

## George Mason University Three Year Calendar: Fall 2016 – Spring 2019

<b>FALL SEMESTER</b>	<b>Fall 2016</b>	<b>Fall 2017</b>	<b>Fall 2018</b>
First day of classes	Mon Aug 29	Mon Aug 28	Mon Aug 27
Labor Day (University closed)	Mon Sept 5	Mon Sept 4	Mon Sept 3
Last Day to Add (Census)	Tues Sept 6	Tues Sept 5	Tues Sept 4
Last Day to Drop	Fri Sept 30	Fri Sept 29	Fri Sept 28
Saturday Classes in session	Sat Oct 8	Sat Oct 7	Sat Oct 6
Columbus Day Recess	Mon Oct 10	Mon Oct 9	Mon Oct 8
Monday classes/labs meet (Tuesday classes do not meet this week)	Tues Oct 11	Tues Oct 10	Tues Oct 9
Mid-term evaluation period for full- semester 100-200 level classes	Mon Sept 26 – Fri Oct 21	Mon Sept 25 – Fri Oct 13	Mon Sept 24 – Fri Oct 19
Selective Withdrawal Period – undergraduate	Mon Oct 3 – Fri Oct 28	Mon Oct 2 – Fri Oct 27	Mon Oct 1 – Fri Oct 26
Thanksgiving (No classes Wed; Recess Thurs - Sun)	Wed Nov 23 – Sun Nov 27	Wed Nov 22 - Sun Nov 26	Wed Nov 21 – Sun Nov 25
Dissertation/Thesis Deadline	Fri Dec 9	Fri Dec 8	Fri Dec 7
Last Day of Class	Sat Dec 10	Sat Dec 9	Sat Dec 8
Reading Day(s)	Mon Dec 12	Mon Dec 11 – Tues Dec 12	Mon Dec 10 – Tues Dec 11
Examination Period	Tues Dec 13- Tues Dec 20	Wed Dec 13 – Wed Dec 20	Wed Dec 12 – Wed Dec 19
Degree Conferral Winter Convocation	Wed Dec 21	Thu Dec 21	Thu Dec 20
<b>SPRING SEMESTER</b>	<b>Spring 2017</b>	<b>Spring 2018</b>	<b>Spring 2019</b>
MLK Day - (no classes)	Mon Jan 16	Mon Jan 15	Mon Jan 21
First Day of Spring Classes	Mon Jan 23	Mon Jan 22	Tues Jan 22
Last Day to Add (Census)	<del>Tues Jan 31</del> Mon Jan 30	<del>Tues Jan 30</del> Mon Jan 29	<del>Wed Jan 30</del> Tue Jan 29
Last Day to Drop	Fri Feb 24	Fri Feb 23	Fri Feb 22
Saturday Classes in session	Sat Mar 11	Sat Mar 10	Sat Mar 9
Spring Recess	Mon Mar 13 – Sun Mar 19	Mon Mar 12 - Sun Mar 18	Mon Mar 11 – Sun Mar 17
Mid-term evaluation period for full- semester 100-200 level classes	Mon Feb 20 - Fri Mar 24	Mon Feb 19 - Fri Mar 23	Mon Feb 18 – Fri Mar 22
Selective Withdrawal Period – undergraduate	Mon Feb 27 – Fri Mar 31	Mon Feb 26 – Fri Mar 30	Mon Feb 25 – Fri Mar 29
Dissertation/Thesis Deadline	Fri May 5	Fri May 4	Fri May 3
Last Day of Class	Sat May 6	Sat May 5	Mon May 6
Reading Day(s)	Mon May 8 – Tues May 9	Mon May 7 – Tues May 8	Tues May 7
Examination Period	Wed May 10 – Wed May 17	Wed May 9 – Wed May 16	Wed May 8 – Wed May 15
Degree Conferral University Commencement	Sat May 20	Sat May 19	Sat May 18
<b>SUMMER TERM</b>	<b>Summer 2017</b>	<b>Summer 2018</b>	<b>Summer 2019</b>
First Day of Class	Mon May 22	Mon May 21	Mon May 20
Memorial Day (University closed)	Mon May 29	Mon May 28	Mon May 27
Last Day to Add (Census)	Tues May 30	Tues May 29	Tues May 28
Last Day to Drop	Fri Jun 9	Fri Jun 8	Fri Jun 7
Selective Withdrawal Period – undergraduate	Mon Jun 12 – Fri Jun 30	Mon Jun 11 – Fri Jun 29	Mon Jun 10 – Fri Jun 28
Independence Day (University closed)	Tue Jul 4	Wed Jul 4	Thu Jul 4
Dissertation/Thesis Deadline	Fri Aug 4	Fri Aug 3	Fri Aug 2
Last Day of Class	Wed Aug 9	Wed Aug 8	Wed Aug 7
Examination Period	Thu Aug 10 – Sat Aug 12	Thu Aug 9 – Sat Aug 11	Thu Aug 8 – Sat Aug 10
Degree Conferral	Sat Aug 12	Sat Aug 11	Sat Aug 10

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**Updated Last Day to Add deadline approved by Faculty Senate: 2/4/15**

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