4FriLast day of classesMay 4 - 5Fri - SatCelebration

May 6 - 12 Sun - Sat Final exams (Reading days: Sat 5/5 & Wed 5/9)

May 14 Mon All grades due

May 19 Sat Spring Honors Day and Baccalaureate

May 20 Sun Commencement

Major Civic and Religious Holidays during the Academic Year

New Year's Day

Labor Day Feb 19, M Presidents' Day Sep 4, M Sep 1-2, F-S Eid Al Adha Feb 14, W Ash Wednesday Sep 20-22, W-F Rosh Hashanah Feb 28-Mar1, W-Th Purim Maundy Thursday Sep 29-30, F-Sat Yom Kippur Mar 29, Th Oct 4-11, Wed-Wed Sukkot Mar 30, F Good Friday Oct 9, M Columbus Day Mar 30-Apr7, F-Sat Pesach (Passover) Oct 19-23, Th-M Diwali Apr 1, Sun Easter / Pascha All Saints' Day May 16-Jun 14, M-Th Ramadan

Nov 1, W All Saints' Day May 16-Jun 14, M-Th Ramadan Nov 11, Sat Veterans' Day May 28, M Memorial Day Nov 23, Th Thanksgiving June 15, F Eid al-Fitr

Dec 12-20, Tue-Wed Hanukkah July 4, W Independence Day
Dec 25, Mon Christmas

Jan 15, MMartin Luther King DayFeb 16, FChinese New YearEffective 10/18/16 FGC