

# ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The regular academic year consists of two semesters (fall and spring) of approximately 15 weeks each. The university also holds two summer sessions of approximately five weeks each.

## Fall Semester – 2012

September	5	(Wednesday)	Fall classes begin
October	8	(Monday)	Columbus Day – No classes
	23	(Tuesday)	End of first quarter
	24	(Wednesday)	Beginning of second quarter
November	12	(Monday)	Veterans' Day – No classes
	14	(Wednesday)	Monday schedule of classes (Wednesday classes will not meet 11/14)
	21	(Wednesday)	Thanksgiving recess begins at the close of <u>day</u> classes. Evening classes will not be held.
	26	(Monday)	Classes resume
December	11	(Tuesday)	Tuesday evening class final exam
	12	(Wednesday)	Fall semester day classes end
	13	(Thursday)	Reading Day (day classes only); Thursday evening class final exam
	14	(Friday)	Fall semester day final exams begin
	17	(Monday)	Monday evening class final exam
	19	(Wednesday)	Wednesday evening class final exam
	20	(Thursday)	Fall semester day final exams end

## Spring Semester – 2013

January	23	(Wednesday)	Spring classes begin
	25	(Friday)	Winter commencement
February	18	(Monday)	Presidents' Day – No classes
	20	(Wednesday)	Monday schedule of classes (Wednesday classes will not meet on 2/20)
March	11	(Monday)	Spring break begins
	15	(Friday)	Spring break ends
	18	(Monday)	Classes resume
	19	(Tuesday)	End of third quarter
	20	(Wednesday)	Beginning of fourth quarter
April	15	(Monday)	Patriots' Day – No classes
May	2	(Thursday)	Thursday evening class final exam
	6	(Monday)	Fall semester day classes end
	7	(Tuesday)	Reading Day (Day classes only); Tuesday evening class final exam
	8	(Wednesday)	Spring semester day final exams begin; Wednesday evening class final exam
	13	(Monday)	Monday evening class final exam
	14	(Tuesday)	Spring semester day final exams end
	15	(Wednesday)	Spring Graduate Commencement
	18	(Saturday)	Spring Undergraduate Commencement

## Summer Semester – 2013

May	28	(Tuesday)	Summer Session I classes begin
July	1	(Monday)	Summer Session I classes end
	8	(Monday)	Summer Session II classes begin
August	9	(Friday)	Summer Session II classes end