**Academic Calendar 2005 – 2006**

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**

**Bridge Program for New Freshman and Transfer Students**
July 21 – August 19  Arrival Day and Bridge Program

**New Signers Program for New Freshman and Transfer Students**
July 21 – August 19  Arrival Day and New Signers Program

**Orientation for New Freshman and Transfer Students**
August 17 - 20  International Student Orientation
August 21 – 26  Arrival Day and New Student Orientation
August 21  Business Registration for new students

**Fall Semester 2005**

August 28  All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
August 29  Classes begin
August 29  Business registration (payment of tuition, room and board)
August 29 – Sept 1  ADD/DROP
September 1  Last Day to ADD/DROP courses
September 2  Last day to register
September 5  Labor Day holiday (no classes)
October 10  Midterm week
October 14  Last day to change Incomplete grades from previous semester
October 17  All midterm grades due from faculty no later than 4:30 p.m.
October 18  Enrichment Day (no classes)
October 25  Last day to withdraw with WD grade. (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s Office by 4:30 p.m.)
October 25  Last day to change to AUDIT
Oct 31 – Nov - 2  Course registration for Spring 2006 semester for currently enrolled students
November 23 – 25  Thanksgiving Holiday
December 9  Graduation application deadline for December and May graduation
December 9  Classes end
December 9  Last day to change to Incomplete grades from the previous semester
December 9  Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade. (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s Office by 4:30 p.m.)
December 9  Last day for Consortium registration for Spring 2006 semester
December 12  Study Day
December 13  Final examination period begins
December 16  Final examination period ends
December 17  All dorms close at noon
December 17  Winter Break begins
December 19  All grades due from faculty no later than 4 p.m.

**GRADUATE STUDENTS**

**Culture and Language Colloquium (CLC)**
August 1 - 17  Culture and Language Colloquium On-Line
August 7  Intensive ASL Students  Arrival Day
August 8 - 17  Intensive ASL for Graduate Students
August 17  Arrival Day for On Campus Culture and Language Colloquium students
August 18 – 24  Culture and Language Colloquium On Campus

**Orientation for New Graduate Students**
August 24  Arrival Day
August 25 - 26  Graduate Student Orientation Programs
August 26  Business Registration for new students

**Fall Semester 2005**

August 28  All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
August 29  Classes begin
August 29  Business Registration (payment of tuition, room, and board)
August 29 - Sept 9  ADD/DROP
September 2  Last day to register
September 5  Labor Day holiday (no classes)
September 9  Last Day to ADD/DROP courses
September 27  Last day to withdraw with WD grade (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s Office by 4:30 p.m.)
September 27  Last day to change to AUDIT
October 18  Enrichment Day (no classes)
November 7  Course registration for Spring 2006 semester for currently enrolled students
November 23 - 25  Thanksgiving Holiday
December 9  Graduation application deadline for December and May graduation
December 9  Classes end
December 9  Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade. (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s Office by 4:30 p.m.)
December 9  Last day to change to Incomplete grades from the previous semester
December 9  Last day for Consortium registration for Spring 2006 semester
December 12  Study Day
December 13  Final examination period begins
December 16  Final examination period ends
December 17  All dorms close at noon
December 17  Winter Break begins
December 19  All grades due from faculty no later than 4 p.m.
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UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS
Orientation for New Freshmen and Transfer Students

January 9 - 13  Arrival Day and New Student Orientation
January 11 - 13  Visiting Student Orientation
January 13  Business Registration for new students

Spring Semester 2006
January 16  Martin Luther King Holiday
January 16  All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
January 17  Classes begin
January 17  Business Registration (payment of tuition, room, and board)
January 17 - 20  ADD/DROP
January 20  Last day to register
January 20  Last day to ADD/DROP courses
February 27  Midterm week
March 6 - 8  Course registration for 2006 summer school for currently enrolled students
March 6  Last day to change Incomplete grades from previous semester
March 6 - 8  Course registration for 2006 summer school for currently enrolled students
March 13 - 17  Spring Break
March 22  Last day to withdraw with WD grade. (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s office by 4:30 p.m.)
March 22  Last day to change to AUDIT
April 3 - 5  Course registration for fall 2006 semester for currently enrolled students
May 1  Last day for Consortium registration for summer school and fall 2006 (Forms must be in Registrar’s Office by 4:30 p.m.)
May 1  Classes end
May 2  Study Day
May 3  Final Examination period begins
May 6  Final Examination period ends
May 7  All dorms close at noon
May 8  All grades due from faculty no later than 4 p.m.
May 12  Commencement exercises

** Summer Sessions 2006
May 15 - June 2  Undergraduate summer school – 1st session
June 5 - June 23  Undergraduate summer school – 2nd session
May 15 – June 23  Undergraduate full summer school

GRADUATE STUDENTS
Spring Semester 2006
January 16  Martin Luther King Holiday
January 16  All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
January 17  New Student Orientation begins at 9 a.m.
January 17  Classes begin
January 17 - 27  ADD/DROP
January 20  Last day to register
January 27  Last day to ADD/DROP courses
February 13  Last day to withdraw with WD grade (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s office by 4:30 p.m.)
February 27  Last day to change to AUDIT
March 9 - 10  Course registration for 2006 summer school for currently enrolled students
March 13 - 17  Spring Break
March 14  Last day to submit defensible dissertation to Graduate School Office
April 4  Last day to defend dissertation (for May graduation)
April 10  Course registration for fall 2006 semester for currently enrolled students
May 1  Classes end
May 1  Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grades. (Forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar’s office by 4:30 p.m.)
May 1  Last day to change Incomplete grades from the previous semester
May 2  Study Day
May 3  Final Examination period begins
May 6  Final Examination period ends
May 7  All dorms close at noon
May 8  All grades due from faculty no later than 4 p.m.
May 11  Graduate Awards and Hooding Ceremony
May 12  Commencement exercises

** Summer Sessions 2006
May 15 - August 4  Graduate summer school 1st session

** NOTE: Graduate programs may schedule courses of varying duration any time within this period.

** Instructor will use their discretion on scheduling make up classes for days lost to Memorial Day Holiday

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