

Academic Calendar – The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill



THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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CHAPEL HILL

April 2008

Memo: Deans
Directors
Department Chairs
All University Employees

From: James Moeser, Chancellor

RE: Academic Calendars
2008-2009 and 2009-2010

I have approved these calendars proposed by the Academic Calendar Committee and recommended by the Committee on Instructional Personnel.

The faculty are encouraged to make reasonable accommodations for students requesting to miss class due to the observance of religious holidays. The website below is provided to assist faculty in identifying holidays.

<http://www.interfaithcalendar.org/>

Some Summer School courses are offered on a different calendar. A list of longer and shorter courses with different starting and ending dates is included in the Summer School Directory of Classes.

N.B. All Deans, Directors, and Department Heads are asked to post copies of this memorandum on their bulletin boards.

*Copy to: The University Gazette
The Daily Tar Heel
Carolina Week*

Fall Semester	2008	2009
Semester Opens	Thu. Aug. 14	Thu. Aug. 20
New Student Convocation	Sun. Aug. 17	Sun. Aug. 23
Summer Reading Program	Mon. Aug. 18	Mon. Aug. 24
Classes Begin for All Students	Tue. Aug. 19	Tue. Aug. 25
Last Day for Late Registration	Mon. Aug. 25	Mon. Aug. 31
Labor Day	Mon. Sep. 1 No Classes Held, Holiday	Mon. Sep. 7 No Classes Held, Holiday
University Day	Sun. Oct. 12	Mon. Oct. 12 Classes cancelled during ceremony 10:00 A.M. until 1:00 P.M.
Fall Break begins 5:00 P.M.	Wed. Oct. 15	Wed. Oct. 21
Classes resume 8:00 A.M.	Mon. Oct. 20	Mon. Oct. 26
Thanksgiving Recess	Wed. Nov. 26 No Classes Held University Holiday, Nov. 27,28	Wed. Nov. 25 No Classes Held University Holiday, Nov. 26, 27
Classes resume 8:00 A.M.	Mon. Dec. 1	Mon. Nov. 30
Classes End	Wed. Dec. 3	Wed. Dec. 9
Reading Days	Thu. Dec. 4 Wed. Dec. 10	Thu. Dec. 10 Tues. Dec.15
Exam Days	Dec. 5,6,8,9,11,12 (F,Sa,M,Tu,Th,F)	Dec.11,12,14,16,17,18 (F, Sa, M, W, Th, F)
Fall Commencement	Sun. Dec. 14	Sun. Dec. 20
Spring Semester	2009	2010
Semester Opens	Fri. Jan. 9	Fri. Jan. 8
Classes Begin	Mon. Jan. 12	Mon. Jan. 11
Last Day for Late Registration	Fri. Jan. 16	Fri. Jan. 15
Holiday	Mon. Jan. 19	Mon. Jan. 18
Spring Break begins 5:00 P.M.	Fri. Mar. 6	Fri. Mar. 5
Classes resume 8:00 A.M.	Mon. Mar. 16	Mon. Mar. 15
Holiday	Fri. Apr. 10	Fri. Apr. 2
Classes End	Mon. Apr. 27	Wed. Apr. 28
Reading Days	Tue. Apr. 28, Fri. May 1 Tue. May 5	Thu. Apr. 29 Tue. May 4
Exam Days	Apr. 29,30, May 2, 4, 6, 7 (W, Th, Sa, M, W, Th)	Apr. 30, May 1,3, 5, 6, 7 (F, Sa, M, W, Th, F)
Spring Commencement	Sun. May 10	Sun. May 9
Summer Session I (SSI) Maymester (MM)	2009	2010
Classes Begin SSI and MM	Tue. May 12	Tue. May 11
Last Day for Late Registration MM	Tue. May 12	Tues. May 11
Last Day for Late Registration SSI	Wed. May 13	Wed. May 12
Holiday	Mon. May 25	Mon. May 31
Classes End/Exams MM	Fri. May 29	Thu. May 27
Classes End SSI	Fri. Jun. 12	Fri. Jun. 11
Exam Days SSI	Jun. 15, 16 (M, Tu)	Jun. 14, 15 (M, T)
Second Summer Session	2009	2010
Classes Begin	Thu. Jun. 18	Thu. Jun. 17
Last Day for Late Registration	Fri. Jun. 19	Fri. Jun. 18
Holiday	Fri. Jul. 3	Mon. Jul. 5
Classes End	Tue. Jul. 21	Tue. Jul. 20
Exams Days	Jul. 23, 24 (Th, F)	Jul. 22, 23 (Th, F)