2018-2019
ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER • 2018

New Student Orientation Session ......................................................... Wednesday, August 15 through Friday, August 17
New Student Welcome Weekend ......................................................... Thursday, August 16 through Monday, August 20
Continuing Students Arrive (Residence Halls open 9:00 a.m.) ................................................. Saturday, August 18
Classes Begin – 8:00 a.m. / Last Day for 100% Refund ..................................... Monday, August 20
Last Day for Adding and Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m. .................................................. Friday, August 24
Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ....... Tuesday, August 28
Labor Day (College closed) ........................................................................... Monday, September 3
Last Day to Drop with a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. .................................. Tuesday, September 18
Fall Break Begins - 10:00 p.m. (Dining Hall and Residence Halls close 6:00 p.m.) ........... Friday, October 5
Residence Halls open 9:00 a.m. / Dining Hall opens 5:00 p.m. ....................... Tuesday, October 9
Classes Resume – 8:00 a.m. ........................................................................... Wednesday, October 10
Advisor / Advisee Meeting – 11:00 a.m. .......................................................... Tuesday, October 16
Advanced Registration Period ................................................................. Tuesday, October 16 through Friday, October 26
Day of Service (No classes) ........................................................................... Wednesday, October 17
F.Y.S. Advisor / Advisee Meeting – 11:00 a.m. ..................................................... Friday, October 19
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ......... Tuesday, October 23
Last Day for Requesting Changes in Final Examination Schedule - 5:00 p.m. .. Tuesday, November 13
Thanksgiving Break Begins – 10:00 p.m. (Dining Hall and Residence Halls close 6 p.m.) .... Tuesday, November 20
Residence Halls open 9:00 a.m. / Dining Hall opens 5:00 p.m. ....................... Sunday, November 25
Classes Resume – 8:00 a.m. ........................................................................... Monday, November 26
Classes End ....................................................................................... Wednesday, December 5
Reading Day ........................................................................................ Wednesday, December 6
Examination Period (includes Saturday, December 8) ......................................... Friday, December 7 through Wednesday, December 12
Fall Semester Ends (Dining Hall and Residence Halls close 6:00 p.m.) ............. Wednesday, December 12

SPRING SEMESTER • 2019

New Student Orientation ................................................................. Friday, January 11
Faculty, Administration, and Staff Meeting .................................................. Friday, January 11
Continuing Students Arrive (Residence Halls open 9:00 a.m. / Dining Hall opens 5:00 p.m.) ........................................ Saturday, January 12
Classes Begin – 8:00 a.m. / Last Day for 100% Refund .................................. Monday, January 14
Last Day for Adding and Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m. .................................................. Friday, January 18
Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday (College closed) .................................................... Monday, January 21
Last Day to be Present in Class to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ....... Wednesday, January 23
Last Day to Drop with W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ........................................... Tuesday, February 12
Spring Break Begins – 10:00 p.m. ...................................................................... Friday, March 1
Residence Halls close Noon ........................................................................... Saturday, March 2
Residence Halls open 9:00 a.m. / Dining Hall opens 5:00 p.m. ................... Sunday, March 10
Classes Resume – 8:00 a.m. ........................................................................... Monday, March 11
Advisor / Advisee Meeting – 11:00 a.m. .......................................................... Tuesday, March 12
Advanced Registration Period ................................................................. Tuesday, March 12 through Friday, March 22
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ......... Thursday, March 21
Day of Scholarship (No classes) ................................................................... Tuesday, April 9
Good Friday (College closed) ......................................................................... Friday, April 19
Last Day for Requesting Changes in Final Examination Schedule - 5:00 p.m. .. Monday, April 22
Classes End ....................................................................................... Wednesday, May 1
Reading Day ........................................................................................ Wednesday, May 2
Examination Period (includes Saturday, May 4) .......................................... Friday, May 3 through Wednesday, May 8
Spring Semester Ends ................................................................................ Saturday, May 11
Residence Halls close for all students 6:00 p.m. ........................................... Saturday, May 11
Commencement - 10:30 a.m. ........................................................................ Saturday, May 11
GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES FALL SEMESTER • 2018

First GPS Session Classes Begin ................................................................. Monday, August 20
Last Day for Adding and Dropping Courses ............................................................ Before the First Class Meeting
Last Day to be Present in Online Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. .................................................... Tuesday, August 28
Last Day to be Present in Face-to-Face Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. .............................................. Sunday, September 2
Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................. Tuesday, September 11
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m .......................................................... Monday, September 17
First GPS Session Ends ........................................................................................................ Saturday, October 6

Second GPS Session Classes Begin ...................................................................................... Wednesday, October 10
* Last Day for Adding and Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m. .................................................................* Friday, August 24
Last Day to be Present in Online Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ...................................................... Tuesday, October 16
Last Day to be Present in Face-to-Face Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. .............................................. Tuesday, October 23
Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................ Wednesday, October 31
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ....................................................... Tuesday, November 14
Thanksgiving Break Begins - 10:00 p.m ........................................................................................... Tuesday, November 20
Classes Resume .................................................................................................................................................. Monday, November 26
Second GPS Session Ends ........................................................................................................ Saturday, December 8

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES SPRING SEMESTER • 2019

First GPS Session Classes Begin ................................................................. Monday, January 14
Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses ............................................................ Before the First Class Meeting
Last Day to be Present in Online Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Wednesday, January 23
Last Day to be Present in Face-to-Face Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ............................................. Sunday, January 27
Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. .......................................................... Monday, February 4
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ....................................................... Monday, February 11
First GPS Session Ends ........................................................................................................ Saturday, March 2

Second GPS Session Classes Begin .......................................................................................... Monday, March 11
* Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m. .................................................................* Friday, January 18
Last Day to be Present in Online Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. .................................................. Monday, March 18
Last Day to be Present in Face-to-Face Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ........................................... Sunday, March 24
Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ........................................................ Monday, April 1
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................... Monday, April 15
Second GPS Session Ends ...................................................................................................... Saturday, April 27
Commencement - 10:30 a.m. .................................................................................................................. Saturday, May 4
**SUMMER SESSION I • 2019**

**Full-term Classes Begin** ................................................................. Tuesday, May 28

* **Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m.** ................................................................. * Tuesday, May 28

Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Thursday, May 30

Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................. Wednesday, June 19

Independence Day (College closed) ............................................................................................................ Thursday, July 4

Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ............................................ Thursday, July 11

**Full-term Ends (Exams)** ......................................................................................................................... Friday, July 19

**Subterm I Classes Begin** ..................................................................................................................... Tuesday, May 28

* **Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m.** ................................................................. * Tuesday, May 28

Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Wednesday, June 5

Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................. Tuesday, July 2

Independence Day (College closed) ............................................................................................................ Tuesday, July 9

**Subterm I Ends (Exams)** ......................................................................................................................... Friday, June 21

**Subterm II Classes Begin** .................................................................................................................. Monday, June 24

* **Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m.** ................................................................. * Tuesday, May 28

Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Wednesday, June 26

Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................. Wednesday, July 4

Independence Day (College closed) ............................................................................................................ Wednesday, July 17

Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ............................................ Wednesday, July 25

**Subterm II Ends (Exams)** ....................................................................................................................... Friday, August 2

**SUMMER SESSION II • 2019**

**MASTER OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION ONLY**

**Full-term Classes Begin** ....................................................................................................................... Monday, June 10

**Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m.** ................................................................. * Monday, June 10

Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Wednesday, June 12

Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................. Wednesday, July 3

Independence Day (College closed) ............................................................................................................ Thursday, July 4

**Subterm I Classes Begin** ..................................................................................................................... Monday, June 10

* **Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m.** ................................................................. * Monday, June 10

Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Tuesday, June 18

Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ............................................ Tuesday, June 25

**Subterm I Ends (Exams)** ....................................................................................................................... Wednesday, July 3

**Subterm II Classes Begin** .................................................................................................................. Monday, July 8

* **Last Day for Adding or Dropping Courses - 11:59 p.m.** ................................................................. * Monday, June 10

Last Day to be Present in Classes to Confirm Enrollment - 11:00 p.m. ................................................... Wednesday, July 10

Last Day to Receive a W Grade (Non-Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ................................................................. Tuesday, July 16

Last Day to Withdraw from a Course - (WP or WF - Punitive) - 11:59 p.m. ............................................ Tuesday, July 23

**Subterm II Ends (Exams)** ....................................................................................................................... Friday, August 2