

# Academic Calendar 2015-2016

## FALL 2015

**August 25 – December 12, 2015**

*Final Week of the Semester: December 7 – 12, 2015*

<b>March 24 - April 26 Tues - Sun</b>	<b>Official Registration for Summer &amp; Fall Degree-Seeking Students only, by assigned registration time and day. Priority registration available on <a href="http://my.fiu.edu">http://my.fiu.edu</a></b>
April 27 - August 23 Mon - Sun	Fall Registration Open for Degree Seeking Students
May 26 Tuesday	First day to apply for Fall term graduation 2015
July 2 Thursday	Last day for faculty to adopt textbooks and other instructional materials
<b>July 3 Friday</b>	<b>Independence Day (University Closed)</b>
August 19 Wednesday	New Faculty Orientation Day
August 20 Thursday	Non-degree seeking student registration begins
August 23 Sunday	Last day to register without incurring a \$100 Late Registration Fee
August 23 Sunday	Freshman Convocation (Required of All Freshmen)
<b>August 24 Monday</b>	<b>Classes begin</b>
August 24 Monday	Short Term Tuition Loan Applications available
August 31 Monday	Last day to add courses; last day to drop courses or withdraw from the University without incurring financial liability for Tuition and Fees
	Last day to change a grading option
August 31 Monday	Last day to submit Non-degree Application for Fall 2015 term
September 1 Tuesday	Fall semester Payment Due Date
September 1 Tuesday	Last day for students to apply for a Short Term Loan
September 2 Wednesday	\$100 late payment fee assessed for outstanding balances
<b>September 7 Monday</b>	<b>Labor Day Holiday (University Closed)</b>
September 8 Tuesday	Cancellation of Enrollment for unpaid Tuition and Fee balances not covered by Payment Plan, Scholarships or other awards
	Last day to apply for graduation at the end of Fall 2015 term
September 18 Friday	Last day to withdraw from the University with a 25% refund of Tuition
	Faculty Convocation
September 24 Thursday	Return of Title IV deadline for financial aid recipients
October 29 Thursday	Deadline to drop a course with a DR grade
November 2 Monday	Deadline to withdraw from the University with a WI grade
<b>November 11 Wednesday</b>	<b>Veterans Day Holiday (University Closed)</b>
November 16 Monday	Deadline for faculty to review class rosters to ensure accuracy before grade rosters are created
<b>November 26 &amp; 27 Thurs &amp; Fri</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)</b>
<b>November 28 Saturday</b>	<b>No Saturday Classes</b>
November 30 Monday	Grade rosters available to faculty for grade entry and submission
December 7-12 Monday-Saturday	Final week of the semester - modified class schedule: Final exams and other course assessment activities are scheduled during this week
	On-campus exams for online courses
December 12 Saturday	<b>Commencement Exercises</b>
<b>December 13 - 15 Sun - Tues</b>	Deadline (by 11:59 pm) for faculty to submit grades
December 16 Wednesday	Complete grade report available to students by web
December 17 Thursday	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>December 23 Wednesday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>December 24 Thursday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>December 25 Friday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>January 1 Friday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>

## SPRING 2016

### January 11 – May 7, 2016

*Final Week of the Semester: May 2 – May 7, 2016*

October 2 Friday	First day to apply for Spring 2016 term graduation
October 20 Tuesday	Class schedule available to all returning undergraduate and graduate students for Spring 2016 term
<b>Nov 3 - Dec 13 Tuesday - Sunday</b>	<b>Official registration for degree-seeking students by assigned registration time and day</b>
November 18 Wednesday	Last day for faculty to adopt textbooks and other instructional materials
Dec 14 - Jan 10 Monday - Sunday	Open registration for degree-seeking students
<b>December 23 Wednesday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>December 24 Thursday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>December 25 Friday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
<b>January 1 Friday</b>	<b>Winter Holiday Closure (University Closed)</b>
January 1 Friday	FAFSA Applications for 2016-2017 available at <a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov">www.fafsa.ed.gov</a>
January 7 Thursday	Non-degree seeking student registration begins
January 10 Sunday	Last day to register without incurring a \$100 Late Registration Fee
<b>January 11 Monday</b>	<b>Classes begin</b>
January 11 Monday	Short Term Tuition Loan Applications available
<b>January 18 Monday</b>	<b>Martin Luther King Holiday (University Closed)</b>
January 19 Tuesday	Last day to change grading option
	Last day to add courses; last day to drop courses or withdraw from the University without incurring financial liability for tuition and fees
January 19 Tuesday	Last day to submit Non-degree Application for Spring 2016 term
January 20 Wednesday	Last day for students to apply for a Short Term Loan
January 20 Wednesday	Spring semester Payment Due Date
January 21 Thursday	\$100 late payment fee assessed for outstanding balances
January 22 Friday	Cancellation of Enrollment for unpaid Tuition and Fee balances not covered by Payment Plan, Scholarships or other awards
February 5 Friday	Last day to apply for graduation at the end of Spring 2016 term
	Last day to withdraw from the University with a 25% refund of tuition
March 7 Monday	Return of Title IV deadline for financial aid recipients
<b>March 14 - 19 Monday - Saturday</b>	<b>Spring Break (University Open, No Classes)</b>
March 21 Monday	Last day to drop a course with a DR grade
	Last day to withdraw from the University with a WI grade
April 4 Monday	Deadline for faculty to review class rosters to ensure accuracy before grade rosters are created
April 18 Monday	Grade rosters available to faculty for grade entry and submission
<b>April 22 - 30 Friday - Saturday</b>	<b>Passover (University Open, Classes in session)</b>
May 2 - May 7 Monday - Saturday	Final week of the semester - modified class schedule: Final exams and other course assessment activities are scheduled during this week
May 7 Saturday	On-campus exams for online courses
<b>TBA</b>	<b>Commencement Exercises</b>
May 11 Wednesday	Deadline (by 11:59 pm) for faculty to submit grades
May 12 Thursday	Complete grade report available to students by web

## SUMMER 2016

May 16 - August 5, 2016

## TERM A

May 16 - June 24, 2016

February 12 Friday	First day to apply for Summer 2016 term graduation
March 15 Tuesday	Class schedule available to all returning undergraduate and graduate students for Summer & Fall 2016 term

March 25 Friday	Last day for faculty to adopt textbooks and other instructional materials
<b>March 29 - May 1 Tues - Sun</b>	<b>Official registration for degree-seeking students by assigned registration time and day</b>
May 2 - May 15 Mon - Sun	Open registration for degree-seeking students
May 12 Thursday	Non-degree seeking student registration begins
May 15 Sunday	Last day to register without incurring a \$100 Late Registration Fee
<b>May 16 Monday</b>	<b>Classes begin</b>
May 16 Monday	Short Term Tuition Loan Applications available
May 23 Monday	Last day to add courses; last day to drop courses or withdraw from the University without incurring financial liability for tuition and fees
	Last day to change grading option
	Last day to submit Non-degree Application for Summer A & C 2016 term
May 24 Tuesday	Summer semester Payment Due Date
	Last day for students to apply for a Short Term Loan
May 25 Wednesday	\$100 late payment fee assessed for outstanding balances
May 27 Friday	Cancellation of Enrollment for unpaid Tuition and Fee balances not covered by Payment Plan, Scholarships or other awards
	Last day to apply for graduation at the end of Summer 2016 term
May 27 Friday	Last day to withdraw from the University with a 25% refund of tuition
<b>May 30 Monday</b>	<b>Memorial Day Holiday (University Closed)</b>
June 9 Thursday	Deadline for faculty to review class rosters to ensure accuracy before grade rosters are created
	Return of Title IV Deadline for Financial Aid Recipients for Summer "A" Term
June 13 Monday	Last day to drop a course with a DR grade
	Last day to withdraw from the University with a WI grade
June 20 Monday	Grade rosters available to faculty for grade entry and submission
<b>June 24 Friday</b>	<b>Classes end</b>
	On-campus exams for online courses
June 27 Monday	Deadline (by 11:59 pm) for faculty to submit grades
June 28 Tuesday	Grade report for Summer Term A available to students by web**
<b>TBA</b>	<b>Commencement Exercises</b>

## TERM B

**June 27 - August 5, 2016**

March 15 Tuesday	Class schedule available to all returning undergraduate and graduate students for Summer & Fall 2016 term
March 25 Friday	Last day for faculty to adopt textbooks and other instructional materials
<b>March 29 - May 1 Tues - Sun</b>	<b>Official registration for degree-seeking students by assigned registration time and day</b>
May 2 - May 15 Mon - Sun	Open registration for degree-seeking students
May 27 Friday	Last day to apply for graduation at the end of Summer 2016 term
<b>June 6 Monday</b>	<b>Summer "B" Term registration resumes</b>
June 23 Thursday	Non-degree students can register for Summer B courses
June 26 Sunday	Last day to register without incurring a \$100 Late Registration Fee
<b>June 27 Monday</b>	<b>Classes begin</b>
	Short Term Tuition Loan Applications available
<b>July 4 Monday</b>	<b>Independence Day (University Closed)</b>
July 5 Tuesday	Last day to add courses; last day to drop courses or withdraw from the University without incurring financial liability for Tuition and Fees
	Last day to change grading option
	Last day to submit Non-degree Application for Summer B 2016 term
July 6 Wednesday	Summer semester Payment Due Date
	Last day for students to apply for a Short Term Loan
July 7 Thursday	\$100 Late Payment Fee assessed for outstanding balances
July 11 Monday	Last day to withdraw from the University with a 25% refund of tuition
July 21 Thursday	Return of Title IV Deadline for Financial Aid Recipients for Summer "B" Term
July 25 Monday	Last day to drop a course with a DR grade
	Last day to withdraw from the University with a WI grade
July 28 Thursday	Deadline for faculty to review class rosters to ensure accuracy before grade rosters are Created
August 3 Wednesday	Grade rosters available to faculty for grade entry and submission

**August 5 Friday****Classes end**

On-campus exams for online courses

**TBA****Commencement Exercises**

August 10 Wednesday

Deadline (by 11:59 pm) for faculty to submit grades

August 11 Thursday

Complete grade report available to students by web

**August 22 Monday (Fall 2016)****Fall 2016 semester classes begin****TERM C****May 16 - August 5, 2016**

February 12 Friday

First day to apply for Summer 2016 term graduation

March 15 Tuesday

Class schedule available to all returning undergraduate and graduate students for Summer &amp; Fall 2016 term

March 25 Friday

Last day for faculty to adopt textbooks and other instructional materials

**March 29 - May 1 Tues - Sun****Official registration for degree-seeking students by assigned registration time and day**

May 2 - May 15 Mon - Sun

Open registration for degree-seeking students Continuous web registration

May 9 Monday

Low enrollment courses will be cancelled and students notified by email

May 12 Thursday

Non-Degree seeking student registration begins

May 15 Sunday

Last day to register without incurring a \$100 Late Registration Fee

**May 16 Monday****Classes begin**

Short Term Tuition Loan Applications available

May 23 Monday

Last day to add courses; last day to drop courses or withdraw from the University without incurring financial liability for Tuition and Fees

Last day to change grading option

Last day to submit Non-degree Application for Summer A &amp; C 2016 term

May 24 Tuesday

Summer semester Payment Due Date

May 25 Wednesday

Last day for students to apply for a Short Term Loan

May 27 Friday

\$100 Late Payment Fee assessed for outstanding balances

Cancellation of Enrollment for unpaid Tuition and Fee balances not covered by Payment Plan, Scholarships, or other awards

**May 30 Monday**

Last day to apply for Summer 2016 graduation

June 13 Monday

**Memorial Day Holiday (University Closed)****July 4 Monday**

Last day to withdraw from the University with a 25% refund of tuition

**Independence Day (University Closed)**

July 5 Tuesday

Return of Title IV Deadline for Financial Aid Recipients for Summer "C" Term

Last day to drop a course with a DR grade

July 28 Thursday

Last day to withdraw from the University with a WI grade

Deadline for faculty to review class rosters to ensure accuracy before grade rosters are Created

August 3 Wednesday

Grades rosters available to faculty for grade entry and submission

**August 5 Friday****Classes end**

On-campus exams for online courses

**TBA****Commencement Exercises**

August 10 Wednesday

Deadline (by 11:59 pm) for faculty to submit grades

August 11 Thursday

Complete grade report available to students by web

**August 22 Monday (Fall 2016)****Fall 2016 semester classes begin****\*\*Grades will be posted on transcripts; however, graduation will not be processed until the end of the Complete Summer C Term.****Calendar dates are subject to change.** Please contact appropriate offices for verification and updates.

This calendar includes official University holidays. Faculty are encouraged to make accommodations for students who wish to observe religious holidays. Students should make their requests known to the instructor at the beginning of the semester.

For a listing of religious holidays you may visit <http://www.interfaithcalendar.org>.