

Academic Calendars 2019-2020

FALL SEMESTER 2019 Regular Term (R)

August 13 Professional Development (Total Personnel)
August 14-15 Registration for All Terms
August 16 Faculty Duty Day
August 19 Regular Term Classes Begin - STUDENTS' FIRST DAY
August 19 Late Registration Fees Assessed
August 19 Drop-Add Begins
August 23 Drop/Add Ends
August 24 Saturday Classes Begin
September 2 Labor Day (State Holiday)
September 10 Last Day to Withdraw/Receive Partial Refund (Regular)
September 19 SGA Officers Installation & Honor Societies' Induction
October 17 Miss Lawson State Coronation
October 16 Mid-Term Progress Reports Due
October 22 60% Completion Date-Title IV Funds (Regular Term)
November 1 Online Registration Opens for Spring Term
November 7 General Faculty and Staff Meeting (Location-TBA)
November 11 Veteran's Day (State Holiday) College Closed
November 11-14 SACSCOC On-Site Visitation Reaffirmation Team
November 25-26 ACCA Professional Days (Total Personnel)
November 25-27 Local Professional Day (Total Personnel)
November 28-29 Thanksgiving (State Holidays) College Closed
December 2 Classes Resume
December 3 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes
December 7 Final Examination- Saturday Classes Only
December 9-13 Final Exams (Regular Term)
December 13 STUDENTS' LAST DAY
December 13 Fall Commencement Exercises (Graduation Day)
December 16, 17, and 18 Faculty Duty Days
December 17 Final Grade Reports Due by Noon
December 19-20 Non-Instructional Duty Days (12-Month Personnel)
December 23-27 Christmas Holidays (State/Local) College Closed
December 30-31 Non-instructional Duty Days (12-Month Personnel)

Fall Mini-Term I (T1)

August 19 Mini-Term I Classes Begin
August 19 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
August 19 Drop-Add Begins and Ends for Mini-term I Classes Only
August 10 Last Day to Withdraw and Receive Partial Refund (T1 Only)
September 2 Labor Day Holiday (State) College Closed
September 19 60 % Completion Date for Title IV Funds (T1 Only)
October 4 Last Day to Withdraw from Mini-Term I (T1)
October 11 Final Exam Day for Mini-Term I Classes Only (T1)
October 14 Final Grade Reports Due by Noon (T1)

Fall Mini -Term II (T2)

October 14 Classes Begin
October 14 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
October 25 Last Day of Partial Refund for Mini II (T2 Only)
November 11 Veteran's Day- (State Holiday) College Closed
November 19 60% Completion Date for Title IV Funds (T2 Only)
November 28-29 Thanksgiving (State Holidays) College Closed
December 6 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes (T2)
December 13 Final Exam Day for Mini- Term II (T2)
December 17 Grade Reports Due Noon (T2)

SPRING SEMESTER 2020 Regular Term (R)

January 1 New Year's Holiday (State) College Closed
January 2 Duty Day for Non-instructional Personnel (12-Month)
January 3 Local Professional Day (Total Personnel)
January 6-7 Registration for All Terms
January 8 Faculty Duty Day
January 9 Regular Term Classes Begin - STUDENTS' FIRST DAY
January 9 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
January 9-15 Drop/Add (Begins and ends)
January 11 Saturday Classes Begin
January 20 Dr. M. L. King, Jr. (State Holiday) College Closed
January 31 Last Day to Withdraw and Receive Partial Refund (Regular)
March 9 Mid-Term Progress Reports Due
March 12 General Faculty and Staff Meeting (Location-TBA)
March 13 60% Completion Date-Title IV Funds (Regular Term)
March 23-27 Spring Break (Faculty and Students)
March 23-25 Duty Days (12-Month Personnel)
March 26-27 Staff Spring Break - (Local Holidays) College Closed
March 30 Classes Resume
April 1 Online Registration Opens for Summer Term
April 10 Honors and Awards Day (Arthur Shores Building)
April 20 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes
April 29, 30 and May 1, 4, 5 Final Examinations for Regular Term
May 2 Saturday Classes Final Exam Day
May 5 STUDENTS' LAST DAY
May 6, 7, 8 Faculty Duty Days
May 7 Faculty Duty Day/All Grade Reports Due by Noon
May 8 Commencement Exercises (Graduation Day)
May 11-12 Local Professional Development Days

Spring Mini-Term I (T1)

January 9 Classes Begin
January 9 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
January 20 Dr. M. L. King, Jr. (State Holiday) College Closed
January 17 Last Day of Partial Refund for Mini I (T1 Only)
February 11 60% Completion Date-Title IV Funds (T2 Only)
February 26 Last Day to Withdraw from Mini-Term I (T1)
March 4 Final Exam Day for Mini-Term I Only (T1)
March 9 Grade Reports Due for Mini-Term I (T1)

Spring Mini-Term II (T2)

March 5 Classes Begin
March 5 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
March 20 Last Day of Partial Refund for Mini-term II (T2 Only)
March 23-27 Spring Break (Faculty and Students)
March 23-25 Duty Days (12-Month Personnel)
March 26-27 Staff Spring Break (Local Holidays) College Closed
April 13 60% Completion Date-Title IV Funds (T2 Only)
April 28 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes (T2)
May 5 Final Exam Day for Mini-Term II (T2)
May 11 Final Grade Reports Due by Noon 12 p.m. (T2)

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INTERIM SESSION 2020 (T3)

May 11 Interim Session (6 Day Term; Runs 8:30 – 5:30 P.M.)
May 11 Classes Begin
May 15 Classes End
May 16 Final Exams for Interim Courses (Saturday)
May 18 Grade Reports Due by Noon

SUMMER SEMESTER 2020 -REGULAR TERM (R)

May 19 Registration
May 20 Faculty Duty Day
May 21 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
May 21 Regular Term Classes Begin – STUDENTS' FIRST DAY
May 21-26 Drop/Add (Begins and Ends)
May 25 Memorial Day (State Holiday) *College Closed*
June 12 Last Day to Withdraw and Receive Partial Refund (Regular)
June 1 Online Registration Opens for Fall Term
June 29-July 2 Mid-Term Progress Report Due
July 30 60 % Completion Date - Title IV Funds (Full Term)
July 6 Independence Day Observance (State Holiday) *College Closed*
July 21 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes (Regular Term)
July 29, 30, 31 Final Examination Days
July 31 STUDENTS' LAST DAY
August 3 and 4 Faculty Duty Days
August 4 Final Grade Reports Due by Noon –Faculty Duty Day

SUMMER 2020 MINI-I TERM (T2)

May 21 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
May 21 Term 2 Classes Begin
May 25 Memorial Day (State Holiday) *College Closed*
June 12 Last Day to Withdraw and Receive Partial Refund (T1 Only)
June 30 60% Completion Date-Title IV Funds (T1 Only)
June 19 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes (T1)
June 25 Final Examination Day for Mini-Term I (T1)
June 30 Grade Reports Due by Noon

SUMMER 2020 MINI-TERM II (T2)

June 26 Classes Begin
June 26 Late Registration (Fees Assessed)
July 6 Independence Day Observance (State Holiday) *College Closed*
July 10 Last Day to Withdraw and Receive Partial Refund (T2 Only)
July 17 60% Completion Date -Title IV Funds (T2 Only)
July 23 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes (T2)
July 31 Final Examination Day (T2)
August 3 and 4 Faculty Duty Days
August 4 /Grade Reports Due by Noon (T2) –Faculty Duty Day

Holiday Listing and Official College Closings

September 2 Labor Day (State Holiday) College Closed
November 11 Veteran's Day (State Holiday) College Closed
November 28-29 Thanksgiving (State Holidays) College Closed
December 23-27 Christmas Holidays (State Local Holidays)
College Closed
January 1 New Year's Day (State Holiday) College Closed
January 20 Dr. M. L. King, Jr. (State Holiday) College Closed
March 23 - 27 Spring Break - Faculty/Students
March 26-27 Spring Break (Local Holidays) College Closed
May 25 Memorial Day (State Holiday) College Closed
July 6 Independence Day (State Holiday) College Closed

Student Activities (See Student Activity Calendar for full listing)

September 19 SGA Officers Installation & Honor Societies' Inductions
October 15 Miss Lawson State Coronation
December 13 Commencement Exercises (Fall Graduation)
April 9 Honors and Awards Day
May 8 Commencement Exercises Spring Graduation)

Professional Development/General Faculty/ Staff Meeting Dates

August 13 Local Professional Development (Total Personnel)
November 7 General Faculty and Staff Meeting (Bessemer)
November 25-26 State Professional Development Days
November 27 Local Professional Development
January 3 Local Professional Day (Total Personnel)
March 12 General Faculty and Staff Meeting (Bessemer Campus)
May 8 Commencement Exercises for Class of 2020

Fall Semester

Faculty Duty Days **88**
Regular Term Instructional Days 78
Mini Term I Instructional Days 39
Mini Term __ Instructional Days 39

Spring Semester

Faculty Duty Days **87**
Regular Term Instructional Days 78
Mini Term I Instructional Days 39
Mini Term __ Instructional Days 39

Summer Term

Faculty Duty Days 54
Regular Term Instructional Days 50
Mini Term I Instructional Days 25
Mini Term __ Instructional Days 25

Grand Total Faculty Duty Days 229

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Cabinet 4/29/19