Graduate Council Report
September 1, 2011

Special Consideration Item:

Graduate Council approved the Proposed 2012-2013 Academic Calendar.
August 24  Friday, 5 p.m. Last day to register for fall semester classes and pay fees.
August 26  Sunday. Freshman Convocation.
August 27  Monday. First day of fall semester classes.
August 31  Friday, 5 p.m. Last day for adding/dropping courses for the fall semester.
September 7 Friday. Last day to apply for all degrees to be awarded in December.
September 14 Friday. Academic Convocation.
October 15  Monday, noon. Mid-semester grades due.
November 2  Friday, 5 p.m.
  • Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty (Q-drop).
  • Last day to change Kinesiology 198/199 grade type.
  • Last day to officially withdraw from the University.
Nov 15 – Dec 4 Thursday-Tuesday. Preregistration for 2013 spring semester.
November 22-23 Thursday-Friday. Thanksgiving holiday.
December 3  Monday.
  • Redefined day, students attend their Friday classes.
  • Prep day, classes meet. No regular course exams (except for laboratory and one-hour classes) shall be given on these days.
December 4  Tuesday.
  • Last day of fall semester classes.
  • Redefined day, students attend their Thursday classes.
  • Prep day, classes meet. No regular course exams (except for laboratory and one-hour classes) shall be given on these days.
December 5-6  Wednesday-Thursday. Reading days, no classes.
December 7, 10-12 Friday, Monday-Wednesday. Fall semester final examinations for all students.
December 13  Thursday, 6 p.m. Grades due for degree candidates due.
December 14  Friday, 5 p.m. Last day for December undergraduate degree candidates to apply for Tuition Rebate.
December 14-15  Friday-Saturday. Commencement and Commissioning.
December 17  Monday, noon. Final grades for all students due.
Dec 24 – Jan 1  Monday-Tuesday. Faculty and Staff holiday.

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Spring Semester 2013*

January 11  Friday, 5 p.m. Last day to register for spring semester classes and pay fees.
January 14  Monday. First day of spring semester classes.
January 18  Friday, 5 p.m. Last day for adding/dropping courses for the spring semester.
January 21  Monday. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Faculty and Staff holiday.
January 25  Friday. Last day to apply for all degrees to be awarded in May.
March 4    Monday, noon. Mid-semester grades due.
March 11-15 Monday-Friday. Spring break.
March 15    Friday. Faculty and Staff holiday.
March 29    Friday. Reading day, no classes
April 2     Tuesday, 5 p.m.
   • Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty (Q-drop).
   • Last day to change Kinesiology 198/199 grade type.
   • Last day to officially withdraw from the University.
April 11-26 Thursday-Friday. Preregistration for the 2013 first term, second term, 10-week summer semester and fall semester.
April 21    Sunday. Muster. Campus ceremony.
April 29    Monday. Prep day, classes meet. No regular course exams (except for laboratory and one-hour classes) shall be given on these days.
April 30    Tuesday.
   • Last day of spring semester classes.
   • Redefined day, students attend their Friday classes.
   • Prep day, classes meet. No regular course exams (except for laboratory and one-hour classes) shall be given on these days.
May 1-2     Wednesday-Thursday. Reading days, no classes.
May 3, 6-8  Friday, Monday-Wednesday. Spring semester final examinations for all students.
May 9      Thursday, 6 p.m. Grades for degree candidates due.
May 10     Friday, 5 p.m. Last day for May undergraduate degree candidates to apply for Tuition Rebate.
May 10-11  Friday-Saturday. Commencement and Commissioning.
May 13    Monday, noon. Final grades for all students.

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Summer Session 2013*

May 27  Monday. Memorial Day. Faculty and Staff holiday.
May 31  Friday, 5 p.m. Last day to register for first term and 10-week semester and pay fees.
June 3   Monday. First day of first term and 10-week semester classes.
June 6   Thursday, 5 p.m. Last day for adding/dropping for the first term and the 10-week semester.
June 21  Friday, 5 p.m.
  • Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty for the first term (Q-drop).
  • Last day to change Kinesiology 198/199 grade type for first term.
  • Last day to officially withdraw from the University for first term.
July 4   Thursday. Independence Day. Faculty and Staff holiday.
July 5   Friday. Last day of first term classes.
July 8   Monday.
  • First term final examinations.
  • No 10-week semester classes.
  • Last day to register for the second term and pay fees, 5 p.m.
July 9   Tuesday. First day of second term classes.
July 11  Thursday. First term final grades due at noon.
July 12  Friday, 5 p.m.
  • Last day for adding/dropping courses for the second term.
  • Last day to apply for degrees to be awarded in August.
July 23  Tuesday, 5 p.m.
  • Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty for the 10-week semester (Q-drop).
  • Last day to officially withdraw from the University for 10-week semester.
July 29  Monday, 5 p.m.
  • Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty for the second term (Q-drop).
  • Last day to change Kinesiology 198/199 grade type for second term.
  • Last day to officially withdraw from the University for second term.
August 12 Monday. Last day of second term and 10-week semester classes.
August 13-14 Tuesday-Wednesday. Second term and 10-week semester final examinations for all students.
August 15 Thursday, noon. Grades for degree candidates.
August 16 Friday.
  • Commencement and Commissioning.
  • Last day for August undergraduate degree candidates to apply for Tuition Rebate, 5 p.m.
August 17 Saturday. Texas A&M University at Galveston Commencement.
August 19 Monday, noon. Final grades for second term and 10-week semester due.

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