

# ACADEMIC CALENDAR

2016 – 2017

## FALL SEMESTER 2016

August 13	Saturday	Fall Registration Ends
August 15	Monday	First Day of Instruction – Fall Semester Begins
August 15-18	Monday-Thursday	First year Student Orientation Activities
August 27	Saturday	Fall Semester Drop/Add Ends
August 29-September 2	Monday-Friday	Annual Assessment Due
September 5	Monday	Labor Day – University Closed
September 5-10	Monday-Saturday	Early Alert Week
September 6	Tuesday	University Opens/Classes Resume
September 17	Saturday	Constitution Day
October 3-8	Monday-Saturday	Mid-Term Grades Due
October 10	Monday	First Day of Instruction for Intensive Classes
October 15	Saturday	Last day for withdrawing from classes without Academic penalty
October 17-21	Monday-Friday	Course Assessments
November 8	Tuesday	Election Day
November 21-26	Monday-Saturday	Thanksgiving Holidays – University Closed
December 3	Saturday	Last Day of Instruction
December 10	Saturday	Finals Week: Fall and Intensive Semester Ends
December 13-14	Tuesday-Wednesday	University Wide Retreat
December 19-January 2	Monday-Monday	Winter Break – University Closed

## SPRING SEMESTER 2017

January 7	Saturday	Spring Registration Ends
January 9	Monday	First Day of Instruction. Spring Semester Begins.

January 16	Monday	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday. University Closed
January 17	Tuesday	University Opens/Classes Resume
January 21	Saturday	Spring Semester Drop/Add Ends
January 30-February 4	Monday-Saturday	Early Alert Week
March 3	Friday	Honor Program
March 4	Saturday	Last day for FAFSA
March 6	Monday	First Day of Instruction for Intensive Classes
March 6-11	Monday-Saturday	Mid-Term Grades Due
March 13-18	Monday-Saturday	Spring Break – University Closed
March 20	Monday	Classes Resume
March 20	Monday	Advisement and Registration for Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Summer 2018 Begins Campus Wide
March 22	Wednesday	Last day for withdrawing from classes without Academic penalty
April 3-7	Monday-Friday	Course Assessments
April 14	Friday	Good Friday Holiday. University Closed
April 17	Monday	University Opens/Classes Resume
April 29	Saturday	Last Day of Instruction
May 6	Saturday	Finals Week: Spring and Intensive Semester Ends
May 13	Saturday	Commencement

### **SUMMER SEMESTER 2017**

June 3	Saturday	Last Day to Register for Summer
June 5	Monday	First Day of Instruction – Summer Semester Begins
June 10	Saturday	Summer Semester Drop/Add Ends
July 4	Tuesday	Independence Holiday. University Closed
July 5	Wednesday	University Opens/Classes Resume
July 27	Thursday	Last Day of Instruction – Summer Semester