

## 2015-2016 Academic Calendar

### 2015 Fall Term

- LAUNCH I and II, Saturday and Sunday  
August 31 New Faculty Orientation, Monday  
September 2 All-Faculty Retreat, Wednesday  
September 3 LAUNCH III—only for those students who do not attend LAUNCH I or II in June, Thursday  
September 4 Move-in for First-Year Students,  
Matriculation Ceremony for First-Year Students, Friday  
Sept. 4-6 Freshman Orientation, Friday - Sunday  
September 7 Labor Day – Classes Begin, 8 a.m.  
Convocation, Monday  
September 11 Add/Drop period ends, 5 p.m., Friday  
September 14 First day of course withdrawal, Monday  
September 28 Alpha Beta Scholar Recognition Ceremony, 7 p.m., Monday  
October 16 Mid-Term, Friday  
October 19-20 Fall Break, Monday and Tuesday  
October 21 First Day for S/U Requests  
Mid-Term Grades Due, 5 p.m., Wednesday  
Homecoming Weekend, Friday and Saturday  
October 26 Intersession & Spring course schedule available online; advising and registration process begins, Monday  
November 5 Last Day for S/U Requests and Course Withdrawals, 5 p.m., Thursday  
Family Weekend, Friday and Saturday  
November 24 Thanksgiving Recess Begins, 5 p.m., Tuesday  
November 30 Thanksgiving Recess Ends, 8 a.m., Monday  
December 11 Classes End, Friday  
December 12-13 Reading Days, Saturday and Sunday  
December 14 Fall Examinations Begin, 8 a.m., Monday  
December 19 Fall Examinations End, Holiday Recess for Students Begins, 9:30 p.m., Saturday  
December 21 Fall Grades Due, 5 p.m., Monday  
December 23 ASC Meeting & Faculty Meeting, Wednesday  
HOLIDAY BREAK All offices and buildings will be closed between Christmas and New Year's Day.

### 2016 Intersession

- January 7 Classes Begin, 8 a.m., Thursday  
January 8 Add Period ends, 5 p.m., Friday  
January 13 Drop Period ends, 5 p.m., Wednesday  
January 14 First Day for S/U Requests and Course Withdrawals, Thursday  
January 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Monday  
January 21 Last Day for S/U Requests and Course Withdrawals, Thursday  
January 29 Classes End, Friday  
Mid-Year Matriculation Dinner for New Students, Tuesday  
February 5 Intersession Grades Due, Friday

### 2016 Spring Term

- February 3 Classes Begin, 8 a.m., Wednesday  
February 5 Intersession Grades Due, 5 p.m., Friday  
February 10 Add/Drop period ends, 5 p.m., Wednesday  
February 11 First Day of Course Withdrawals, Thursday  
March 18 Mid-Term & Spring Recess Begins, 5 p.m., Friday  
March 28 Spring Recess Ends, 8 a.m.  
First Day for S/U Requests, Monday  
March 30 Mid-Term Grades Due, 5 p.m., Wednesday  
April 4 Fall Course Schedule and Registration Dates Available Online, Monday  
April 11 Last Day for S/U Requests & Course Withdrawals, Monday  
April 21 Honors Convocation, Thursday  
May 10 Classes End, Tuesday  
May 11 Reading Day, Wednesday  
May 12 Spring Examinations Begin, 8 a.m., Thursday  
May 17 Spring Examinations End, 9:30 p.m., Tuesday  
May 18 Senior Grades Due, 12 p.m., Wednesday  
May 20 Baccalaureate  
Other Grades Due, 5 pm, Friday  
May 21 Commencement, Saturday  
May 24 ASC Meeting & Special Faculty Meeting, Tuesday

### 2016 Summer

- June 6-July 1 Summer Session I  
July 11-August 7 Summer Session II