

**Fall 2016-Summer 2017
Preliminary Academic Calendar***

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*For tentative planning purposes only. Until formally approved, these dates are subject to change.

Activity	Undergraduate	Graduate Schools Degree/Licensure
FALL 2016		
Faculty/Staff Convocation	Thursday, September 1	Thursday, September 1
Piper Passages (Fall Orientation)	Sunday, September 4 - Tuesday, September 6	n/a
New Student Orientation	n/a	Wednesday, August 31
Fall term classes begin	Wednesday, September 7	Wednesday, September 7
Census Day	Tuesday, September 20	Tuesday, September 20
Midterm Break	Friday, October 28	n/a
Classes resume	Monday, October 31	n/a
Second half-of-term classes begin	Monday, October 31	n/a
Thanksgiving Break	Thursday-Friday, November 24-25	Thursday-Saturday, November 24-26
Classes resume	Monday, November 28	Monday, November 28
Fall term classes end	Tuesday, December 13	Saturday, December 17
Final exams end	Tuesday, December 20	n/a
WINTER 2017 (J-Term)		
Winter term classes begin	Tuesday, January 3	Tuesday, January 3
Census Day	Wednesday, January 4	Wednesday, January 4
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no classes)	Monday, January 16	Monday, January 16
Winter term classes end	Thursday, January 26	Monday, January 30
SPRING 2017		
New Student Orientation	Tuesday, January 31	Wednesday, January 25
Spring term classes begin	Wednesday, February 1	Wednesday, February 1
Census Day	Tuesday, February 14	Tuesday, February 14
Midterm Break begins	Monday, March 20	n/a
Classes resume	Monday, March 27	n/a
Second half-of-term classes begin	Monday, March 27	n/a
Easter Break (Good Friday)	Friday, April 14	Friday-Saturday, April 14-15
Spring term classes end	Friday, May 12	Saturday, May 13
Final exams end	Thursday, May 18	n/a
Commencement	Saturday, May 20	Saturday, May 20
SUMMER 2017 (all terms)		
	Undergraduate Summer I (4 weeks)	Graduate Schools Degree/Licensure
Classes begin	Monday, June 5	Monday, June 5
Holiday (no classes)	n/a	Tuesday, July 4
Early Summer Sessions Final Exams	n/a	n/a
Classes end	Thursday, June 29	Saturday, August 26
Final Exams	n/a	n/a
	Undergraduate Summer II (4 weeks)	
Classes begin	Monday, July 10	
Holiday (no classes)	n/a	
Classes end	Thursday, August 3	
Final Exams	n/a	
	Undergraduate Summer III (10 weeks)	
Classes begin	Monday, June 5	
Holiday (no classes)	Tuesday, July 4	
Classes end	Friday, August 4	
Final Exams	n/a	