### Fall Term 2016

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<td>MLA Pre-Term Workshop</td>
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<td>Wed</td>
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<td>International student orientation</td>
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<td>Th+F</td>
<td>25+26</td>
<td>Orientation for all new students begins</td>
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<td>Mon</td>
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<td>Open House (all day)</td>
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<td>M-W</td>
<td>5-7</td>
<td>Core reviews 5-7 begin</td>
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<td>W-F</td>
<td>7-9</td>
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<td>Gund Hall closes at 12:00 p.m.</td>
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<td>S+Sun</td>
<td>24-25</td>
<td>Christmas Eve and Christmas</td>
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# Spring Term 2017

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<td>New Years Observed **GSD closed</td>
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<td>Tue</td>
<td>GSD Reopens at 8am</td>
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<td>MLA Pre-term workshop week</td>
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<td>J-TERM ends</td>
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<td>Mon</td>
<td>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day **Offices closed</td>
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<td>Mon</td>
<td>Presidents’ Day **Offices closed **Classes meet</td>
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Withdrawals and Tuition Charges

Any student who is granted a leave or withdraws from the university after registration will be held responsible for tuition charges according to the following schedule:

**Fall 2016 Term**

Leaves on or before September 14
*no tuition charge*

Leaves on or before October 5
*one-fourth tuition charge*

Leaves on or before November 2
*one-half tuition charge*

Leaves on or before December 1
*three-fourths tuition charge*

After December 1
*full tuition charge*

**Spring 2017 Term**

Leaves on or before February 6
*no tuition charge*

Leaves on or before February 24
*one-fourth tuition charge*

Leaves on or before March 24
*one-half tuition charge*

Leaves on or before April 25
*three-fourths tuition charge*

After April 25
*full tuition charge*