

George Mason University

Three Year Calendar

FALL SEMESTER	Fall 2007	Fall 2008	Fall 2009
First day of classes	Mon Aug 27	Mon Aug 25	Mon Aug 31
Labor Day (University closed)	Mon Sept 3	Mon Sept 1	Mon Sept 7
Last Day to Add (Census)	Tues Sept 11	Tues Sept 9	Tues Sept 15
Last Day to Drop	Fri Sept 28	Fri Sept 26	Fri Oct 2
Saturday Classes in session	Sat Oct 6	Sat Oct 11	Sat Oct 10
Columbus Day Recess	Mon Oct 8	Mon Oct 13	Mon Oct 12
Mon classes meet instead of Tues classes this day only	Tues Oct 9	Tues Oct 14	Tues Oct 13
Mid-term evaluation period for full-semester 100-200 level classes	Mon Sept 24 – Fri Oct 19	Mon Sept 22 – Fri Oct 17	Mon Sept 28 - Fri Oct 23
Selective Withdrawal Period – undergraduate		Mon Sept 29 – Fri Oct 24	Mon Oct 5 – Fri Oct 30
Thanksgiving (No classes Wed; Recess Thurs - Sun)	Wed Nov 21 - Sun Nov 25	Wed Nov 26 - Sun Nov 30	Wed Nov 25 – Sun Nov 29
Dissertation/Thesis Deadline	Fri Dec 7	Fri Dec 5	Fri Dec 11
Last Day of Class	Sat Dec 8	Sat Dec 6	Sat Dec 12
Reading Day(s)	Mon Dec 10	Mon Dec 8 - Tues Dec 9, 4:30 pm	Not scheduled
Examination Period	Tues Dec 11, 7:30 am – Tues Dec 18, 10:15 pm	Tues Dec 9, 4:30 pm – Wed Dec 17, 10:15 pm	Mon Dec 14, 7:30 am – Mon Dec 21, 10:15 pm
Winter Degree Date (2 nd Sat before classes)	Jan 12, 2008	Jan 10, 2009	Jan 9, 2010
SPRING SEMESTER	Spring 2008	Spring 2009	Spring 2010
<i>January 1 Day of Week</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
MLK Day - (no classes)	Mon Jan 21	Mon Jan 19	Mon Jan 18
First Day of Spring Classes	Tues Jan 22	Tues Jan 20	Tues Jan 19
Last Day to Add (Census)	Tues Feb 5	Tues Feb 3	Tues Feb 2
Last Day to Drop	Fri Feb 22	Fri Feb 20	Fri Feb 19
Saturday Classes in session	Sat Mar 8	Sat Mar 7	Sat Mar 6
Spring Recess	Mon Mar 10 -Sun Mar 16	Mon Mar 9 - Sun Mar 15	Mon Mar 8 – Sun Mar 14
Mid-term evaluation period for full- semester 100-200 level classes	Mon Feb 18 – Fri Mar 21	Mon Feb 16 - Fri Mar 20	Mon Feb 15 - Fri Mar 19
Selective Withdrawal Period – undergraduate		Mon Feb 23 – Fri Mar 27	Mon Feb 22 – Fri Mar 26
Dissertation/Thesis Deadline	Fri May 2	Fri May 1	Fri Apr 30
Last Day of Class	Mon May 5	Mon May 4	Mon May 3
Reading Day	Tues May 6	Tues May 5	Tues May 4
Examination Period	Wed May 7, 7:30 am - Wed May 14, 10:15 pm	Wed May 6, 7:30 am - Wed May 13, 10:15 pm	Wed May 5, 7:30 am – Wed May 12, 10:15 pm
Commencement	Sat May 17	Sat May 16	Sat May 15
Summer Term Dates	Mon May 19 – Fri Aug 8	Mon May 18 – Fri Aug 7	Mon May 17 – Fri Aug 6