SPRING 2016 ACADEMIC CALENDAR	
DATE (S)	ACTIVITY
December 18 (F)	First Priority Payment Date
January 5-22 (Tu-F)	Book Vouchers
January 5 (Tu)	First Time Freshmen and Transfer Students Report for Campus Housing
January 5-8 (Tu-F)	Registration
January 6 (W)	Orientation for First-time Freshmen and Transfer Students
January 6 (W)	Faculty Reports/Convocation
January 6 (W)	Returning Students Report for Campus Housing
January 8 (F)	Classes Purged for Non-Payment of Tuition and Fees (All Students)
January 9 (S)	Late Fees Begin (\$100)
January 11 (M)	CLASSES BEGIN
January 11-2 (M-F)	Attendance Reporting Period (NS/SH)—Students who do not report to classes during this period will have their classes removed and financial aid reduced or cancelled.
January 15 (F)	Deadline for Adding Courses for Credit
January 18 (M)	Martin Luther King's Birthday Celebration
January 19 (Tu)	Classes Resume at 8:00 A.M.
January 29 (F)	Last Day to Drop Courses without receiving a Grade of "W"
February 1 (M)	Spring 2016 Fee Payment Deadline
February 5 (F)	Deadline for Receipt of Graduation Applications for Spring 2016
	Commencement and Commencement Ceremony Participation Intent Forms
February 8-9 (M-Tu)	Mardi Gras Holiday
February 9 (W)	Classes Resume at 8:00 A.M.
February 11 (Th)	Student Refunds Begin
February 17 (W)	Spring Career Fair
February 29-March 4 (M-F)	Mid-Semester Examination Period
March 7 (M)	Mid-Semester Grades Posted by 12:00 p.m.
March 21-March 28 (M-M)	Spring Break
March 29 (Tu)	Classes Resume at 8:00 a.m.
April 4 (M)	Pre-Registration for Summer
April 18 (M)	Last day to withdraw from courses or from the University
April 18 (M)	Pre-Registration for Fall
April 28(Th)	Last Day of Classes
April 29-May 4 (F –W)	Final Examination Period
May 6 (F)	Final Grades for All Students Posted to the Web by 11:59 p.m.
May 13 (F)	Commencement

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