

Academic Calendar

2023 - 2024

First Semester

August 28	1st Semester tuition due
September 4	MSP Closed: Labor Day
September 5-8	Fall Semester Prep-Week*
September 7	New Student Orientation
September 8	MSP Engagement Day
September 11	Classes Begin
September 11	Final day for a full tuition refund
September 25	Final day for a partial tuition refund
November 20-21	No Class
November 21	Final day to withdraw with grades of "W"***
November 22-24	MSP Closed: Thanksgiving Recess
December 1	2 nd Semester tuition due
December 8	Classes End

Second Semester

January 2-5	Winter Semester Prep-Week*
January 8	Classes Begin
January 8	Final day for a full tuition refund
January 15	MSP Closed: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
January 22	Final day for a partial tuition refund
January 30	No Class
February 19-23	Mid-Semester Break
March 1	No Class
March 6	No Class
March 14	No Class
March 23	Final day to withdraw with grades of "W"***
April 8	3 rd Semester Tuition Due
April 12	Classes End
April 12	All work due from previous semester incompletes
April 15-19	Semester Recess

Third Semester

April 22-26	Spring Semester Prep-Week*
April 29	Classes Begin
April 29	Final day for a full tuition refund
May 13	Final day for a partial tuition refund
May 27	MSP Closed: Memorial Day
June 19	MSP Closed: Juneteenth observed
July 4	MSP Closed: Independence Day
July 8	Final day to withdraw with grades of "W"***
July 23	No Class: Graduation Rehearsal
July 25	Classes End
July 25	All work due from previous semester incompletes
July 26	Graduation Ceremony

*Prep-Week may contain asynchronous work, reading expectations, and other homework to prepare for the first in-person class the following week. It may also include meetings and trainings depending on the semester.

**Courses that are 10 weeks in length may have an earlier withdrawal date. Please refer to the course syllabus for withdrawal dates specific for those courses.

Please Note: MSP operates on a semester credit hour model. The standard semester length is 12 weeks; when there are less than 12 weeks, the length of course meeting time is adjusted to meet the semester credit hour standards of 15 hours of instruction per credit hour awarded. This calendar is subject to change.