**FALL SEMESTER 2017**

- International Student Orientation: August 8, Tuesday
- Freshman Orientation Begins: August 13, Sunday
- Transfer Student Orientation: August 17, Thursday
- Open Registration Ends: August 20, Sunday
- Fall semester opens 8:00 a.m.: August 21, Monday
- Classwork begins 8:00 a.m.: August 21, Monday
- Labor Day Holiday: September 4, Monday
- Mid-Semester: October 14, Saturday
- Thanksgiving vacation begins 8:00 a.m.: November 19, Sunday
- Thanksgiving vacation ends 8:00 a.m.: November 27, Monday
- Last Class Day: December 8, Friday
- Final Examinations begin 7:30 a.m.: December 11, Monday
- Final Examinations end 5:00 p.m.: December 15, Friday
- December Commencement - 10am- All Graduate Students and Undergraduate Degrees in Arts, Business and Science Programs: December 16, Saturday
- December Commencement – 4pm– Engineering Undergraduate Students: December 16, Saturday

**SPRING SEMESTER 2018**

- International Student Orientation: January 8, Monday
- Open Registration Ends: January 14, Sunday
- Martin Luther King, Jr. Recognition Holiday: January 15, Monday
- Spring semester opens 8:00 a.m.: January 16, Tuesday
- Classwork begins 8:00 a.m.: January 16, Tuesday
- Mid-Semester: March 10, Saturday
- Spring Recess begins 8:00 a.m.: March 15, Thursday
- Spring Recess ends 8:00 a.m.: March 19, Monday
- Spring Break begins 8:00 a.m.: March 25, Sunday
- Spring Break ends 8:00 a.m.: April 2, Monday
- Last Class Day: May 4, Friday
- Final Examinations begin 7:30 a.m.: May 7, Monday
- Final Examinations end 5:00 p.m.: May 11, Friday
- Spring Semester closes 6:00 p.m.: May 11, Friday
- May Commencement- 10am- All Graduate Students and Undergraduate Degrees in Arts, Business and Science Programs: May 12, Saturday
- May Commencement – 4pm– Engineering Undergraduate Students: May 12, Saturday

**SUMMER SESSION 2018**

- Open Registration Ends: June 3, Sunday
- Summer session opens 8:00 a.m.: June 4, Monday
- Classwork begins 8:00 a.m.: June 4, Monday
- Independence Day Holiday (observed): July 4, Wednesday
- Final Examinations begin 8:00 a.m.: July 26, Thursday
- Final Examinations end 12:30 p.m.: July 27, Friday
- Summer Sessions closes 12:30 p.m.: July 27, Friday

*Schedule shows the regular eight-week Summer Session. Other special four-week course sessions may be scheduled.*

**CLASS SESSIONS (EXCLUDING FINAL EXAMINATIONS)**

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The faculty is reminded of the religious and other holidays that a substantial number of students may wish to observe.