

## MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC CALENDAR

**\*All dates are subject to change**

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### FALL 2014

#### August 2014

1	Friday	Deadline for payment of Tuition and Fees for Fall 2014
1	Friday	Deadline for filing appeals of Satisfactory Academic Progress for financial aid
13-14	Wednesday-Thursday	FACULTY INSTITUTE
15	Friday	School/Departmental meetings
16	Saturday	Residence Halls open for Fall 2014 new students
17-20	Sunday-Wednesday	Access Orientation Session IV
19	Tuesday	Transfer Student Orientation
20	Wednesday	New Graduate Student Orientation Day
21-23	Thursday- Saturday	LATE REGISTRATION for Fall 2015
23	Saturday	Residence Halls open for Fall 2014 returning students
25	Monday	<b>FALL 2014 CLASSES BEGIN</b>
25-SEPT. 6	Monday- Saturday	DROP/ADD Period. Students may add courses and may drop courses without a grade of "W"
28	Thursday	Undergraduate Department meetings with new students
29	Friday	Weekend University Session I begins
29	Friday	Last day to submit financial aid appeal

#### September 2014

1	Monday	LABOR DAY—University Closed
5	Friday	Deadline for payment of Tuition and Fees for Fall 2014 Late Registration
6	Saturday	Last day to add courses or drop courses without a grade of "W"
11	Thursday	Matriculation Convocation (11:00 a.m.)
17	Wednesday	Constitution Day
22	Monday	Registration for Speech Proficiency Examination begins (School of Global Journalism & Communication Studies Office -(CC 328)
26	Friday	Last day to register for Fall 2014 Graduate Comprehensive Examinations
30	Tuesday	Last day to submit application for graduation for all candidates graduating May 2015

#### October 2014

2	Thursday	Writing Proficiency Examination
9	Thursday	Performing Arts Convocation (11:00 a.m.)
13-18	Monday--Saturday	Mid--Semester Examinations
17-18	Friday--Saturday	Weekend University (full semester) Mid--Semester Examinations

17-JAN. 4	Friday-Sunday	Registration for Winter 2015 Minimester
18	Saturday	Homecoming
21	Tuesday	Deadline for Faculty Input of Mid--Semester Grades
24	Friday	Dissertations and Theses due in Graduate School for graduation clearance in Fall 2014
24	Friday	Weekend University Session II begins
25	Saturday	LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW FROM UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE CLASSES (with a grade of "W")
<b>November 2014</b>		
1	Saturday	Deadline for Graduate Assistantship, Fellowship and Scholarship application for Spring 2015
7	Friday	Graduate Comprehensive Examinations
11- NOV. 21	Tuesday-Friday	Open House
13	Thursday	Priority Registration and Advisement Days for Spring 2015
17-DEC. 16	Monday-Tuesday	Founders Day Convocation (11:00 a.m.)
24-JAN. 21	Monday-Wednesday	Housing application for Winter 2015 Minimester available
26	Wednesday	Registration for Spring 2015
26	Wednesday	Thanksgiving Recess begins after last scheduled class
27-28	Thursday- Saturday	Last day of classes for prospective Dec. 2014 graduates
		THANKSGIVING--- University Closed
<b>December 2014</b>		
1	Monday	Classes resume after Thanksgiving recess
1 - 6	Monday - Saturday	Final Examinations for prospective December graduates
3	Wednesday	Last day for payment of tuition and fees for Winter 2015 Minimester
5	Thursday	Bill of Rights/TransAfrica Day Convocation (11:00 a.m.)
5	Friday	Last day for undergraduate and graduate classes
5	Friday	Last day for Total Withdrawal from University for Fall 2014
6	Saturday	Reading Day (Weekend University Classes Meet)
8	Monday	Last day for payment of Tuition and Fees for Spring 2015
8	Monday	Deadline for faculty input of final grades for prospective December 2014 graduates (including removal of "I" grades from Spring 2014)
8 - 15	Monday- Monday	Undergraduate and Graduate Final Examinations-Faculty Input of Grades due 48 hours after the examination is given
12 - 13	Friday - Saturday	Weekend University Final Examinations----Faculty Input of Grades due 48 hours after the examination is given
13	Saturday	Weekend University Session II Officially Ends
16	Tuesday	Residence Halls close for Fall 2014 Semester
16	Tuesday	Housing application for Winter 2015 Minimester due
17	Wednesday	Deadline for Faculty Input of Fall 2014 Final Grades (including removal of "I" grades from Spring 2014)
17	Wednesday	<b>FALL 2014 SEMESTER ENDS</b>

19	Friday	December Commencement (10:00 a.m.)
22- Jan. 2	Monday- Friday	WINTER RECESS -- -University reopens Friday, January 2

**WINTER 2015 MINIMESTER**

**January 2015**

2	Friday	University reopens from Winter Recess
4	Sunday	Residence Halls open for 2015 Minimester
5	Monday	2015 MINIMESTER CLASSES BEGIN
5 - 6	Monday - -Tuesday	2015 Minimester Late Registration/(Drop/Add) Last day to withdraw from minimester course (with a grade of "W")
9	Friday	
16	Friday	Transfer Student Orientation
19	Monday	MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY – University Closed
22	Thursday	2015 MINIMESTER CLASSES END
23	Friday	2015 Minimester Final Examinations
24	Saturday	Residence Halls close for 2015 Minimester
26	Monday	Deadline for Faculty Input of 2015 Minimester Final Grades

**SPRING 2015 SEMESTER**

**January 2015**

14-20	Wednesday- Tuesday	College and School Workshops
16	Friday	Transfer Student Orientation
17	Saturday	Residence halls open for new students-Spring 2015
19	Monday	MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY – University Closed
20-21	Tuesday- Wednesday	Spring Access Orientation
22-24	Thursday - Saturday	LATE REGISTRATION for returning students Last day to register for Spring 2015 Graduate Comprehensive Examinations
23	Friday	
24	Saturday	Residence halls open for returning students Spring 2015
26	Monday	Spring 2015 CLASSES BEGIN
26-FEB 7	Monday-Saturday	DROP/ADD PERIOD. Students may add courses and may drop courses without a grade of "W"
30	Friday	Weekend University Classes Begin

**February 2015**

4	Wednesday	Registration for Speech Proficiency Examination begins (School of Global Journalism & Communication Studies Office -(CC 328)
5	Thursday	Mitchell - Quarles Convocation (11:00 am)
7	Saturday	Last Day to add courses or drop courses without a grade of "W"
12	Thursday	Frederick Douglass Convocation (11:00 am)

19	Thursday	Martin Luther King/ Malcolm X Convocation ( 11:00 am)
<b>March 2015</b>		
1	Sunday	Deadline to submit FAFSA for consideration for Maryland Higher Education Commission financial assistance
5	Thursday	Writing Proficiency Examinations
7	Saturday	Graduate Comprehensive Examinations
12	Thursday	Women's History Month Convocation (11:00 am)
16-21	Monday - Saturday	Mid-Semester Examinations
20	Friday	Dissertations and Theses due in Graduate School for graduation clearance in Spring 2015
23-28	Monday - Saturday	SPRING BREAK
23-MAY 25	Monday - Monday	Registration for Summer 2015 Session I
23-JUNE 26	Monday - Friday	Registration for Summer 2015 Session II
24	Tuesday	Deadline for Faculty Input of Mid-Semester Grades
30	Monday	Classes resume after Spring Break
<b>April 2015</b>		
1-MAY 25	Monday-Monday	Registration for Summer 2015 Session I
1-JUNE 26	Monday-Friday	Registration for Summer 2015 Session II
1-11	Wednesday-Saturday	Housing applications for summer 2015 Sessions I and II available
2	Thursday	Honors Convocation (11:00 am )
3	Friday	Open House
10	Friday	LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW FROM UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE CLASSES (with grade of "W"
13-24	Monday-Friday	Priority Registration and Advisement Days for Fall 2015
27-MAY 2	Monday - Saturday	Final Examinations for prospective May 2015 graduates
27-MAY 9	Monday-Saturday	Registration for Fall 2015
<b>May 2015</b>		
1-9	Friday-Saturday	Registration for Fall 2015 continues
4	Monday	Deadline for Faculty Input for Final Grades for prospective Spring 2015 Graduates (This includes removal of "I" grades from Fall 2014)
13	Wednesday	LAST DAY FOR ALL SPRING 2015 CLASSES
14	Thursday	Reading day
15-22	Friday- Friday	Last day for Total Withdrawal from University for Spring 2015 Final Examinations---Faculty Input of Final Grades due 48 hours after the examinations
16	Saturday	COMMENCEMENT (10:00 AM)
18-AUG 19	Monday-Wednesday	Fall 2015 registration resumes
22-23	Friday - Saturday	Weekend University Final Examinations--Faculty Input of Final Grades due 48 hours after examination is given

24	Sunday	Residence Halls close for Spring 2015
25	Monday	Memorial Day- University Closed
26	Tuesday	Deadline for Faculty Input of Spring 2015 Final Grades
26	Tuesday	Last day to remove "I" grades for Fall 2014
26	Tuesday	SPRING 2015 SEMESTER ENDS
29	Friday	Last day to submit application for graduation for fall candidates graduating in December 2015

*\*Continuing students may register for Fall 2015 classes throughout the summer. Late registration begins August 20.*

**SUMMER 2015 SESSIONS**

**SESSIONS I AND II** *\*\*Both Summer Sessions are 5-week sessions*

**April 2015**

1-MAY 25	Wednesday-Monday	Registration for Continuing Students continues-Session I
1-JUNE 26	Wednesday-Friday	Registration for Continuing Students continues-Session II

**May 2015**

1-25	Friday-Monday	Registration for Summer 2015 Session I continues
1-JUNE 26	Friday-Friday	Registration for Summer 2015 Session II continues
6	Wednesday	Payment due for Early Registration for Sessions I and II
25	Monday	MEMORIAL DAY- University Holiday
25	Monday	Residence Halls Open for Summer 2015 Session I
26	Tuesday	CLASSES BEGIN- SUMMER SESSION I
26-28	Tuesday-Thursday	LATE REGISTRATION and DROP/ADD for Summer Session I
26	Tuesday	PAYMENT DUE FOR SESSION I

**June 2015**

3	Wednesday	Transfer Student Orientation I
8	Monday	Last day to withdraw from classes for Summer Session I (with grade of "W")
11	Thursday	Writing Proficiency Examination 9:00 a.m. (English Department-HO 202)
29	Monday	Last day of classes for Summer Session I
30	Tuesday	Final Examinations for Summer Session I
30	Tuesday	Residence Halls close for Summer Session I

**July 2015**

2	Thursday	Deadline for Faculty Input of Final Grades for Summer Session I
2	Thursday	Summer Session I Ends
3	Friday	INDEPENDENCE DAY- University Closed

5	Sunday	Residence Halls open for Summer Session II
6	Monday	Summer Session II classes start
7	Tuesday	PAYMENT DUE FOR SESSION II
7-9	Tuesday-Thursday	LATE REGISTRATION and DROP/ADD for Summer Session II
9	Thursday	Transfer Student Orientation II
12-15	Sunday- Wednesday	Access Orientation Session I
17	Friday	Last day to withdraw from classes for Summer Session II (with grade of "W")
19-22	Sunday - Wednesday	Access Orientation Session II
26-29	Sunday - Wednesday	Access Orientation Session III
31	Friday	Connect Program Student Orientation

**August 2015**

7	Friday	Last day of classes for Summer Sessions II
10	Monday	Final Examinations for Summer Session II
11	Tuesday	Residence Halls close for Summer Session II
12	Wednesday	Deadline for Faculty Input of Final Grades for Summer Session II
12	Wednesday	Summer Session II ends
16-19	Sunday - Wednesday	Access Orientation Session IV
18	Tuesday	Transfer Orientation III
24	Monday	Fall 2015 classes start