



FALL 2018 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

August 27 - December 14, 2018	
July 2	Reopening of FALL 2018 Registration and Schedule Adjustment
July 2	ADD/DROP Periods BEGIN – Fall 2018 Session
August 10*	1st DROP for Non-Payment of Fees Process – 5:00 p.m.
August 20	Permission for Non-UMES Study Process ENDS for Fall 2018
August 23	Enrollment 101 for New Students
August 23	Residence Halls Open: New Freshmen and New Transfers
August 24	Residence Halls Open: Returning Students
August 27	First Day of Class
August 31	Additional Credit Unit Load Process ENDS for the Fall 2018
September 3	Labor Day Holiday – University Closed
September 5	ADD/DROP Periods ENDS
September 6	WITHDRAWAL Period BEGINS
September 13	SUMMER COMMENCEMENT/Founder’s Day
October 15-19	Mid-Term Exams
October 22	Mid-Term Grades Posted in HawkWeb with copy to Department Chairperson by 4:00 p.m.
October 22	Academic Advising Period Begins
October 24	Permission for Non-UMES Study Process BEGINS for Winter and Spring Sessions
October 24	Additional Credit Unit Load Process BEGINS for the Spring Sessions
October 24	Course Selection (Winter/Spring 2019) Graduate, Seniors, Honors Program & Athletics Only
October 25	Course Selection (Winter/Spring 2019) Juniors and Sophomores Only
October 26	Course Selection (Winter/Spring 2019) Freshmen Only
October 29 - December 14	Course Selection (Winter/Spring 2019) All Students
November 12 - December 7	Student Evaluation of Instructor
November 16	WITHDRAWAL from a Course ENDS
November 16	Supplemental Grade Reports – Spring and Summer 2018 Sessions – Letter Grade Changes
November 22-25	Thanksgiving Break - University Closed
November 30 –March 15	Application for Degree Process – Spring Commencement – May 2019
December 7	Last Day of Class
December 7	Last Day to WITHDRAW from the University
December 8	Final Exams – Special Testing
December 10-13	Final Exam Week
December 14	COMMENCEMENT
December 17	ALL Grades MUST Posted to PeopleSoft with Copy to Department Chair by 12:00 p.m.

***Students are to complete the Payment Confirmation process.**