

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2017-2018

### SUMMER I

May 25	Thursday	GHEC Registration
May 26	Friday	Online Registration and Academic Advisement
		New Student Registration
May 28	Sunday	Residence Halls Open
<b>May 29</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Memorial Day Holiday</b>
May 30	Tuesday	<b>Classes Begin</b>
		Late Registration Fee - \$100.00 Assessed
May 31	Wednesday	Registration Closes
		Last Day to Drop/Add Courses
June 1	Thursday	Financial Clearance (formerly purge)
June 5	Monday	Report of Non-Attendance Due
June 12-14	Monday-Wednesday	<b>MID-TERM EXAMS</b>
June 16	Friday	New Student Orientation and Registration (Valley Bound)
June 20	Tuesday	Last Day to Withdraw from a Class
June 23	Friday	Last Day to Withdraw from the University
June 29	Thursday	<b>FINAL EXAMS</b>
		Residence Halls Close
June 30	Friday	Deadline to Submit Final Grades

### SUMMER II

June 28	Wednesday	GHEC Registration
June 29	Thursday	Online Registration and Academic Advisement
July 2	Sunday	Residence Halls Open
<b>July 4</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Independence Day Holiday</b>
July 5	Wednesday	<b>Classes Begin</b>
		Late Registration Fee \$100.00 Assessed
July 6	Thursday	Registration Closes
		Last Day to Drop/Add Classes
July 7	Friday	Financial Clearance (formerly purge)
July 10	Monday	Report of Non-Attendance Due
July 14	Friday	New Student Orientation and Registration (Valley Bound)
July 17-19	Monday-Wednesday	<b>MID-TERM EXAMS</b>
July 24	Monday	Last Day to Withdraw from a Class
July 28	Friday	Last Day to Withdraw from the University
July 31	Monday	New Student Orientation and Registration (Valley Bound)
August 4	Friday	<b>FINAL EXAMS</b>
August 7	Monday	Deadline to Submit Final Grades
		Residence Halls Close

### FALL 2017

August 13	Sunday	Residence Halls OPEN to New Students
August 13 – 20	Sunday – Sunday	Freshman Academy/Transition Week
August 14	Monday	Faculty Returns
August 15	Tuesday	GHEC Registration

August 16	Wednesday	Residence Halls OPEN to ALL Students (4:00 pm) Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues Holmes CC Registration
August 17	Thursday	<b>Classes Begin</b> Late Registration Fee \$100.00 Assessed Sophomore Year Experience (SYE) Week Weekend College Session I Begins
August 21	Monday	
August 21-27	Monday - Sunday	<b>Labor Day Holiday</b> <b>Classes Resume</b> Last Day to Drop/Add Classes Registration Closes Financial Clearance Report of Non-Attendance Due December Graduation Application Due
August 25	Friday	
<b>September 4</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Weekend College Session I Ends Weekend College Session II Begins
September 5	Tuesday	
September 11	Monday	<b>MID-TERM EXAMS</b> Deadline to Submit Mid-Term Grades Academic Advisement Online Registration begins for Spring 2018 Weekend College Session II Ends Last Day to Withdraw from a Class Weekend College Session III Begins Last Day to Withdraw from the University
September 12	Tuesday	
September 15	Friday	<b>Fall Break for Faculty and Students</b> <b>Thanksgiving Holidays</b> <b>Classes Resume</b> Weekend College Session III Ends
September 23	Saturday	
September 29	Friday	<b>FINAL EXAMS</b> Residence Halls Close Deadline to Submit Final Grades
October 2 - 6	Monday-Friday	
October 9	Monday	<b>Winter Term Classes Begin</b> Late Registration Fee \$100.00 Assessed <b>Christmas Break for Winter Term</b> <b>Winter Term classes resume</b> <b>FINAL EXAMS</b> Deadline to Submit Final Grades
October 9-11	Monday-Wednesday	
October 12	Thursday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
October 28	Saturday	
November 3	Friday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
November 10	Friday	
<b>November 20-21</b>	<b>Monday-Tuesday</b>	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
<b>November 22-24</b>	<b>Wednesday-Friday</b>	
November 27	Monday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
December 8	Friday	
December 4-8	Monday-Friday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
December 9	Saturday	
December 11	Monday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
<b>WINTER 2017</b>		
December 11	Monday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
<b>December 22-25</b>	<b>Friday-Monday</b>	
December 26	Tuesday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
December 27	Wednesday	
January 3	Tuesday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
<b>SPRING 2018</b>		
January 2	Tuesday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues
January 3	Wednesday	
January 4	Thursday	<b>Spring 2018</b> Faculty & Staff Return to Work Holmes CC Registration Coahoma CC Registration Online Registration and Academic Advisement Continues

January 5	Friday	GHEC Registration Residence Halls Open Academic Advisement/New Student Registration
January 8	Monday	<b>Classes Begin</b> Late Registration Fee \$100.00 Assessed Weekend College Session I Begins
January 12	Friday	<b>Martin Luther King Holiday</b>
<b>January 15</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Classes Resume</b>
January 16	Tuesday	Registration Closes
January 29	Monday	Last Day to Drop/Add Courses Financial Clearance
January 30	Tuesday	Report of Non-Attendance Due
February 2	Friday	MLK/Black History Convocation
February 8	Thursday	Weekend College Session I Ends
February 10	Saturday	Graduation Applications Due to Student Records
February 16	Friday	Weekend College Session II Begins
March 5-9	Monday-Friday	<b>MIDTERM EXAMS</b>
March 12	Monday	Deadline to Submit Mid-Term Grades
<b>March 12-16</b>	<b>Monday - Friday</b>	<b>Spring Break</b>
March 19	Monday	Classes Resume
March 19-21	Monday-Wednesday	Academic Advisement Online Registration begins for Summer I, Summer II & Fall 2017
March 22	Thursday	Honors Convocation
March 24	Saturday	Weekend College II Ends
March 29	Thursday	Last day to Withdraw from a Class
<b>March 30</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Good Friday</b>
<b>April 2</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Easter Monday</b>
April 5	Thursday	<b>Classes Resume 6:00pm--Monday night</b> Last day to Withdraw from the University
April 12	Thursday	Weekend College Session III Ends
April 17 – 20	Tuesday – Friday	Research Day
April 19	Thursday	Founder's Week
April 23 - 26	Monday-Thursday	Founder's Day Convocation
April 27	Friday	<b>SENIOR FINAL EXAMS</b>
April 30 – May 4	Monday-Friday	Senior Final Grades Due
May 3	Thursday	<b>FINAL EXAMS</b>
May 4	Friday	Retirement & Years of Service Luncheon
<b>MAY 5</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	Weekend College Session III Ends
May 7	Monday	Residence Hall Close at 5pm <b>COMMENCEMENT</b> Deadline to Submit Final Grades