

**Fall 2012-Summer 2013  
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
<b>FALL 2012</b>		
Piper Passages (Fall Orientation and Welcome Back Week)	Sunday, September 2 - Sunday, September 9	n/a
New Student Orientation	n/a	Wednesday, August 29
Fall term classes begin	Wednesday, September 5	Wednesday, September 5
Faculty/Staff Convocation	tbd	tbd
Census Day	Tuesday, September 18	Tuesday, September 18
Midterm Break	Friday, October 26	n/a
Classes resume	Monday, October 29	n/a
Second half-of-term classes begin	Monday, October 22	n/a
Thanksgiving Break	Thursday-Friday, November 22-23	Thursday-Saturday, November 22-24
Classes resume	Monday, November 26	Monday, November 26
Fall term classes end	Wednesday, December 12	Saturday, December 15
Final exams end	Tuesday, December 18	n/a
<b>WINTER 2013 (J-Term)</b>		
Winter term classes begin	Wednesday, January 2	Wednesday, January 2
Census Day	Thursday, January 3	Thursday, January 3
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no classes)	Monday, January 14	Monday, January 14
Winter term classes end	Thursday, January 24	Saturday, January 26
<b>SPRING 2013</b>		
New Student Orientation	Monday, January 28	Wednesday, January 23
Spring term classes begin	Wednesday, January 30	Wednesday, January 30
Census Day	Tuesday, February 12	Tuesday, February 12
Midterm Break begins	Monday, March 18	n/a
Classes resume	Monday, March 25	n/a
Second half-of-term classes begin	Monday, March 25	n/a
Easter Break (Good Friday)	Friday, March 29	Friday-Saturday, March 29-30
Spring term classes end	Friday, May 10	Saturday, May 11
Final exams end	Thursday, May 16	n/a
Commencement	Saturday, May 18	Saturday, May 18
<b>SUMMER 2013 (all terms)</b>		
	<b>Undergraduate Summer I (4 weeks)</b>	<b>Graduate Schools Degree/Licensure (11 weeks)</b>
Classes begin	Monday, June 3	Monday, June 3
Holiday (no classes)	n/a	Thursday, July 4
Early Summer Sessions Final Exams	n/a	n/a
Classes end	Thursday, June 27	Saturday, August 17
Final Exams	n/a	n/a
	<b>Undergraduate Summer II (4 weeks)</b>	<b>Graduate Schools Degree/Licensure (7 weeks)</b>
Classes begin	Monday, July 8	Monday, June 4
Holiday (no classes)	n/a	Thursday, July 4
Classes end	Thursday, August 1	Saturday, July 20
Final Exams	n/a	n/a
	<b>Undergraduate Summer III (10 weeks)</b>	<b>Graduate Schools Degree/Licensure (8 weeks)</b>
Classes begin	Monday, June 4	Monday, June 4
Holiday (no classes)	Thursday, July 4	Thursday, July 4
Classes end	Friday, August 9	Saturday, July 27
Final Exams	n/a	n/a