

Academic Calendar 2023-2024

Official University Holidays (Offices closed/no classes):

2023: September 4; November 22 - 24; December 25-29

2024: January 1 and 15; March 29; May 27 and July 4

Faculty/Staff Conference Week: August 7 – 11

Fall Semester 2023	
Final registration before classes begin	August 10
Welcome Weekend	August 10
Matriculation Ceremony (2 p.m.)	August 10
Residence halls open (8 a.m.)	August 13
Classes begin	August 14
Last day to complete registration/add classes	August 23
Labor Day (no classes, residence halls remain open)	September 4
Last day to drop course without “WD”	September 15
Homecoming (classes held as scheduled)	October 12-15
Mid-term	October 9-13
Fall Break (no classes)	October 19-20
Last day to drop course without “F”	October 20
Early registration begins	October 30
Thanksgiving holiday (no classes)	November 22 - 24
Residence halls open (1 p.m.)	November 26
Classes end	December 1
Final exams	December 4-8
Commencement (10 a.m.)	December 9
Residence halls close (2 p.m.)	December 9
Spring Semester 2024	
Final Registration before classes begin	January 6
Residence halls open (8 a.m.)	January 7
Classes begin	January 8
Martin Luther King Day (no classes)	January 15
Last day to complete registration/add classes	January 17
Last day to drop course without “WD”	February 5
Lincoln Day/Founders Day (special activities)	February 12
Mid-term	March 4 - 8
Last day to drop course without “F”	March 15
Residence halls close (5 p.m.)	March 22
Spring break (no classes)	March 25 – 29
Good Friday (no classes)	March 29
Residence halls open (1 p.m.)	March 31
Early registration begins	April 1

Classes end	April 26
Final exams	April 29 - May 3
Commencement (10 a.m.)	May 4
Residence halls close (2 p.m.)	May 4
Summer Term 2024 (May 6 – July 31)	
Memorial Day (no classes)	May 27
Independence Day (no classes)	July 4

During the 12-week summer term, classes may meet 3 weeks, 4 weeks, etc., as long as the required number of contact hours is met.