

University of Delaware
2015-2016 ACADEMIC YEAR CALENDAR - Approved

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Fall Semester, 2015

Apr 15	Wed	Fall book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Apr 16	Thur	Registration begins for Fall Semester, 2015.
May 1	Fri	Undergraduate admission application deadline for transfer students entering Fall Semester.
May 1	Fri	Admissions deposit deadline for admitted freshman.
Jun 23	Tue	New Student Orientation begins.
Jul 1	Wed	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Fall 2015. Most programs have earlier deadlines.
Jul 22	Wed	New Student Orientation ends.
Aug 1	Sat	Fee payment deadline for Fall Semester.
Aug 28	Fri	International Student Orientation.
Aug 29	Sat	Residence hall check-in for new students; 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Aug 29	Sat	First meal in dining halls for new students - LUNCH.
Aug 30	Sun	Residence hall check-in for returning students 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Aug 30	Sun	First meal in dining halls for returning students - DINNER.
Aug 31	Mon	Academic Orientations.
Aug 31	Mon	Residence halls check-in for returning students: 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Aug 31	Mon	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in December 2015 or February 2016.
Sep 1	Tue	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
Sep 7	Mon	Labor Day Holiday; University offices closed; classes suspended.
Sep 13	Sun	Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown; continues next two days - see policy in Faculty Handbook on excused absence.
Sep 15	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 15	Tue	Deadline for changing dining plan.
Sep 15	Tue	UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Spring Semester 2015, and 2015 Summer Sessions.
Sep 15	Tue	Winter 2016 book orders are due by faculty to UD Bookstore.
Sep 15	Tue	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in December 2015.
Sep 22	Tue	Yom Kippur begins at sundown; continues following day - See policy in Faculty Handbook on excused absence.
Oct 15	Thur	Spring 2016 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Oct 16	Fri	Deadline for midterm grades to be posted in UDSIS.
Oct 19	Mon	GRADUATE STUDENTS - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Spring Semester 2015 and 2015 Summer Sessions.
Oct 27	Tue	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses.
Nov 2	Mon	Registration begins for Winter Session, 2016.
Nov 9	Mon	Registration begins for Spring Semester 2016.
Nov 16	Mon	Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations and executive position papers for degrees to be conferred in December 2015.
Nov 20	Fri	Thanksgiving Break begins after last class; classes end at 10 p.m. Residence Halls close at 7:00 p.m.
Nov 20	Fri	Last meal in dining halls before Thanksgiving Break - lunch.
Nov 20	Fri	Deadline for receipt of master's theses for degrees to be conferred in December 2015.
Nov 23-27		Classes suspended Monday through Friday for Thanksgiving
Nov 26	Thur	Holiday - University offices closed.
Nov 27	Fri	Holiday - University offices closed.
Nov 29	Sun	Residence halls re-open at 2:00 p.m.
Nov 29	Sun	First meal in dining halls after Thanksgiving recess- dinner.
Nov 30	Mon	Classes resume following Thanksgiving recess.
Dec 2	Wed	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Spring 2016.
Dec 2	Wed	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in Feb. 2016.
Dec 11	Fri	Last day of classes; classes end at 10:00 p.m.
Dec 12	Sat	Reading Day: no examinations scheduled.
Dec 13	Sun	Reading Day: no examinations scheduled
Dec 14	Mon	Final examinations begin.
Dec 19	Sat	Final examinations end; Residence halls close at 10:00 p.m.
Dec 19	Sat	Last meal in dining halls - dinner.
Dec 23	Wed	Deadline for 2015 Fall semester grades to be posted to UDSIS.

Winter Session, 2016

Sep 15	Tue	Winter book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore
Nov 2	Mon	Registration begins for Winter Session, 2016
Jan 3	Sun	Residence hall check-in 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (5 week classes)
Jan 3	Sun	First meal in dining halls - dinner.
Jan 4	Mon	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. Residence hall check-in for Winter Session walk-ins, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (5 week classes)
Jan 4	Mon	Fee payment deadline for Winter Session.
Jan 7	Thur	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 7	Thur	Deadline for changing dining plan.
Jan 10	Sun	Residence hall check-in 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (4 week classes)
Jan 11	Mon	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. Residence hall check-in for Winter Session walk-ins, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (4 week classes)
Jan 14	Thur	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 15	Fri	Deadline for receipt of dissertations, executive position papers and master's theses for degrees to be conferred in Feb. 2016.
Jan 18	Mon	Martin Luther King Holiday - classes suspended; University offices closed.
Jan 22	Fri	Last day to change registration or withdraw. (5 week classes)
Jan 26	Tue	Last day to change registration or withdraw. (4 week classes)
Feb 5	Fri	Last day of classes.
Feb 6	Sat	Final examinations. Students leaving after Winter Session must check-out of residence hall by 7:00 p.m.
Feb 6	Sat	Last meal in dining halls - dinner.
Feb 10	Wed	Deadline for winter semester grades to be posted to UDSIS.

Spring Semester, 2016

Oct 15	Thur	Spring book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Nov 1	Sun	Undergraduate admission application deadline for freshman and transfer students entering Spring Semester, 2016.
Nov 9	Mon	Registration for Spring Semester, 2016
Dec 2	Wed	Deadline for graduate admission applications for Spring 2016.
Jan 4	Mon	Fee payment deadline for Spring Semester, 2016.
Jan 22	Fri	Winter New Student Orientation.
Feb 5	Fri	Winter International New Student Orientation
Feb 7	Sun	Residence hall check-in 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.; room change period for students on campus during Winter Session, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.
Feb 7	Sun	First meal in dining halls - brunch.
Feb 8	Mon	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. Residence hall check-in 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Feb 15	Mon	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in May 2016.
Feb 22	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 22	Mon	Deadline for changing dining plan.
Feb 22	Mon	UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Fall Semester 2015, and Winter Session 2016.
Feb 29	Mon	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees conferred in May 2016.
Mar 15	Tue	Summer 2016 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Mar 21	Mon	GRADUATE STUDENTS - Deadline for completion of deferred examinations and incomplete work (grade I) from Fall Semester 2015 and Winter Session 2016.
Mar 25	Fri	Deadline for midterm grades to be posted to UDSIS.
Mar 25	Fri	Good Friday - See policy in Faculty Handbook on excused absence.
Mar 25	Fri	Spring Recess begins after last scheduled class; Residence halls close at 7:00 p.m.
Mar 25	Fri	Last meal in dining halls before Spring break - dinner.
Apr 1	Fri	Deadline for graduate admission applications for June 2016.
Apr 3	Sun	Residence halls re-open at noon.
Apr 3	Sun	First meal in dining halls after Spring break - dinner.

Apr 4	Mon	Classes resume after Spring recess at 8:00 a.m.
Apr 4	Mon	Registration for 2016 Summer Sessions begins.
Apr 11	Mon	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses.
Apr 15	Fri	Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations and executive position papers for degrees conferred in May 2016.
Apr 15	Fri	Fall 2016 book orders are due by Faculty to UD Bookstore.
Apr 21	Thur	Registration begins for Fall Semester 2016 begins.
Apr 22	Fri	Passover beings at sundown; and will continue for 7 days - See policy in Faculty Handbook on excused absence
Apr 22	Fri	Deadline for receipt of master's thesis for degrees to be conferred in May 2016.
May 1	Sun	Undergraduate admission application deadline for transfer students entering Fall 2016.
May 2	Mon	Deadline for admission to doctoral candidacy for degrees to be conferred in August 2016.
May 16	Mon	Deadline for filing application for graduate degrees to be conferred in August 2016.
May 17	Tue	Last class day; classes end at 10:00 p.m.
May 18	Wed	Reading Day; no examinations scheduled.
May 19	Thur	Final examinations begin.
May 21	Sat	Reading Day; no examinations scheduled.
May 22	Sun	Reading Day; no examinations scheduled.
May 26	Thur	Final examinations end; Residence Halls close at 10:00 p.m. (except for graduating students).
May 26	Thur	Last meal in dining halls - dinner.
May 27	Fri	Honors degree ceremony, doctoral hooding and some college convocations.
May 28	Sat	Commencement followed by remaining college convocations.
May 28	Sat	Residence halls close at 6:00 p.m. for graduating students.
May 31	Tue	Deadline for Spring semester grades to be posted to UDSIS.
Jun 3	Fri	Alumni Weekend begins.

First Summer Session, 2016

Mar 15	Tue	Summer book orders are due by faculty to the UD Bookstore.
Apr 4	Mon	Registration for 2016 Summer Sessions begins.
Jun 5	Sun	Residence hall check-in for 5 and 7 ½ week sessions, noon to 5 p.m.
Jun 5	Sun	First meal in dining halls - dinner.
Jun 6	Mon	Classes begin @ 8:00 a.m.- 5 week Summer Session.
Jun 6	Mon	Fee payment deadline.
Jun 9	Thur	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. Deadline for change in Dining plan.

Jun 23	Thur	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - first summer session (5 week course).
Jul 4	Mon	Independence Day Holiday; classes suspended; University offices closed. All dining services are closed.
Jul 5	Tue	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - first summer session (7 1/2 week course).
Jul 8	Fri	Classes end - 5 week Summer Session.
Jul 9	Sat	Final examinations; 5 week Summer Session. Students attending 1 st 5- week summer session to check out of residence halls by 7:00 p.m.
Jul 13	Wed	Deadline for 5 week Summer Session grades to be posted to UDSIS.
Jul 25	Mon	Classes end - 7 ½ week Summer Session classes meeting Monday/Wednesday.
Jul 26	Tue	Classes end - 7 ½ week Summer Session classes meeting Tuesday/Thursday.
Jul 27	Wed	Final exams - 7 ½ week Summer Session classes meeting Monday/Wednesday.
Jul 28	Thur	Final exams - 7 ½ week Summer Session classes meeting Tuesday/Thursday. Students attending 7 ½ week sessions to check out of residence halls by 7:00 p.m.
Aug 1	Mon	Deadline for 7 ½ week Summer Session grades to be posted to UDSIS.

Second Summer Session, 2016

Jul 11	Mon	Classes begin @ 8:00 a.m.- Second Summer Session
Jul 11	Mon	Fee payment deadline for Second Summer Session.
Jul 14	Thurs	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. Deadline for change in Dining plans.
Jul 14	Thur	Deadline for receipt of doctoral dissertations, executive position papers and master's theses for degrees to be conferred in August 2016.
Jul 28	Thur	Last day to change registration or to withdraw from courses - second summer session.
Aug 11	Thur	Last day of classes – Second Summer Session.
Aug 12	Fri	Last meal in dining halls - dinner.
Aug 12	Fri	Final examinations; Residence halls close for 2nd Summer Session at 7:00 p.m.
Aug 16	Tue	Deadline for Second Summer Session grades to be posted to UDSIS.

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