Academic Calendar 2016-2017

FALL SEMESTER

Residences open for new students; Orientation begins	August 20
Residence Halls open for returning students	August 23
Classes begin; Drop/Add period begins	August 25
Last day audit and Individual Study; Drop/Add period ends	September 2
Homecoming, Hall of Fame, Alumni Council, Reunion planning, KFEC	September 23-24
Last day to change from/to Pass/D/Fail	September 21
Last day to add course with a late fee	October 5
October Break	October 6-7
Family Weekend; Parents Advisory Council	October 14-16
Last day to withdraw passing from a course with a late fee	October 21
Founders' Day; Matriculation	October 27
Fall meeting of the Board of Trustees	October 27-28
Thanksgiving vacation begins; student residences close at noon	November 19
Student residences open at 5 p.m.	November 26
Classes resume	November 28
Last day of classes; Withdrawal Late deadline	December 9
Reading days	December 10-12
Examinations	December 12-16
Semester ends at 4:30 p.m.	December 16
Student residences close at noon	December 17
Fall semester grades due before 10 a.m.	December 27

SPRING SEMESTER

January 14
January 16
January 16
January 24
February 2-3
February 10
February 24
February 24-25
March 4
March 18
March 20
March 24
March 31-April 1
April 11
April 26-28

Spring meeting of the Board of Trustees	April 20-21
Last day of classes; Withdrawal Late deadline	May 5
Reading Days	May 6-8
Examinations	May 8-12
Semester ends at 4:30 p.m.	May 12
Residences close at noon (except for seniors)	May 13
Senior grades due 10 a.m.	May 15
189th Commencement	May 20
Residence halls close for seniors at 7 p.m.	May 20
Grades Due 10 a.m.	May 23
Alumni Reunion Weekend; Alumni Council	May 25-28