

**Gallaudet University**  
**Academic Calendar 2010 – 2011**  
**Fall Semester**

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**

July 19-August 25	Jumpstart Program: New Signers & Academic Success July 19 - Arrival Day / Business Registration July 19-20 – Pre-Orientation & Family Orientation July 21 – Program begins
<b>August 22-25</b>	<b>Fall Orientation for New Undergraduate Students</b> Pre-Orientation for: - New students with disabilities - New honors students - New international students August 22 – Arrival Day August 23 – Business Registration
<b>August 25-28</b>	New Student Orientation & Visiting Student Orientation August 25 – Arrival Day/Business Registration August 26-27 – Family Orientation (for NSO arrivals)
<b>August 23-27</b>	<b>Fall Semester 2010</b> Faculty professional development week All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students Business registration (payment of tuition, room and board) Classes begin Deadline to waive health insurance charges ADD/DROP period begins (Fee charged) Late Business registration (Fee charged) begins Last Day to drop courses Last day to add courses/AUDIT Labor Day holiday (no classes) Midterm week All midterm grades due from faculty no later than 12 noon Last day to change Incomplete grades from previous semester Fall Recess (no classes) Financial appeal application deadline for Spring 2011 courses Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.) Final payment for Fall 2010 charges due (charges must be paid in full in order to register for Spring 2011 courses) Course registration begins for Spring 2011 semester for currently enrolled students Thanksgiving Holiday (the University is open Wednesday, but no classes are held) Graduation application deadline for December 2010 and May/August 2011 graduation Classes End Late Graduation Application (Fee charged) begins Study Day Final examination period All dorms close at noon and Winter Break begins All grades due from faculty no later than 12 noon Last day for Consortium registration for Spring 2011 semester

**GRADUATE STUDENTS**

<b>August 22-23</b>	<b>Fall Orientation for New Graduate Students</b> Pre-Orientation for: - New international students - New students with disabilities August 22 – Arrival Day New Graduate Student Orientation August 23 - Arrival Day / Business Registration
<b>August 23 - 27</b>	
<b>August 23-27</b>	<b>Fall Semester 2010</b> Faculty professional development week All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students Business registration (payment of tuition, room and board) Classes begin Deadline to waive health insurance charges ADD/DROP period begins (Fee charged) Late Business registration (Fee charged) begins Labor Day holiday (no classes) Last Day to ADD/DROP courses Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.) Last day to change to AUDIT Fall Recess (no classes) Last day to submit defensible dissertation to Graduate School Office Final payment for Fall 2010 charges due (charges must be paid in full in order to register for Spring 2011 courses) Course registration for Spring 2011 semester for currently enrolled students Last day to defend dissertation for fall 2010 Thanksgiving Holiday (the University is open Wednesday, but no classes are held) Graduation application deadline for December 2010 and May 2011 graduation Classes End Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.) Last day to change to Incomplete grades from the previous semester Late Graduation Application (Fee charged) begins Study Day Final examination period All dorms close at noon and Winter Break begins All grades due from faculty no later than 12 noon Last day for Consortium registration for Spring 2011 semester
<b>August 29</b>	
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<b>September 10</b>	
<b>September 28</b>	
<b>October 19</b>	
<b>November 1</b>	
<b>November 5</b>	
<b>November 8</b>	
<b>November 22</b>	
<b>November 24-26</b>	
<b>December 10</b>	
<b>December 10</b>	
<b>December 10</b>	
<b>December 10</b>	
<b>December 11</b>	
<b>December 13</b>	
<b>December 14-17</b>	
<b>December 18</b>	
<b>December 20</b>	
<b>December 20</b>	

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**Academic Calendar 2010 – 2011**  
**Spring Semester / Summer Sessions**

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**

	<b>Spring Orientation for New Undergraduate Students</b>
January 9-11	Pre-Orientation for: - New students with disabilities - New international students January 9 – Arrival Day
January 12-14	New Student Orientation & Visiting Student Orientation January 12 – Arrival Day
January 12	Business Registration for new students
	<b>Spring Semester 2011</b>
January 10-14	Faculty professional development week
January 17	Martin Luther King Holiday (no classes)
January 17	All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
January 18	Classes Begin
January 18	Deadline to waive health insurance charges
January 18	Business Registration (payment of tuition, room, and board)
January 18	ADD/DROP period Begins (Fee charged)
January 19	Late Business Registration (Fee charged) begins
January 20	Last day to drop courses
January 21	Last day to add courses/Audit
Feb. 28 – March 4	Midterm week
March 7	All midterm grades due from faculty no later than 12 noon
March 7	Last day to change Incomplete grades from previous semester
March 7	Course registration begins for Summer School 2011 for currently enrolled students (Spring 2011 charges must be paid in full)
March 14-18	Spring Break
March 22	Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's office by 4:30 p.m.)
March 25	Financial appeal application deadline for Fall 2011 courses
April 8	Final payment for Spring 2011 charges due (charges must be paid in full in order to register for Fall 2011 courses)
April 11	Course registration begins for Fall 2011 semester for currently enrolled students
May 2	Classes end
May 3	Study Day
May 4-7	Final Examination period
May 5	Last day for Consortium registration for Summer School (forms must be in Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
May 8	All dorms close at noon
May 9	All grades due from faculty no later than 12 noon
May 13	Commencement exercises
	<b>Summer Sessions 2011</b>
May 16-June 3	Undergraduate Summer School – 1 <sup>st</sup> session
June 6-June 24	Undergraduate Summer School – 2 <sup>nd</sup> session
May 16-June 24	Undergraduate full Summer School
June 30	Last day for Consortium registration for Fall 2011

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January 17	Martin Luther King Holiday (no classes)
January 17	All dorms open at 10 a.m. for returning students
January 18	Classes begin
January 18	Deadline to waive health insurance charges
January 18	Business Registration (payment of tuition, room, and board)
January 18	ADD/DROP period begins (Fee charged)
January 19	Late Business Registration (Fee charged) begins
January 28	Last day to ADD/DROP courses
February 14	Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's office by 4:30 p.m.)
February 14	Last day to change to AUDIT
March 7	Course registration begins for Summer School 2011 for currently enrolled students (Spring 2011 charges must be paid in full)
March 14-18	Spring Break
March 22	Last day to submit defensible dissertation to Graduate School Office
April 8	Final payment for Spring 2011 charges due (charges must be paid in full in order to register for Fall 2011 courses)
April 11	Course registration begins for Fall 2011 semester for currently enrolled students
April 12	Last day to defend dissertation (for May 2011 graduation)
April 29	Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's office by 4:30 p.m.)
April 29	Last day to change Incomplete grades from the previous semester
May 2	Classes end
May 3	Study Day
May 4-7	Final Examination period
May 5	Last day for Consortium registration for Summer School (forms must be in Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
May 8	All dorms close at noon
May 9	All grades due from faculty no later than 12 noon
May 12	Graduate Awards and Hooding Ceremony
May 13	Commencement exercises
	<b>Summer Sessions 2011</b>
May 16-August 5	Graduate Summer School 1 <sup>st</sup> session NOTE: Graduate programs may schedule courses of varying duration any time within this period.
June 30	Last day for Consortium registration for Fall 2011

*This calendar may be subject to change due to circumstances beyond the University's control or as deemed necessary by the University in order to fulfill its educational objectives.*