

University Calendar 2016-2017

Fall Semester 2016

August 19, Friday	7 AM, New Freshmen and Transfer Students check into Residence Halls.
August 19-28, Friday-Sunday	Welcome Week
August 21, Sunday	8 AM, Residence Halls open for returning students
August 22, Monday	3:00 PM, Opening Convocation and Blue Line Classes begin 5 PM.
August 26, Friday	Last day of Fall semester registration Last day to change courses or course sections Last day to register course as Audit
September 5, Monday	Labor Day; offices closed
September 15, Thursday	Last day to apply for May 2017 graduation without fee penalty
October 14-17, Friday-Monday	Fall Break Residence Halls close 9 AM, Oct. 14; reopen 2 PM, Oct. 17.
October 19, Wednesday	Advising for Spring 2017 begins.
October 21, Friday	Last day to withdraw from a full* semester fall class. An N grade will be assigned. No class withdrawals will be permitted after this date except by extenuating circumstances.
November 2, Wednesday	Last day to elect S/U option.
November 8, Tuesday	Registration for Spring 2017 begins.
November 23-27, Wednesday-Sunday	Election Day; no classes; offices open Thanksgiving Holidays; offices closed Nov. 24-25. Residence Halls close 9 AM Nov. 23, reopen 2 PM November 27
December 5, Monday	Last day of Fall 2016 classes
December 6, Tuesday	Study day
December 7-13, Wednesday-Tuesday	Final examinations
December 14, Wednesday	9 AM, Undergraduates check out of residence halls.
December 17, Saturday	11 AM, Commencement 6 PM, Graduates check out of residence halls. Residence Halls close.

Spring Semester 2017

January 6, Friday	8 AM, New Freshmen and Transfer Students check into Residence Halls.
January 8, Sunday	8 AM, Residence Halls open for returning students.
January 9, Monday	Classes begin.
January 13, Friday	Last day of Spring semester registration Last day to change courses or course sections Last day to register course as Audit
January 16, Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr Holiday; no classes; offices closed.
February 1, Wednesday	Last day to apply for August or December 2017 graduation without fee penalty
March 8, Wednesday	Last day to withdraw from a full* semester spring class. An N grade will be assigned. No class withdrawals will be permitted after this date except by extenuating circumstances.
March 13-19, Monday-Sunday	Last day to elect S/U option. Spring Break Residence Halls closed 6 PM, Mar. 10; reopen 2 PM Mar. 19.
March 22, Wednesday	Advising for Fall 2017 begins; registration for summer begins.
April 5, Wednesday	Registration for Fall 2017 begins.
April 24, Monday	Last day of Spring 2017 classes
April 25, Tuesday	Study day
April 26-May 2, Wednesday-Tuesday	Final examinations
May 3, Wednesday	9 AM, Undergraduates check out of residence halls.
May 4, Thursday	7 PM, Graduate Commencement
May 6, Saturday	10 AM & 3 PM, Undergraduate Commencements 7 PM, Graduates check out of residence halls. Residence Halls close.

*Courses which meet less than the full semester have different withdrawal dates.

Please refer to the current semester's online *Registration Calendar* for other dates.