University of Oklahoma ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2017-2018
(Any calendar is subject to change when it is determined to be in the best interest of the University to do so)

REGISTRATION
Advance Registration .......................................................... Oct. 24-Nov. 18 .................................................. March 27-April 21 .................................................. Oct. 23-Nov. 17
Continuing Registration and Add/Drop .................................................* .................................................. April 22-April 20 .................................................. Nov. 18-Jan. 15
Last Day to Register Before Classes Begin .................................................* .................................................. Aug. 20 .................................................. Jan. 15

CLASSES BEGIN ........................................................................... Aug. 21 .................................................. Jan. 16
First Day for Late Registration Fee of $20.00 .................................................. Aug. 21 .................................................. Jan. 16
Final Day to Register ........................................................................... Aug. 25 .................................................. Jan. 19
Advance Registration for Next Term(s) Begins .............................................. Oct. 23 .................................................. April 2
Final Day of Full Term Fall Classes .................................................. Dec. 8
Winter Session part of fall term classes begin .................................................. Dec. 18
Final Day of Winter Session part of fall term classes ............................................. Jan. 12
Final Day of Full Term Spring Classes .................................................. Dec. 18

EARLY PROGRESS GRADING .................................................................. Sept. 29-Oct. 17 .................................................. Feb. 23-March 13

FINAL EXAMINATIONS
Final Exam Preparation Period .......................................................... Dec. 4-10 .................................................. April 30-May 6
Final Examinations ........................................................................... Dec. 11-15 .................................................. May 7-11
Final Grades Due ........................................................................... Dec. 19 .................................................. May 15

ADD/DROP (changes in schedule, retaining at least one course)
100% Reduction of Charges on Dropped Courses ........................................................ Aug. 21-Sept. 1** .................................................. Jan. 16-29**
No Reduction of Charges on Dropped Courses after this date .................................................. Sept. 1** .................................................. Jan. 29**
No Record of Grade on Dropped Courses ........................................................ Aug. 21-Sept. 1** .................................................. Jan. 16-29**
Final Day to Add a Class ........................................................................... Aug. 25 .................................................. Jan. 19
Automatic Grade of W for Dropped Course(s) for Graduate students ........................................ Sept. 5-29 .................................................. Jan. 30-Feb. 23
Grade of W or F for Dropped Course(s) for Graduate students .......................................................... Sept. 5-Oct. 27 .................................................. Feb. 26-March 30
Automatic Grade of W for Dropped Course(s) for Undergraduate students ...........................................* .................................................. Sept. 5-Oct. 27 .................................................. Jan. 30-March 30
Petition to College Dean to Drop Course(s) ........................................................* .................................................. Oct. 30-Dec. 8 .................................................. April 2-May 4
(Instructor’s Signature and Grade of W or F Required)

COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL (dropping all courses for a semester)
Cancellation Deadline (no record of grade on transcript) ........................................................ Aug. 20 .................................................. Jan. 15
100% Reduction of Charges on Complete Withdrawals ........................................................ Aug. 21-Sept. 1** .................................................. Jan. 16-29**
No Reduction of Charges on Complete Withdrawals after this date .................................................. Sept. 1 .................................................. Jan. 29
Automatic Grade of W on Complete Withdrawal for Graduate students ........................................ Aug. 21-Sept. 29 .................................................. Jan. 16-Feb. 23
Grade of W or F on Complete Withdrawals for Graduate students .......................................................... Oct. 2-Dec. 8 .................................................. Feb. 26-May 4
(to be assigned by instructor)
Automatic Grade of W on Complete Withdrawal for Undergraduate students ...........................................* .................................................. Aug. 21-Oct. 27 .................................................. Jan. 16-March 30
Grade of W or F on Complete Withdrawal for Undergraduate students .......................................................... Oct. 30-Dec. 8 .................................................. April 2-May 4
(to be assigned by instructor)

AUDIT
Final Day to Change from Audit to Credit for Undergraduate students .................................................. Sept. 1 .................................................. Jan. 29
Final Day to Change from Credit to Audit for Undergraduate students .................................................. Sept. 1 .................................................. Jan. 29
Final Day to Change from Audit to Credit for Graduate students .................................................. Sept. 1 .................................................. Jan. 29
Final Day to Change from Credit to Audit for Graduate students .................................................. Sept. 1 .................................................. Jan. 29

GRADUATION AND RELATED REQUIREMENTS
Final Day to File a Candidate for Master's Degree .................................................. First Monday in March .................................................. First Monday in April .................................................. First Monday in October
Final Day to Apply for General Exam .................................................. June 1 .................................................. Sept. 1 .................................................. Jan. 26
Final Day to File Graduation Application .................................................. June 1 .................................................. Sept. 15 .................................................. Feb. 15
Final Day to Request Authority for Dissertation Defense .................................................. July 11 .................................................. Nov. 22 .................................................. Apr. 20
Final Day to Request Authority for Thesis Defense .................................................. July 18 .................................................. Dec. 1 .................................................. Apr. 27
Final Day to Complete Doctoral General Examination .................................................. July 25 .................................................. Dec. 8 .................................................. May 4
Final Day for Oral Defense of Dissertation .................................................. July 25 .................................................. Dec. 8 .................................................. May 4
Final Day for Thesis Defense .................................................. July 25 .................................................. Dec. 8 .................................................. May 4
Final Day for Non-Thesis Exam .................................................. July 25 .................................................. Dec. 8 .................................................. May 4
Final Day to Complete Work Needed for Graduation .................................................. Aug. 1 .................................................. Dec. 15 .................................................. May 11
Final Day to Deposit Dissertation in Library .................................................. Aug. 1 .................................................. Dec. 15 .................................................. May 11
Final Day to Deposit Thesis in Library .................................................. Aug. 1 .................................................. Dec. 15 .................................................. May 11
Commencement weekend ........................................................................... May 11-12

HOLIDAYS AND VACATION DAYS
Memorial Day Holiday .................................................. May 29
Independence Day Holiday .................................................. July 4
Labor Day Holiday .................................................. Sept. 4
Thanksgiving Vacation .................................................. Nov. 22-26
Martin Luther King Day .................................................. Jan. 15
Spring Vacation .................................................. Mar. 17-25

* 2017 Summer Session: June block, June 5-June 30; July block, July 5-August 1; Summer-wide block, June 5-August 1.
**College of Professional and Continuing Studies students have the first week of every 8-week session to drop courses with 100% refund.
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