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2019-2020 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL 2019

Sept	2	Monday	Labor Day - NO CLASSES;
			Residence halls open for first year students
Sept	3	Tuesday	Development Day for Faculty
	4	Wednesday	President's address; Department meetings;
			Residence halls open for all students
	5	Thursday	CLASSES BEGIN AT 8:00 a.m.;
			New student advising
	12	Thursday	Final day to drop a course
	17	Tuesday	CTL Professional Development Program
	19	Thursday	Final day to add a course with a Red Card
Oct	8	Tuesday	Final day for making up Incomplete grades
			from previous semester
	14	Monday	Columbus Day - NO CLASSES
	15	Tuesday	CTL Professional Development Program
	18	Friday	Deficiency grades due
Oct	21-Nov 8		Advising period
Nov	11	Monday	Veteran's Day Observed - NO CLASSES
	12-18		Registration for Spring classes
	19	Tuesday	CTL Professional Development Program
	21	Thursday	Final day for withdrawal from courses
	26	Tuesday	Thanksgiving recess begins at 4:45 p.m.
Dec	1	Sunday	Thanksgiving recess ends
	11	Wednesday	FINAL DAY OF CLASSES
	12-13, 16-18		Final Examinations
	19	Thursday	Snow day for Final Examinations
	20	Friday	Commencement 6:30 p.m.
	21	Saturday	Snow Day for Commencement - 2:00 p.m.

Spring 2020

Jan	16	Thursday	Faculty Development Day
	17	Friday	Department meetings
	20	Monday	Martin Luther King Day - NO CLASSES
	21	Tuesday	CLASSES BEGIN AT 8:00 a.m.;
			CTL Professional Development Program
	28	Tuesday	Final day to drop a course
Feb	4	Tuesday	Final day to add a course with a Red Card
reb	13	Thursday	Final day for making up Incomplete grades
	17	Monday	U.S. Presidents' Day - NO CLASSES
	18	Tuesday	CTL Professional Development Program
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Mar	6	Friday	Spring vacation begins 4:45 p.m.;
			Residence halls close at 7:00 p.m.
	15	Sunday	Spring vacation ends; Residence halls reopen at 9:00 a.m.
	17	Tuesday	CTL Professional Development Program
	20	Friday	Deficiency grades due
Mar	23-April 10		Advising period
Apr	7	Tuesday	Final day for withdrawal from courses
, . p .	13-17		Registration for Fall classes
	20	Monday	Patriots' Day - NO CLASSES
	21	Tuesday	CTL Professional Development Program
	23	Thursday	Undergraduate Research Conference;
		,	Convocation (NO DAY CLASSES)
May	6	Wednesday	FINAL DAY OF CLASSES
	7-8, 11-13		Final Examinations
	13	Wednesday	Residence halls close
	14	Thursday	Graduate Commencement 6:30 p.m.
	16	Saturday	Undergraduate Commencement 10:00 a.m.;
			Residence halls close for Graduating Seniors
	19	Tuesday	Development Day for Faculty

Feb. 19, 2019