



Gallaudet University

Academic Calendar 2007-2008

Fall Orientation and Special Programs

July 19	Arrival day for Bridge Program for new undergraduate students Arrival day for New Signers Program for new undergraduate students
July 20-August 18	Bridge Program for undergraduate students New Signers Program for undergraduate students
August 5	Arrival day for Intensive ASL classes for new graduate students
August 6-17	Intensive ASL classes for new graduate students
August 19	Arrival day for new undergraduate honors students Arrival day for new undergraduate international students Arrival day for new undergraduate students with disabilities
August 19-21	Pre-orientation program for new undergraduate honors students Pre-orientation program for new undergraduate international students Pre-orientation program for new undergraduate students with disabilities
August 20	Arrival day for New Graduate Student Orientation
August 21	Arrival day for New Student Orientation for undergraduate students
August 21-24	New Graduate Student Orientation Program
August 22-25	New Student Orientation Program for undergraduate students
August 23	Arrival day for new undergraduate visiting students
August 23-24	Visiting Students Orientation for new undergraduate students

Fall Semester 2007

August 26	All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students Early business registration
August 27	Classes begin Business registration (payment of tuition, room and board) Deadline to waive health insurance charges Add/drop period begins (fee charged)
August 28-31	Late business registration (fee charged)
August 31	Deadline for undergraduate students to add or drop courses

September 3	Labor Day holiday (no classes)
September 7	Deadline for graduate students to add or drop courses
September 25	Deadline graduate students to withdraw with "WD" grades Deadline for graduate students to change courses to "Audit"
October 8-12	Midterm week
October 12	Financial appeal deadline Deadline for undergraduate students to change incomplete grades from previous semester
October 15	Deadline for faculty to submit all midterm grades for undergraduate students
October 16	Enrichment Day (no classes)
October 23	Deadline for undergraduate students to withdraw with "WD" grades
October 26	Final payment for Fall 2007 charges due (charges must be paid in full in order to register for Spring 2008 courses)
October 29-31	Course registration for Spring 2008 semester for currently enrolled undergraduate students
November 5	Course registration for Spring 2008 semester for currently enrolled graduate students
November 21-23	Thanksgiving Holiday (the University is open Wednesday, but no classes are held)
December 7	Classes end Deadline to complete graduation application for December 2007 and May 2008 graduation Deadline for Consortium registration for Spring 2008 semester Deadline for graduate students to withdraw with "WP/WF" grade Deadline for graduate students to change to incomplete grades from the previous semester
December 10	Study Day
December 11-14	Final examination period*
December 15	All dorms close at noon and Winter Break begins
December 17	All grades due from faculty by noon

Spring Orientation

January 16	Arrival Day for New Student Orientation for undergraduate students
January 16-18	New Student Orientation for undergraduate students
January 17-18	Visiting Student Orientation for undergraduate students
January 16	Business Registration for new students

Spring Semester 2008

January 21	Martin Luther King Holiday All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
January 22	Classes begin Business Registration (payment of tuition, room, and board) Add/Drop period begins for both undergraduate and graduate students (fee charged) New Graduate Student Orientation (begins at 9 a.m.)
January 23-25	Late business registration (fee charged)
January 25	Deadline for undergraduate students to add or drop courses
February 1	Deadline for graduate students to add or drop courses
February 18	Deadline for graduate students to withdraw with "WD" grades Deadline for graduate students to change courses to "Audit"
March 3-7	Midterm week
March 10	Deadline for faculty to submit midterm grades for undergraduate students
March 10-12	Course registration for Summer Sessions 2008 for currently enrolled undergraduate students
March 13-14	Course registration for Summer Sessions 2008 for currently enrolled graduate students
March 17-21	Spring Break
March 18	Deadline for graduate students to submit defensible dissertation to Graduate School Office
March 24	Financial appeal deadline
March 26	Deadline for undergraduate students to withdraw with "WD" grades
April 4	Final payment for Spring 2008 charges due (charges must be paid in full in order to register for Fall 2008 courses)

April 7-9	Course registration for Fall 2008 semester for currently enrolled undergraduate students
April 8	Deadline for graduate students to defend dissertation for May graduation
April 14	Course registration for Fall 2008 semester for currently enrolled graduate students
May 5	Classes end Deadline for undergraduates to register for consortium classes for Summer Sessions 2008 or Fall 2008 semester Deadline for graduate students to withdraw with "WP/WF" grades Deadline for graduate students to change incomplete grades from the previous semester
May 6	Study Day
May 7-10	Final Examination period*
May 11	All dorms close at noon
May 12	All grades due from faculty by noon
May 15	Graduate Awards and Hooding Ceremony
May 16	Commencement exercises

Summer Sessions 2008**

May 19	Final payment of Summer 2008 charges due
May 19-August 8	Graduate Summer Session***
May 19-June 27	Undergraduate full Summer Session
May 19-June 6	Undergraduate Summer Session I
June 9-June 27	Undergraduate Summer Session II

* Final exam schedule available online at <http://registrar.gallaudet.edu/schedules/schedules.htm>

** Instructor will use their discretion on scheduling make up classes for days lost to Memorial Day Holiday

*** Graduate programs may schedule courses of varying duration any time within this period.

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