Fall Semester 2019

Apr 15 Mon Fall book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore
Apr 22 Mon Registration begins for Fall Semester 2019
May 1 Wed Undergraduate admission application deadline for first year students entering Fall semester
May 1 Wed Admissions deposit deadline for admitted freshmen
Jun 25 Tue New Student Orientation begins
Jul 1 Mon Deadline for graduate admission applications for Fall 2019. Most programs have earlier deadlines.
Jul 24 Wed New Student Orientation ends
Aug 1 Thu Undergraduate tuition/fee payment deadline for Fall 2019
Aug 22-23 International Student Orientation
Aug 24-26 1743 Welcome Days for new students
Aug 24 Sat Residence hall check-in for new students: 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Aug 24 Sat First meal in dining halls for new students - lunch
Aug 25 Sun Residence hall check-in for returning students 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Aug 25 Sun First meal in dining halls for returning students - dinner
Aug 26 Mon Academic Orientations
Aug 26 Mon Residence hall check-in for returning students: 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Aug 26 Mon Last day to apply for readmission for Fall 2019
Aug 27 Tue Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
Aug 27 Tue Graduate/PCS tuition/fee payment deadline for Fall 2019. Classes subject to cancellation after this date.
Aug 30 Fri Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in December 2019 or February 2020
Sep 2 Mon Labor Day Holiday- University offices closed; classes suspended.
Sep 10 Tue Last day to add or drop courses. After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.
Sep 10 Tue Last day to apply for a leave of absence for Fall 2019
Sep 10 Tue Deadline for changing dining plan
Sep 10 Tue UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Spring Semester 2019 and 2019 Summer Sessions.
Sep 16 Mon Winter 2020 book orders are due by faculty to UD Bookstore.
Sep 16 Mon Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in December 2019
Oct 11 Fri Fall Break/ Blue Hen Re-Coop Day, classes suspended
Oct 11 Fri Deadline for midterms grades to be posted in UD SIS
Oct 15 Tue Spring 2020 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Oct 22 Tue Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses without academic penalty for Fall 2019.
Oct 22 Tue GRADUATE STUDENTS - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Spring Semester 2019 and 2019 Summer Sessions.
Nov 11 Mon Registration begins for Spring Semester 2020.
Nov 14 Thu Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations and education leadership portfolios for degrees to be conferred in December 2019.
Nov. 14 Thu Deadline for receipt of master's theses for degrees to be conferred in December 2019
Nov 22 Fri Thanksgiving break begins after last class; classes end at 10 p.m. Residence Halls close at 7:00 p.m.
Nov 22 Fri Last meal in dining halls before Thanksgiving Break - lunch
Nov 25-29 Classes suspended Monday through Friday for Thanksgiving break
Nov 28 Thu Holiday - University offices closed.
Nov 29 Fri Holiday - University offices closed.
Dec 1 Sun Residence halls re-open at noon.
Dec 1 Sun First meal in dining halls after Thanksgiving break - dinner
Dec 2 Mon Classes resume following Thanksgiving break.
Dec 2 Mon Deadline for graduate admission applications for Spring 2020.
Dec 2 Mon Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in February 2020.
Dec 5 Thu Last day of classes, classes end at 10:00 p.m.
Dec 5 Thu Last day for medical leave of absence to be processed
Dec 6 Fri Reading Day: no examinations scheduled
Dec 9 Mon Final examinations begin
Dec 14 Sat Final examinations end. Residence halls close at 10:00 p.m.
Dec 14 Sat Last meal in dining halls - dinner
Dec 18 Wed Deadline for 2019 Fall semester grades to be posted to UD SIS

Winter Session 2020

Sep 16 Mon Winter book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore
Oct 28 Mon Registration begins for Winter Session 2020
Jan 3 Fri Last day to apply for readmission for Winter 2020
Jan 5 Sun Residence hall check-in (5-week classes) Noon to 6:00 p.m.
Jan 5 Sun First meal in dining halls - dinner
Jan 6 Mon Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. (5-week classes) Residence hall check-in for Winter Session walk-ins, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Jan 6 Mon Tuition/fee payment deadline for Winter Session 2020.
Jan 9 Thu Last day to add or drop courses. (5-week classes) After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.
Jan 9 Thu Deadline for charging dining plan – 5-week meal plan.
Jan 12 Sun Residence Hall check-in (4-week classes) Noon to 6:00 p.m.
Jan 13 Mon Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. (4-week classes) Residence hall check-in for Winter Session walk-ins, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Jan 15 Wed Deadline for receipt of dissertations, education leadership portfolios and master’s theses for degrees to be conferred in February 2020.
Jan 16 Thu Last day to add or drop courses. (4-week classes) After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.
Jan 16 Thu Deadline for charging dining plan – 4-week meal plan
Jan 20 Mon Martin Luther King Holiday - classes suspended; University offices closed.
Jan 24 Fri Last day to change registration or withdraw. (5-week classes)
Jan 28 Tue Last day to change registration or withdraw. (4-week classes)
Feb 7 Fri Last day of classes
Feb 8 Sat Final examinations. Students leaving after Winter Session must checkout of residence hall by 6:00 p.m.
Feb 8 Sat Last meal in dining halls – dinner
Feb 12 Wed Deadline for winter session grades to be posted to UD SIS

Spring Semester 2020

Oct 15 Tue Spring book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Nov 1 Fri Undergraduate admission application deadline for first year and transfer students entering Spring Semester 2020.
Nov 11 Mon Registration begins for Spring Semester 2020.
Dec 2 Mon Deadline for graduate admission applications for Spring 2020.
Dec 6 Mon Undergraduate Tuition/fee payment deadline for Spring 2020.
Feb 6 Thu Winter International New Student Orientation
Feb 7 Fri Winter New Student Orientation
Feb 7 Fri Last day to apply for readmission for Spring 2020
Feb 9 Sun Residence hall check-in noon to 6:00 p.m.
Feb 9 Sun First meal in dining halls – brunch
Feb 10 Mon Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. Residence hall check-in 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Feb 10 Mon Graduate/PCS tuition/fee payment deadline for Spring 2020. Classes subject to cancellation after this date.
Feb 14 Fri Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in May 2020.
Feb 21 Fri Last day to add or drop courses. After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.
Feb 21 Fri Last day to apply for a leave of absence for Spring 2020
Feb 21 Fri Deadline for changing dining plan
** Changes due to Coronavirus COVID-19 Pandemic

** Undergraduate Students - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Fall Semester 2019 and Winter Semester 2020.

Mar 12-13 **Classes suspended
Mar 14-29 **Spring break
Mar 16 Mon Summer 2020 book orders are due by faculty to UD Bookstore.
Mar 30 Mon **Grades resume in online format
Apr 6 Mon Deadline for graduate admission applications for June 2020.
Apr 10 Fri **Deadline for midterm grades to be posted to UD-IS.
Apr 13 Mon **There is some flexibility in deadlines for submission of doctoral dissertations and education leadership portfolios for degrees conferred in May 2020. Please contact Mary Martin for additional details.

Apr 15 Wed Fall 2020 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Apr 20 Mon **Registration for 2020 Summer Sessions begins
Apr 20 Mon **There is some flexibility in deadlines for receipt of master's thesis for degrees to be conferred in May 2020. Please contact Mary Martin for additional details.

May 1 Fri **Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses without academic penalty for Spring 2020
May 1 Fri Undergraduate admission application deadline for first year students entering Fall 2020.
May 1 Fri Admissions deposit deadline for first year students
May 1 Fri Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in August 2020.
May 4 Mon **Registration begins for Fall Semester 2020
May 4 Mon Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in August 2020.
May 15 Fri **Undergraduate Students - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Fall Semester 2019 and Winter Semester 2020.

May 18 Mon Last class day; classes end at 10:00 p.m.
May 18 Mon Last day for medical leave of absence to be processed
May 19 Tue Reading Day; no examinations scheduled.
May 20 Wed Final examinations begin.
May 25 Mon Memorial Day observed; no exams, offices closed
May 28 Thu Final examinations end.
May 29 Fri **Postponed - Honors degree breakfast, Doctoral Hooding and some college convocations.
May 30 Sat **Postponed - Commencement followed by remaining college convocations.

Jun 1 Mon Deadline for Spring semester grades to be posted to UD-IS
Jun 5 Fri **Canceled - Alumni Weekend begins
Jun 9 Tue **Last day to submit a change from letter grade to High Pass/Mid Pass grading option

First Summer Session 2020

Mar 16 Mon Summer book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Apr 20 Mon **Registration for 2020 Summer Sessions begins
May 1 Fri Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in August 2020.
May 4 Mon Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in August 2020.
Jun 5 Fri Last day to apply for readmission for Summer 2020
Jun 8 Mon Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. - First Summer Session
Jun 8 Mon Tuition/fee payment deadline First Summer Session
Jun 11 Thu **Last day to add courses for First Summer Session (5-week and 7.5 week).

Jun 19 Fri **Last day to drop courses for First Summer Session, (5-week and 7.5 week) After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.

Jun 25 Thu Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - first summer session (5-week course).
Jul 1 Wed Deadline for graduate admission applications for Fall 2020. Most programs have earlier deadlines.
Jul 3 Fri Independence Day Holiday observed; Classes suspended; University Offices closed. All dining services are closed.
Jul 7 Tue Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - first summer session (7½-week course).
Jul 10 Fri Classes end – 5-week Summer Session.
Jul 11 Sat Final examinations- 5-week Summer Session. Students attending 5-week summer session to check out of residence halls by 7:00 p.m.

Jul 15 Wed Deadline for 5-week Summer Session grades to be posted to UD-IS.
Jul 27 Mon Classes end – 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Monday/Wednesday.
Jul 28 Tue Classes end – 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Tuesday/Thursday.
Jul 29 Wed Final exams - 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Monday/Wednesday.
Jul 30 Thu Final exams - 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Tuesday/Thursday.

Aug 3 Mon Deadline for 7½-week Summer Session grades to be posted to UD-IS.

Second Summer Session 2020

Apr 20 Mon **Registration for 2020 Summer Sessions begins.
Jul 13 Mon Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. - Second Summer Session
Jul 13 Mon Tuition/fee payment deadline for Second Summer Session.
Jul 13 Mon Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations, education leadership portfolios and master’s theses for degrees to be conferred in August 2020.

Jul 16 Thu **Last day to add courses for Second Summer Session.
Jul 24 Fri **Last day to drop courses for Second Summer Session. After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.

Jul 30 Thu Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - Second Summer Session.
Aug 13 Thu Last day of classes – Second Summer Session.
Aug 14 Fri Final examinations.
Aug 18 Tues Deadline for Second Summer Session grades to be posted to UD-IS.

Summer Session 2020 – 10-week classes

Jun 17 Wed **Last day to add 10-week courses.
Jun 19 Fri **Last day to drop 10-week courses. After this date, no tuition will be rebated and a $25 processing fee will be charged for change of registration; students withdrawing from courses will receive a grade of ‘W’ on permanent record.

Jul 16 Thu Last day to change registration or withdraw from courses
Aug 14 Fri Last day of final exams

RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCES

Sunday, September 29, 2019 – Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown, continues next 2 days
Tuesday, October 8, 2019 – Yom Kippur begins at sundown, continues following day
Wednesday, April 8, 2020 - Passover begins, continues for 7 days
Friday, April 10, 2020 – Good Friday

See policy in Faculty Handbook on excused absences. Comprehensive List of Observances can be found here: Interfaith calendar.