Academic Calendar — AY2019-2020

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**Fall Semester 2019 (Term code: 201911)**

- Regular Class Period Begins: Monday, August 19, 2019
- Labor Day Holiday (no classes) Monday, September 2, 2019
- Election Day (no classes): Tuesday, November 5, 2019
- Class Period Ends: Tuesday, November 26, 2019
- Reading Period: Wednesday, November 27 – Tuesday, December 3, 2019
- Exam Period: Wednesday, December 4 – Friday, December 13, 2019

**Spring Semester 2020 (Term code: 201931)**

- Class Period Begins: Monday, January 6, 2020
- Martin Luther King Holiday (no classes): Monday, January 20, 2020
- Spring Break Holiday (no classes): Saturday, March 14 – Sunday, March 22, 2020
- Class Period Ends: Monday, April 20, 2020
- Reading Period: Thursday, April 23 – Sunday, April 26, 2020
- Exam Period: Monday, April 27 – Wednesday, May 6, 2020
- Commencement: Thursday, May 21, 2020

**Summer Semester 2020 (Term code: 201941)**

- Orientation and Class Period Begins for Incoming Summer Students/11-Week Classes: Monday, May 11, 2020
- Memorial Day Holiday (no classes): Monday, May 25, 2020
- Class Period Begins for 9-Week Classes: Tuesday, May 26, 2020
- Independence Day Holiday: Friday, July 3, 2020
- Class Period Ends for all Summer classes\(^1\): Friday, July 24, 2020
- Reading Period: Saturday, July 25 – Tuesday, July 28, 2020
- Exam Period for all Summer classes: Wednesday, July 29 – Tuesday, August 4, 2020

\(^1\) Legislative days: Friday, July 24 follows a Monday class schedule.