

Academic Calendar 2007–2008

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Financial dates are listed in the financial section, p. 61.

Summer Sessions 2007

Registration for Summer Terms 2007 begins Monday, March 26, 2007.

Last days of registration for Summer Terms 2007 are May 14 (Term 1), June 11 (Term 2), and July 9 (Term 3).

Summer Term 1 (May 14–June 8, 2007)

May

13	Sun	New international students: Orientation 11:00 am–2:00 pm Seminary: New Student Orientation 8:30 am–12:00 pm
14	Mon	University-level schools: Registration 8:00 am–5:00 pm; Summer Term 1 classes begin
15	Tue	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Summer Term 1 classes in effect
16	Wed	University-level schools: last day to enter Summer Term 1 classes, drop a class with full tuition refund, complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record, change audit to credit Undergraduate seniors: last day to apply for August graduation
24	Thu	Division of Architecture: deadline for application to professional program
28	Mon	All campus schools: Memorial Day—holiday
30	Wed	RMES: graduation
31	Thu	RMES: last day of school
31–Jun 3	Thu–Sun	AA: Commencement weekend
31–Jul 9		Seminary: Archaeological Excavations at Tall Jalul, Jordan

June

5	Tue	University-level schools: last day to change credit to audit for Summer Term 1 classes or to withdraw from a class with a W
6–9	Wed–Sat	Seminary: SEEDS
8	Fri	University-level schools: last day of Summer Term 1 classes

Summer Term 2 (June 11–July 6, 2007)

June

11	Mon	University-level schools: Registration 9:00 am–5:00 pm; Summer Term 2 classes begin
11–30		Institute of World Mission
12	Tue	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Summer Term 2 classes in effect Graduate students: last day to apply for August graduation August graduates: last day to order August graduation regalia at the Bookstore
13	Wed	University-level schools: last day to enter Summer Term 2 classes, drop a class with full tuition refund, complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record, change audit to credit
14, 15, 18, 19	Thu, Fri, Mon, Tue	School of Education: EdD/PhD comprehensives 8:30 am–2:30 pm
14–28		Seminary: 2007 Church History Study Tour
15, 18	Fri, Mon	School of Education: EdS comprehensives 8:30 am–12:30 pm
22	Fri	School of Education: MA comprehensives 8:30–11:30 am; 1:00–3:00 pm
26–Jul 20		Intensive English: Action America

July

3	Tue	University-level schools: last day to change credit to audit for Summer Term 2 classes or to withdraw from a class with a W
4	Wed	All campus schools: Independence Day—holiday
5	Thu	Undergraduate seniors: EXIT testing (pm)
6	Fri	University-level schools: last day of Summer Term 2 classes

Summer Term 3 (July 9–August 3, 2007)

July

9	Mon	University-level schools: Registration 9:00 am–5:00 pm; Summer Term 3 classes begin
9–13	Mon–Fri	School of Education: Leadership and Administration Orientation
10	Tue	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Summer Term 3 classes in effect
11	Wed	University-level schools: last day to enter Summer Term 3 classes; drop a class with full tuition refund; complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record; change audit to credit Seminary: Freedom to Live: Addictions Conference
12–15	Thu–Sun	School of Education: Leadership Roundtable Conference
16–18	Mon–Wed	TOEFL Test 8:30 am–12:00 noon
20	Fri	Seminary: Family Life Celebration Weekend
20–22	Fri–Sun	Clinical Laboratory Science: Senior Summer Session Clinicals end
27	Fri	Clinical Laboratory Science: Registry Review Week begins
30	Mon	University-level schools: last day to change from credit to audit for Summer Term 3 classes or to withdraw from a class with a W
31	Tue	

August

3	Fri	University-level schools: last day of Summer Term 3 classes Consecration Service: 8:00 pm
4	Sat	Baccalaureate Service: 11:20 am Clinical Laboratory Science: Certification Ceremony 5:00 pm Seminary: Seminary Dedication Service 4:00–5:30 pm
5	Sun	University Summer Commencement: 9:00 am
6–24		School of Education: First Days of School Experience (register for credit during summer of 2007)

Fall Semester 2007, August 27–December 13, 2007

Registration for Fall Semester 2007 begins Monday, March 26, 2007.

Late Registration Fee in effect August 28.

Last day of registration for Fall Semester 2007 is Wednesday, September 5.

July

15	Sun	All University-level students: Financial Plan portion of Registration Central opens. Make payment plans by August 15. Complete insurance information.
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August

5–8	Sun–Wed	AA Faculty: NAD Teachers' Convention
5–10	Sun–Fri	Seminary: Natural Remedies and Hydrotherapy Workshop
8	Wed	School of Education: Fall Semester student teacher orientation assembly
13	Mon	RMES/AA: teachers report for faculty pre-session
13–16	Mon–Thu	Seminary: Greek Review Session 6:00–8:00 pm
13–17	Mon–Fri	AA: Faculty pre-school week Seminary: Hebrew Review Session 9:00 am–12:00 pm
13–Sept 7		School of Education: Three-Way Orientation Conference (Fall Semester student teachers and supervisors)
15	Wed	University-level students: First payment due for financial clearance. Full payment due for 2% and 5% rebate and Tuition Guarantee Plan. ID cards activated in Registration Central when financial plan box is checked. Financial clearance needed to register.
14, 15	Tue, Wed	New University faculty: orientation seminar 8:30 am–4:30 pm
16	Thu	University faculty: seminar 8:30 am–4:30 pm
17	Fri	University advisors: advisors breakfast/orientation 9:00 am–12:00 noon
17, 18	Fri, Sat	Faculty/Staff: Fall Fellowship
19, 20	Sun, Mon	New undergraduate students: First Stop—dorm move in 9:00 am–4:00 pm
20	Mon	University faculty: individual school meetings 1:00–4:00 pm College of Arts and Sciences: department meetings and retreats RMES/AA: School begins
20–22	Mon–Wed	New undergraduate students: Registration and Orientation New international students: Orientation—new freshman students on Mon only
22	Wed	New international students: English Placement Test 8:30 am–11:00 am Seminary: Greek Placement Test 1:00 pm; orientation 3:00 pm University faculty: individual school meetings 1:00–4:00 pm
22–25	Wed–Sat	Seminary: Fall New Student Orientation
23	Thu	Seminary: Hebrew Placement Test 8:30 am
23–26	Thu–Sun	New undergraduate students: All Fired Up! Orientation Conference
24	Fri	University faculty: departmental meetings Seminary: Bible Knowledge Entrance Test 9:00 am
25	Tue	Fall Term installment payment due
26	Sun	University-level schools: Fall Semester Registration—focusing on new students 12:00 noon–3:00 pm
27	Mon	University-level schools: classes begin Intensive English: classes begin
28	Tue	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Fall Semester classes in effect
28–Dec 14		School of Education: Fall Semester student teacher schedule
29	Wed	University-level schools: Cancellation of unconfirmed course reservations
30	Thu	University-level schools: University Convocation 10:30 am–12:00 noon (11:30 classes cancelled); notification of potential cancellation of low-enrollment classes

September

3	Mon	All campus schools: Labor Day—holiday
4	Tue	Cancellation of classes with below minimum enrollment
5	Wed	University-level schools: Last day to enter Fall Semester classes, drop a class with full tuition refund, complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record, change audit to credit
8	Sat	Seminary: Adventist Heritage Sabbath
14	Fri	Seminary: Church Policy Exam review session
17–22	Mon–Sat	University Fall Week of Spiritual Emphasis
20–22	Thu–Sat	McElmurry Lectureship
21	Fri	Seminary: Church Policy Exam
27–30	Thu–Sun	Alumni Weekend

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October

2-7	Tue-Sun	Seminary: New England Adventist Heritage Benefit Tour
3	Wed	University-level schools: last day to apply for December conferral of degree
		Undergraduate seniors: last day to apply for May graduation
8	Mon	RMES/AA: Columbus Day—holiday
8, 9	Mon, Tue	University-level schools—except Seminary: Fall recess
10	Wed	All campus schools: classes resume
21, 22	Sun, Mon	Seminary: H.M.S. Richards Lectureship on Preaching
22–Nov 10		Institute of World Mission
24	Wed	Mid-semester
25	Thu	Fall Term installment payment due
25, 26, 29, 30	Thu, Fri, Mon, Tue	School of Education: EdD/PhD comprehensives 8:30 am–2:30 pm
26, 29	Fri, Mon	School of Education: EdS comprehensives 8:30 am–12:30 pm
29	Mon	University-level schools: registration opens for Spring Semester 2008

November

1	Thu	Undergraduate seniors: major field testing
2	Fri	School of Education: MA comprehensives 8:30–11:30 am; 1:00–3:00 pm
		Seminary: Challenge Exam—GSEM 532, CHIS 570 8:30–10:30 am
6	Tue	School of Education: department assembly: How to Apply for Student Teaching
12–Dec 7		School of Education: Three-Way Orientation Conference for Spring Semester student teachers and supervisors
15	Thu	School of Education: Spring Semester student teacher orientation assembly
16	Fri	TOEFL Test 8:30 am–12:00 noon
18, 19	Sun, Mon	University Preview event
18–25	Sun–Sun	Seminary: Thanksgiving break
19	Mon	Census day
20	Tue	University-level schools: all comprehensives must be completed for December degree conferral
21–25	Wed–Sun	All schools except Seminary: Thanksgiving break (begins after last scheduled class on Tue)
21–23	Wed–Fri	RMES/AA: Thanksgiving break (begins 12:00 pm Wed)
25	Sun	Fall Term installment payment plan due
26	Mon	All campus schools: classes resume
27	Tue	University-level schools: last day to change credit to audit for Fall Semester classes or to withdraw from a class with a W
		School of Education: deadline for application to Teacher Preparation Program

December

6	Thu	Last day of Fall Semester classes
7	Fri	University-level schools: Reading day (exam prep)
8	Sat	Seminary: Dedication Service 4:00–5:30 pm
10–13	Mon–Thu	University-level schools: Fall Semester finals begin Mon 7:30 am
13	Thu	University-level schools: Fall Semester ends
14	Fri	Feast of Lights
15	Sat	University-level students: Spring Semester
		First payment due for financial clearance.
		Full payment due for 2% and 5% rebate.
		Financial clearance needed to register.
19	Wed	University-level schools: Fall Semester grades due online by midnight
20–Jan 7		RMES/AA: Christmas vacation
31	Mon	December conferral of degrees

Spring Semester 2008, January 8–May 4, 2008

Registration for Spring Semester 2008 begins Monday, October 29, 2007.

Late Registration Fee in effect January 9, 2008.

Last day of registration for Spring Semester 2008 is Thursday, January 17.

January

1	Tue	FAFSA available online www.fafsa.ed.gov (filing for Financial Aid)
7	Mon	University-level schools: Spring Semester registration—focusing on new students 8:00 am–5:00 pm
		New international students: English Placement Test 8:30 am–11:00 am
		New international students: Orientation 11:00 am–2:00 pm
		RMES/AA: second semester classes begin
		MSW and BSW programs: Spring Semester classes begin
		Intensive English: classes begin
		Clinical Laboratory Science: senior year program classes begin
8	Tue	University-level schools: Spring Semester classes begin
9	Wed	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Spring Semester classes in effect; notification of potential cancellation of low-enrollment classes
9–May 2		School of Education: Spring Semester student teacher schedule
10	Thu	University-level schools: Cancellation of unconfirmed course reservations
16	Wed	University-level schools: Cancellation of classes with below minimum enrollment

17	Thu	University-level schools: last day to enter Spring Semester classes; drop a class with full tuition refund; complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record; change audit to credit
19–21	Sat–Mon	Martin Luther King Celebration
21	Mon	University-level schools: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—MLK educational events replace classes RMES/AA: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—holiday
22	Tue	All graduate students: last day to apply for May graduation
22–26	Tue–Sat	University Spring Week of Spiritual Emphasis
27, 28	Sun, Mon	University Preview event
February		
18	Mon	All campus schools: Presidents Day—holiday
22	Fri	May Graduates: last day to order May graduation regalia at the Bookstore
24, 25	Sun, Mon	University Preview event
March		
5	Wed	Mid-semester
14–23	Fri–Sun	University-level schools: Spring Semester Break (begins after last scheduled class on Thu)
17–21	Mon–Fri	RMES/AA: Spring Break
24	Mon	All campus schools: classes resume University-level schools: registration for Summer Terms and Fall Semester 2008 opens
26	Wed	Undergraduate seniors: EXIT testing (pm)
27–30	Thu–Sun	International Student Week
27, 28, 31, Apr 1	Thu, Fri, Mon, Tue	School of Education: EdD/PhD comprehensives 8:30 am–2:30 pm
28	Fri	School of Education: MA comprehensives 8:30–11:30 am; 1:00–3:00 pm Seminary: Challenge Exam—GSEM 532 8:30–10:30 am
28, 31	Fri, Mon	School of Education: EdS comprehensives 8:30 am–12:30 pm
30, 31	Sun, Mon	University Preview event for secondary school juniors
31	Mon	Seminary: E. G. White and Current Ideas Symposium
April		
4	Fri	University-level schools: last day for all comprehensives to be completed for May degree conferral
7	Mon	AA: no school
10	Thu	Undergraduate seniors: major field testing
11	Fri	TOEFL test 8:30 am–12:00 noon
15	Tue	University-level schools: last day to change credit to audit for Spring Semester classes or withdraw from a class with a W School of Education: 2008–2009 student teacher orientation assembly
18, 21	Fri, Mon	RMES: no school
24	Thu	University-level schools: last day of Spring Semester classes
25	Fri	University-level schools: reading day (exam preparation)
28–May 1	Mon–Thu	University-level schools: Spring Semester finals begin Mon 7:30 am
May		
1	Thu	University-level schools: Spring Semester ends
2	Fri	Clinical Laboratory Science: Senior Spring Semester Clinicals end School of Education: Teacher Dedication Ceremony 5:00 pm Consecration Service: 8:00 pm
3	Sat	Baccalaureate Services Department of Nursing: Pinning Service 4:00 pm Seminary: Student Dedication Service 4:30 pm Dietetics: Dedication Service 5:30 pm
4	Sun	Commencement Services
5	Mon	Clinical Laboratory Science: Senior Summer Semester Clinicals begin
7	Wed	University-level schools: Spring Semester grades due online by midnight
11	Sun	Seminary: New Student Orientation 8:30 am–12:00 pm
23	Fri	Division of Architecture: deadline for application to professional program
26	Mon	RMES/AA: Memorial Day—holiday
29–June 1	Thu–Sun	AA: Commencement weekend
June		
4	Wed	RMES: Graduation
5	Thu	RMES: Last day of school

Summer Sessions 2008

Registration for Summer Terms 2008 begins Monday, March 24, 2008.

Last days of registration for Summer Terms 2008 are May 12 (Term 1), June 9 (Term 2), and July 7 (Term 3).

Summer Term 1 (May 12–June 6, 2008)

May

11	Sun	New international students: Orientation 11:00 am–2:00 pm
12	Mon	University-level schools: Registration 8:00 am–5:00 pm; Summer Term 1 classes begin
13	Tues	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Summer Term 1 classes in effect
14	Wed	University-level schools: last day to enter Summer Term 1 classes; drop a class with full tuition refund; complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record, change audit to credit Undergraduate seniors: last day to apply for August graduation
26	Mon	University-level schools: Memorial Day—holiday
29–Jun 1	Thu–Sun	AA: Commencement weekend

June

3	Tue	University-level schools: last day to change credit to audit for Summer Term 1 classes or to withdraw from a class with a W
4	Wed	RMES: last day of school; graduation
6	Fri	University-level schools: last day of Summer term 1 classes

Summer Term 2 (June 9–July 3, 2008)

June

9	Mon	University-level schools: Registration 9:00 am–5:00 pm; Summer Term 2 classes begin
10	Tue	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Summer Term 2 classes in effect Graduate students: last day to apply for August graduation
11	Wed	University-level schools: last day to enter Summer Term 2 classes, drop a class with full tuition refund, complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record, change audit to credit
12, 13, 16, 17	Thu, Fri, Mon, Tue	School of Education: EdD/PhD comprehensives 8:30 am–2:30 pm
13	Fri	August graduates: last day to order August graduation regalia at the Bookstore
13, 16	Fri, Mon	School of Education: EdS comprehensives 8:30 am–13:30 pm
20	Fri	School of Education: MA comprehensives 8:30–11:30 am; 1:00–3:00 pm
29	Sun	Intensive English: Action America begins
30	Mon	University-level schools: last day to change credit to audit for Summer Term 2 classes or to withdraw from a class with a W

July

3	Thu	Undergraduate seniors: EXIT testing (pm)
3	Thu	University-level schools: last day of Summer Term 2 classes
4	Fri	All campus schools: Independence Day—holiday

Summer Term 3 (July 7–August 1, 2008)

July

7	Mon	University-level schools: Registration 9:00 am–5:00 pm; Summer Term 3 classes begin
7–11	Mon–Fri	School of Education: Leadership Orientation
8	Tue	University-level schools: late course registration fee for Summer Term 3 classes in effect
9	Wed	University-level schools: last day to enter Summer Term 3 classes, drop a class with full tuition refund, complete a drop/add without a fee or entry on permanent academic record, change audit to credit
11	Fri	All University students: Financial Plan portion of Registration Central opens for Fall Semester 2008. Make payment plans before August 16. Complete insurance information.
14–16 14–Aug 2	Mon–Wed	School of Education: Leadership Roundtable Conference Institute of World Mission
25	Fri	Clinical Laboratory Science: Senior Summer Session Clinicals end TOEFL test 8:30 am–12:00 noon Intensive English: Action America ends
28	Mon	Clinical Laboratory Science: Registry Review Week begins
29	Tue	University-level schools: last day to change from credit to audit for Summer Term 3 classes or to withdraw from a class with a W

August

1	Fri	University-level schools: last day of Summer Term 3 classes
2	Sat	Clinical Laboratory Science: Certification Ceremony 5:00 pm Seminary: Dedication Service 4:00–5:30 pm
1–3	Fri–Sun	University Summer Commencement Weekend
4–10	Mon–Sat	Seminary: SEEDS