

## OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

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### ACADEMIC YEAR 2007-2008

This calendar includes an addendum listing religious holidays for use in requesting excused absences according to University Policy 1.9. For religious holidays not listed, the instructor or supervisor may contact the Office of the Chaplain.

Graduate Programs in the Cox School of Business, Graduate Programs in the School of Engineering, Perkins School of Theology and Dedman School of Law have different calendars.

Offices of the University will be closed on September 3, November 22-23, December 24-28, 2007; January 1, January 21, March 21, May 26 and July 4, 2008.

#### FALL TERM 2007

March 26 April 13: Monday Friday, Enrollment Fall 2007 Continuing Students: all undergraduates; graduate Dedman & Meadows.

May/July/August -TBA: Academic Advising, Enrollment and Orientation (AARO) conferences for new first year and transfer undergraduate students. Conference dates to be announced. Contact New Student Programs, Student Life Office, 214-768-4560. [www.smu.edu/newstudent](http://www.smu.edu/newstudent)

August 21, Tuesday: Residence halls officially open.

August 22, Wednesday: Opening Convocation, McFarlin Auditorium.

August 23, Thursday: First day of classes.

August 29, Wednesday: Last day to enroll, add courses or drop courses without grade record or tuition billing. Last day to file for graduation in December.

September 3, Monday: University Holiday Labor Day

September 10, Monday: Last day to declare pass/fail, no credit or first-year repeated course grading options. Last day to request excused absence for observance of a religious holiday.

September 28-29: Friday-Saturday: Family Weekend.

October 5, Friday: Last day for continuing undergraduate students to change their major for November enrollment.

October 29-November 16, Monday-Friday: Enrollment Spring 2008 Continuing Students for all undergraduates and graduate Dedman and Meadows.

November 1, Thursday: 60% point of the term that federal financial aid has been earned if a student officially withdraws from SMU prior to this date a partial calculated return to federal programs will be required.

November 5, Monday: Last day to drop a course.

November 9, Friday: Last day for December graduation candidates to change grades of incomplete.

November 9-10: Friday-Saturday: Homecoming

November 19-20, Monday Tuesday: Fall Break

November 21, Wednesday: No classes

November 22-23, Thursday-Friday: University Holidays Thanksgiving

November 26, Monday: Students should file for May graduation. Last day to file is January 28.

November 27, Tuesday: Last day for oral/written examinations for December graduate degree candidates.

November 28, Wednesday: Last day to withdraw from the University.

December 3-6, Monday-Thursday: No final examinations or unscheduled tests and papers.

December 6, Thursday: Last day of instruction Follows Monday class schedule

December 7-8, Friday Saturday Reading Days No Classes.

December 10-15, Monday-Saturday: Examinations (no examinations scheduled for Sunday)

December 15, Saturday, Official close of term and date for conferral of degrees.

Graduation ceremony for December graduates.

December 16, Sunday: Residence halls officially close.

December 24-28, Monday Friday: University Holidays Christmas/Winter Break







