

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2021-2022

FALL SEMESTER 2021

August

11-12	Wed-Thurs	Faculty/Staff Institute
14	Sat	Residence Halls Open for New Students (12:00 noon)
16-18	Mon-Wed	Orientation/Registration for New Students (9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.) – Kroger Gymnasium
		Online Registration Returning Students
18	Wed	Residence Halls Open for Returning Students (8:00 a.m.) Registration for Graduate Students (5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.)
23	Mon	Classes Begin
23-27	Mon-Fri	Late Registration Period - Late Fee Assessed Drop/Add Period
25	Wed	President's Convocation
27	Fri	Senior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)
30	Mon	Junior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)
30	Mon	Course Withdrawal Period (Begins 8/30/21 & Ends 10/22/21)

September

1	Wed	Provost's Convocation
6	Mon	Labor Day (College closed)
7	Tues	Classes Resume
		Letter Grade Changes Period (Begins 9/7/21 & Ends 9/28/21)
8	Wed	First-Year Induction Convocation
17	Fri	Annual Graduate & Professional Schools Fair

October

4-5	Mon-Tues	Mid-Term Examinations
8	Fri	Mid-Term Grades Due by 12:00 noon
		Last Day to Remove Incompletes
11-25	Mon-Mon	Credit/No-Credit Period (Begins 10/11/21 & Ends 10/25/21)
11-17	Mon-Sun	Founders' Week 2021
		10/14&15 (Thurs/Fri): Board of Trustees Meeting
17	Sun	Founders' Convocation
22	Fri	Fall Graduation Application Deadline

November

8-12	Mon-Fri	Early Course Selection & Advising Week for Spring 2022
8	Mon	Departmental Majors Meeting 10:00 a.m. (see Departments for locations)
10	Wed	Advising Day: No Classes Scheduled/No Convocation
19	Fri	Thanksgiving Convocation
20	Sat	Residence Halls Close at 12:00 noon
22-26	Mon-Fri	Thanksgiving Recess (Faculty/Students)
24-26	Wed-Fri	College Closed
28	Sun	Residence Halls open at 12:00 noon
29	Mon	Classes Resume

December

1-17	Tues-Fri	Online Registration for Spring 2022 Open - Enrolled Students
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5	Sun	Annual Winter Choir Concert (3:30 p.m.)
8	Wed	Last Day of Classes Last Day to Withdraw from the College (from all courses)
9	Thurs	Reading Day
9-15	Thurs-Wed	Final Examinations
16	Thurs	Residence Halls Close (12:00 Noon) -- All Students Required to Vacate
17	Fri	Final Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.
21	Tues	College Closes

SPRING SEMESTER 2022

January

5	Wed	College Reopens
6	Thurs	Registration for Graduate Students (5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.)
7	Fri	Residence Halls Open for New Students and Returning Students (8:00 a.m.) Orientation/Registration for New Students (9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.) Online Registration Returning Students
10	Mon	Classes Begin
10-18	Mon-Tues	Late Registration Period - Late Fees Assessed Drop and Add Period (Begins 1/10/22) & (Ends 1/18/22)
14	Fri	Senior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)
17	Mon	Martin Luther King Day Observance
18	Tues	Classes Resume
21	Fri	Junior Class Meeting 10:00 a.m. (Required)
21-28	Fri-Fri	Letter Grade Change Request Period (Begins 1/21/22) & (Ends 1/28/22)
25-3/7	Tues-Mon	Course Withdrawal Period (Begins 1/25/22) & (Ends 3/7/22)

February

1	Tues	Spring Graduation Application Deadline
4	Fri	Annual Career Fair
16	Wed	Honors Convocation - First Year Students
17	Thurs	Annual Business Luncheon
28-3/11	Mon-Mon	Credit/No-Credit period (Begins 02/28/22) & (Ends 03/11/22)

March

1-2	Tues-Wed	Mid-Term Examinations
4	Fri	Honors Convocation-Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors (Evening Program at 6:00 p.m.) Mid-Term Grades Due by 3:00 p.m. Incomplete Removal Deadline Course Withdrawal Period Ends
6	Sun	Annual Spring Choir Concert (3:30 p.m.)
13	Sat	Residence Halls Close (12:00 noon)
14-18	Mon-Fri	Spring Break (Faculty/Students)
16-18	Wed-Fri	College Closed
20	Sun	Residence Halls Open (12:00 noon)
20-26	Sun-Sat	Humanities Festival Week
21	Mon	Classes Resume
23	Wed	Humanities Convocation
28-4/1	Mon-Fri	Early Course Selection & Advising Week for Summer 2022 and Fall 2022
28	Mon	Departmental Majors Meeting 10:00 a.m. (see Departments for locations)
29	Tues	Sophomore Comprehensive Examination

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30	Wed	Advising Day: No Classes Scheduled/No Convocation
April		
4-5/6	Tues-Fri	Online Registration for Summer 2022 open - Currently Enrolled Students
6-8	Wed-Fri	Senior Thesis Presentations
12-13	Tues-Wed	Senior Final Examinations
13	Wed	Rite of Passage Convocation
15-18	Fri-Mon	Easter Observance
19	Tues	Classes Resume
20	Wed	Last Day of Classes Last Day to Withdraw from the College (from all courses)
21	Thurs	Reading Day (No Classes) All Senior Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.
22-28	Fri-Thurs	Final Examinations
28-29	Thurs-Fri	Board of Trustees' Meeting
30	Sat	Residence Halls Close (12:00 Noon) -- All Students Required to Vacate*
May		
1	Sun	Baccalaureate Service & Commencement Ceremonies (Required)
2	Mon	Final Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.

SUMMER SCHOOL 2022

May		
30	Mon	Memorial Day (College Closed)
31-6/1	Tues-Wed	Registration
June		
6	Mon	Classes Begin
7-8	Tues-Wed	Drop/Add Period
9	Thurs	On-line Registration for Fall 2022 open – Currently Enrolled Students
July		
4	Mon	Independence Day Observance (College Closed)
6-7	Wed-Thurs	New Students Early Course Selection and Registration for Fall 2022
14	Thurs	Last Day of Classes
18-19	Mon-Tues	Final Examinations
21	Thurs	Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.

**This does not apply to graduating seniors and other students who are participating in Commencement activities, such as choir members and class marshals. These students must vacate immediately following Commencement.*

Carmen Walters, President

Leon Wilson, Provost

Date