

**University of Delaware**  
**2018-2019 ACADEMIC YEAR CALENDAR**

<b>Graduate Accelerated Session Calendar</b> may be found <a href="#">here</a> .	Information on religious observances at bottom of calendar.
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**Fall Semester 2018**

Apr 16	Mon	Fall book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore
Apr 19	Thu	Registration begins for Fall Semester 2018
May 1	Tue	Undergraduate admission application deadline for first year students entering Fall semester
May 1	Tue	Admissions deposit deadline for admitted freshmen
Jun 19	Tue	New Student Orientation begins
Jul 2	Mon	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Fall 2018. Most programs have earlier deadlines.
Jul 18	Wed	New Student Orientation ends
Aug 1	Wed	Undergraduate Fee payment deadline for Fall 2018
Aug 23-24		International Student Orientation
Aug 25-27		1743 Welcome Days for new students
Aug 25	Sat	Residence hall check-in for new students; 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Aug 25	Sat	First meal in dining halls for new students - lunch
Aug 26	Sun	Residence hall check-in for returning students 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Aug 26	Sun	First meal in dining halls for returning students - dinner
Aug 27	Mon	Academic Orientations
Aug 27	Mon	Residence hall check-in for returning students: 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Aug 28	Tue	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
Aug 28	Tue	Graduate/PCS Fee payment deadline for Fall 2018. Classes subject to cancellation after this date.
Aug 31	Fri	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in December 2018 or February 2019
Sep 3	Mon	Labor Day Holiday- University offices closed; classes suspended.
Sep 11	Tue	Last day to register or to add courses. After this date, tuition 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 11	Tue	Deadline for changing dining plan
Sep 11	Tue	<b>UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS</b> - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Spring Semester 2018 and 2018 Summer Sessions.
Sep 17	Mon	Winter 2019 book orders are due by faculty to UD Bookstore.
Sep 17	Mon	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in December 2018
Oct 12	Fri	Deadline for midterm grades to be posted in UDSIS
Oct 15	Mon	Spring 2019 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Oct 23	Tue	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses for Fall 2018
Oct 23	Tue	<b>GRADUATE STUDENTS</b> - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Spring Semester 2018 and 2018 Summer Sessions.
Oct 29	Mon	Registration begins for Winter Session 2019
Nov 5	Mon	Registration begins for Spring Semester 2019
Nov 15	Thu	Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations and education leadership portfolios for degrees to be conferred in December 2018.
Nov. 15	Thu	Deadline for receipt of master's theses for degrees to be conferred in December 2018
Nov 16	Fri	Thanksgiving break begins after last class; classes end at 10 p.m. Residence Halls close at 7:00 p.m.
Nov 16	Fri	Last meal in dining halls before Thanksgiving Break - lunch
Nov 19-23		Classes suspended Monday through Friday for Thanksgiving break
Nov 22	Thu	Holiday - University offices closed.
Nov 23	Fri	Holiday - University offices closed.
Nov 25	Sun	Residence halls re-open at noon.
Nov 25	Sun	First meal in dining halls after Thanksgiving break- dinner
Nov 26	Mon	Classes resume following Thanksgiving break
Dec 3	Mon	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Spring 2019.
Dec 3	Mon	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in February 2019.
Dec 7	Fri	Last day of classes, classes end at 10:00 p.m.

Dec 8	Sat	Reading Day: no examinations scheduled
Dec 9	Sun	Reading Day: no examinations scheduled
Dec 10	Mon	Final examinations begin
Dec 15	Sat	Final examinations end. Residence halls close at 10:00 p.m.
Dec 15	Sat	Last meal in dining halls - dinner
Dec 19	Wed	Deadline for 2018 Fall semester grades to be posted to UDSIS

**Winter Session 2019**

Sep 15	Sat	Winter book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore
Oct 29	Mon	Registration begins for Winter Session 2019
Jan 6	Sun	Residence hall check-in (5-week classes) 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Jan 6	Sun	First meal in dining halls - dinner
Jan 7	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 7	Mon	Fee payment deadline for Winter Session 2019.
Jan 10	Thu	Last day to register or to add courses. (5-week classes) After this date, tuition 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 10	Thu	Deadline for changing dining plan – 5-week meal plan.
Jan 13	Sun	Residence Hall check-in (4-week classes) 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Jan 14	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 16	Wed	Deadline for receipt of dissertations, education leadership portfolios and master's theses for degrees to be conferred in February 2019.
Jan 17	Thu	Last day to register or to add courses. (4-week classes) After this date, tuition 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 17	Thu	Deadline for changing dining plan – 4-week meal plan
Jan 21	Mon	Martin Luther King Holiday - classes suspended; University offices closed.
Jan 25	Fri	Last day to change registration or withdraw. (5-week classes)
Jan 29	Tue	Last day to change registration or withdraw. (4-week classes)
Feb 8	Fri	Last day of classes
Feb 9	Sat	Final examinations. Students leaving after Winter Session must checkout of residence hall by 6:00 p.m.
Feb 9	Sat	Last meal in dining halls – dinner
Feb 13	Wed	Deadline for winter session grades to be posted to UDSIS

**Spring Semester 2019**

Oct 15	Mon	Spring book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Nov 1	Thu	Undergraduate admission application deadline for first year and transfer students entering Spring Semester 2019.
Nov 5	Mon	Registration begins for Spring Semester 2019
Dec 3	Mon	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Spring 2019
Jan 7	Mon	Undergraduate Fee payment deadline for Spring 2019
Feb 7	Thu	Winter International New Student Orientation
Feb 8	Fri	Winter New Student Orientation
Feb 10	Sun	Residence hall check-in noon to 7:00 p.m.; room change period for students on campus during Winter Session, 9:00 a.m. to noon.
Feb 10	Sun	First meal in dining halls - brunch
Feb 11	Mon	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. Residence hall check-in 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Feb 11	Mon	Graduate/PCS Fee payment deadline for Spring 2019. Classes subject to cancellation after this date.
Feb 19	Fri	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in May 2019.
Feb 25	Mon	Last day to register or to add courses. After this date, tuition 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 25	Mon	Deadline for changing dining plan

Feb 25	Mon	<b>UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS</b> - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Fall Semester 2018, and Winter Session 2019.
Feb 25	Mon	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees conferred in May 2019.
Mar 15	Fri	Summer 2019 book orders are due by faculty to UD Bookstore.
Mar 25	Mon	<b>GRADUATE STUDENTS</b> - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Fall Semester 2018 and Winter Session 2019.
Mar 29	Fri	Deadline for midterm grades to be posted to UDSIS
Mar 29	Fri	Spring break begins after last scheduled class; Residence halls close at 7:00 p.m.
Mar 29	Fri	Last meal in dining halls before Spring break - dinner
Apr 7	Sun	Residence halls re-open at noon.
Apr 7	Sun	First meal in dining halls after Spring break - dinner
Apr 8	Mon	Classes resume after Spring break at 8:00 a.m.
Apr 8	Mon	Registration for 2019 Summer Sessions begins
Apr 8	Mon	Deadline for graduate admission applications for June 2019.
Apr 15	Mon	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses for Spring 2019
Apr 15	Mon	Fall 2019 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Apr 15	Mon	Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations and education leadership portfolios for degrees conferred in May 2019.
Apr 22	Mon	Registration begins for Fall Semester 2019
Apr 22	Mon	Deadline for receipt of master's thesis for degrees to be conferred in May 2019.
May 1	Wed	Undergraduate admission application deadline for first year students entering Fall 2019
May 1	Wed	Admissions deposit deadline for first year students
May 1	Wed	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in August 2019.
May 6	Mon	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in August 2019.
May 20	Mon	Last class day; classes end at 10:00 p.m.
May 21	Tue	Reading Day, no examinations scheduled.
May 22	Wed	Final examinations begin.
May 25	Sat	Reading Day; no examinations scheduled
May 26	Sun	Reading Day, no examinations scheduled
May 27	Mon	Memorial Day observed; no exams, offices closed
May 30	Thu	Final examinations end. Residence Halls close at 10:00 p.m. (except for graduating students).
May 30	Thu	Last meal in dining halls - dinner
May 31	Fri	Honors degree breakfast, doctoral hooding and some college convocations.
Jun 1	Sat	Commencement followed by remaining college convocations.
Jun 1	Sat	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m. for graduating students.
Jun 4	Tue	Deadline for Spring semester grades to be posted to UDSIS
Jun 7	Fri	Alumni Weekend begins

### First Summer Session 2019

Mar 15	Fri	Summer book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Apr 8	Mon	Registration for 2019 Summer Sessions begins
May 1	Wed	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in August 2019.
May 6	Mon	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in August 2019.
Jun 9	Sun	Residence hall check-in for 5 and 7½ week sessions, noon to 5 p.m.

Jun 9	Sun	First meal in dining halls - dinner
Jun 10	Mon	Classes begin @ 8:00 a.m. - 5-week Summer Session 2019
Jun 10	Mon	Fee payment deadline First Summer Session
Jun 13	Thu	Last day to register or to add courses for First Summer Session. After this date, tuition 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 13	Thu	Deadline for change in Dining plan.
Jun 27	Thu	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - first summer session (5-week course).
Jul 1	Mon	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Fall 2019. Most programs have earlier deadlines.
Jul 4	Thu	Independence Day Holiday; Classes suspended; University Offices closed. All dining services are closed.
Jul 9	Tue	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - first summer session (7½-week course).
Jul 12	Fri	Classes end – 5-week Summer Session.
Jul 13	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 17	Wed	Deadline for 5-week Summer Session grades to be posted to UDSIS.
Jul 29	Mon	Classes end – 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Monday/Wednesday.
Jul 30	Tue	Classes end – 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Tuesday/Thursday.
Jul 31	Wed	Final exams - 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Monday/Wednesday.
Aug 1	Thu	Final exams - 7½-week Summer Session classes meeting Tuesday/Thursday. Students attending 7½-week sessions to check out of residence halls by 7:00 p.m.
Aug 6	Tue	Deadline for 7½-week Summer Session grades to be posted to UDSIS.

### Second Summer Session 2019

Mar 15	Fri	Summer book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Apr 8	Mon	Registration for 2019 Summer Sessions begins.
Jul 14	Sun	Residence halls check-in noon to 5:00 p.m.
Jul 15	Mon	Classes begin @ 8:00 a.m. - Second Summer Session
Jul 15	Mon	Fee payment deadline for Second Summer Session.
Jul 15	Mon	Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations, education leadership portfolios and master's theses for degrees to be conferred in August 2019.
Jul 18	Thu	Last day to register or to add courses for Second Summer Session. After this date, tuition 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 18	Thu	Deadline for change in Dining plans.
Aug 1	Thu	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - Second Summer Session.
Aug 15	Thu	Last day of classes – Second Summer Session.
Aug 16	Fri	Final examinations. Residence halls close for Second Summer Session at 7:00 p.m.
Aug 16	Fri	Last meal in dining halls - dinner.
Aug 21	Wed	Deadline for Second Summer Session grades to be posted to UDSIS.

### RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCES

Sunday, September 9, 2018 – Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown, continues next 2 days  
 Wednesday, September 19, 2018– Yom Kippur begins at sundown, continues following day  
 Friday, April 19, 2019 - Passover begins, continues for 7 days  
 Friday, April 19, 2019 – Good Friday

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