



2008-2009 Academic Calendar

Fall 2008 Semester

Classes Begin	Wednesday	August 20
Labor Day	Monday	Sept. 1
1st Session Ends	Wednesday	Oct. 8
Fall Break	Thurs-Friday	Oct. 9-10
2 nd Session Begins	Monday	Oct. 13
Thanksgiving	Thurs-Friday	Nov. 27-28
Classes End	Tuesday	Dec. 2
Study Days	Wednesday (Sat. & Sun.)	Dec. 3 (6 & 7)
Exams	Thursday, Friday (am) & Mon-Thurs.	Dec. 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11
Graduate Hooding	Friday	Dec. 12
Commencement	Saturday	Dec. 13

Spring 2009 Semester

Classes Begin	Wednesday	Jan. 7
MLK Holiday	Monday	Jan. 19
1 st Session Ends	Wednesday	Feb. 25
2 nd Session Begins	Thursday	Feb. 26
Spring Break	Mon-Friday	March 16-20
Spring Recess	Friday	April 10
Classes End	Friday	April 24
Study Days	Monday (Sat.&Sun)	April 27 (25 &26)
Exams	Tues. – Tues.	April 28, 29 & 30, May 1, 4
Graduate Hooding	Thursday	May 7
Commencement	Friday	May 8

Summer 2009 Semester

Mini Session Begins	Wednesday	May 6
Memorial Holiday	Monday	May 25
Mini Session Ends	Wednesday	May 27
Full and 1 st Session Begins	Monday	June 1
1 st Session Ends	Thursday	July 2
Independence Day Holiday	Friday	July 3
2 nd Session Begins	Monday	July 6
Full and 2 nd Sessions End	Thursday	August 6
Summer Graduation Date*	Friday	August 14

*There is no commencement ceremony in the summer. This is the official graduation date that will appear on the transcript.