## Fall 2015 (201508)
- Session A: 8/24-12/18
- Session B: 8/24-10/19
- Session C: 10/20-12/18

## Spring 2016 (201601)
- Session A: 1/6-5/5
- Session B: 3/4-5/5
- Session C: 5/11-6/22

## Summer 2016 (201605)
- Session A: 5/11-8/4
- Session B: 5/11-6/22
- Session C: 6/23-8/4

### Academic Dates and Deadlines

**First time in college students must attend an orientation session to be eligible for registration.**

- **Early Registration for Students Receiving Veteran Benefits from GCSC**
  - May 15
  - May 15
  - May 15
  - October 30
  - October 30
  - October 30
  - April 8
  - April 8
  - April 8

- **Open Registration for all campuses (Excludes Sat., Sun., & holidays)**
  - See In-service Day below.
  - May 19-August 28
  - May 19-August 28
  - May 19-October 21
  - Nov 3-Jan 12
  - Nov 3-Jan 12
  - Nov 3-Mar 8
  - April 11-May 12
  - April 11-May 12
  - April 11-June 27

- **Web registration will be available when college is closed except for scheduled maintenance windows.** (Fall 2015: May 18-October 21; Spring 2016: November 2-March 8; Summer 2016: April 11-June 27 beginning at 12:15 a.m.)

- **Registration Fees Due**
  - August 10
  - August 10
  - January 4
  - January 4
  - After January 4, fees due at point of registration
  - May 9
  - May 9
  - After May 9, fees due at point of registration

- **Classes Begin**
  - August 24
  - August 24
  - October 20
  - January 6
  - January 6
  - March 4
  - May 11
  - May 11
  - June 23

- **Drop/Add**
  - August 24-28
  - August 24-28
  - October 20-21
  - January 6-12
  - January 6-12
  - March 7-8
  - May 11-12
  - May 11-12
  - June 23-27

- **Last day to cancel registration/drop courses and receive a refund.**
  - August 28
  - August 28
  - October 21
  - January 12
  - January 12
  - March 8
  - May 12
  - May 12
  - June 27

- **Last day to change major and credit to audit**
  - August 28
  - August 28
  - October 21
  - January 12
  - January 12
  - March 8
  - May 12
  - May 12
  - June 27

- **Midterm**
  - October 19
  - September 21
  - November 17
  - March 3
  - February 4
  - April 7
  - June 22
  - June 1
  - July 14

- **Final Examinations**
  - October 26
  - September 28
  - November 24
  - March 10
  - February 11
  - April 14
  - June 29
  - June 8
  - July 21

In order for summer graduates to participate in the spring ceremony, they must submit their summer graduation application prior to the spring application deadline. No exceptions.

**Academic Dates and Deadlines**

- **College Closed for all students and employees.**
  - *In-service Day*
    - August 17
  - Memorial Day
    - May 28-30
  - Independence Day
    - July 2-4
  - Labor Day
    - September 5-7
  - Veteran’s Day
    - November 11
  - Thanksgiving Holidays
    - November 26-29
  - Christmas Break/New Year’s Holiday
    - December 24-January 3
  - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
    - January 16-18
  - Spring Break
    - March 14-20

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