

Undergraduate, Braniff Graduate School, and Neuhoff School of Ministry 2016-2017 Calendar

This calendar attempts to be as correct as possible. Persons needing assistance to attend these events should call 972-721-5385 at least three days before the event. The university welcomes visitors and attempts to make all reasonable accommodations to encourage attendance. These dates apply to Undergraduate, Braniff Liberal Arts, and Ann & Joe O. Neuhoff School of Ministry programs. For the Graduate College of Business calendar please see the preceding pages.

FALL SEMESTER, 2016

August 17, Wednesday

Faculty Day—opening of academic year for faculty. Braniff deadline for Incompletes.

August 19, Friday

Rome students depart.

August 19- 23, Friday through Tuesday

Orientation and registration; residence halls open August 21 for **new** students.

August 21, Sunday

Upperclassmen hall and student apartments open for continuing students.

August 22-25, Monday through Thursday

Web Registration and Add/Drop for Undergraduates and Graduates in Braniff Liberal Arts Students and the Neuhoff School of Ministry.

August 23, Tuesday

Mass of the Holy Spirit 5:00 p.m. (no noon Mass this day) 5:00 *daily Mass begins, Monday-Thursday.*

August 24, Wednesday

Fall semester classes begin.

August 31, Wednesday

Conferral of degrees for all programs. No ceremony.

August 31, Wednesday

Final Registration Day, late fee applies. Instructor signature required to add a class after this date.

September 2, Friday

Last day course may be added; last day course may be dropped without record.

September 5, Monday

Labor Day Holiday.

September 8, Thursday

Last day to verify Fall registration.

- September 10, Saturday
Deadline to waive student insurance.
- September 21, Wednesday
Incomplete deadline for undergraduates (excluding students with earlier deadlines under academic discipline policies).
- September 24, Saturday
LSAT given on campus.
- September 25, Sunday
New Student Mass and Reception, Cistercian Abbey Church, 7:30 p.m.
- September 26, Monday
Information for **spring schedule** due.
- September 29, Thursday
Deadline for application for degree for graduation in December.
Note: Cannot be enrolled in an Interterm class.
- October 3-8, Monday-Saturday
Charity Week.
- October 13-16, Thursday-Sunday
Alumni and Family Weekend.
- October 14, Friday
Fall Reading Day, no classes. Offices closed.
- October 17-21, Monday-Friday
Constantin midsemester period; **grades due Monday, October 24.**
- October 22, Saturday
Landregan Lecture, 7:30 p.m.
- October 28-29, Friday-Saturday
Odyssey Days I.
- October 28, Friday
Last day to withdraw from classes.
- October 31-December 14, Monday-Wednesday
Academic counseling and **online registration** for spring semester; Registration Booklets available October 28.
- November 7-11, Monday-Friday
Housing registration for spring semester.
- November 11-12, Friday-Saturday
Odyssey Days II.
- November 21-27, Monday-Sunday
Thanksgiving Break begins at close of classes on Friday, November 18.
No contract food service after dinner on November 18. University closed
November 24-25, Thursday-Friday.
- November 28, Monday
Classes resume, 8:00 a.m.; food service resumes with dinner on Sunday,
November 27.
- December 6, Tuesday
Rome students return.

December 7, Wednesday
Last day of instruction.

December 9, Friday
Examinations begin.

December 14, Wednesday
Examinations end—**official close of the semester. Last day of online registration for Spring. Christmas recess** begins at the close of the last examination period. Contract food service ends with dinner on Wednesday; residence halls close at 10:00 a.m. Friday, December 16.

December 21, Wednesday
Grades Due.

December 23-26, Friday-Monday
University offices closed.

INTERTERM CLASSES OF FALL 2016

December 26, Monday
One residence hall opens for Interterm at 4:00 p.m. on December 26. No contract food service available during Interterm.

December 27-January 13, Tuesday-Friday
Interterm. Classes also meet Saturday, December 31 and January 7.

December 31, Saturday
Conferral of degrees date. No ceremony.

January 2, Monday
University offices closed.

January 13, Friday
Last day of Interterm classes and final examinations.

SPRING SEMESTER, 2017

January 13, Friday
Braniff deadline for Incomplete grades.
Rome students depart. (tentative)

January 15, Sunday
Residence Halls open at 8:00 a.m.; food service resumes with dinner in the café on Sunday, January 15. Full service resumes in the Rathskeller on Monday, January 16.

January 16-17, Monday-Tuesday
Registration for spring. Verification and drop/add for continuing students.

January 18, Wednesday
Spring semester classes begin.
Resume 5:00 p.m. daily Mass, Monday-Thursday.

January 24, Tuesday
Final registration day.

January 27, Friday
Last day course may be added (permission of course instructor required after January 24); last day course may be dropped without record.

- January 31, Tuesday
Final day to verify Spring registration
- February 2, Saturday
Groundhog Party in the Park.
- February 20, Monday
Crusader Preview
- February 15, Wednesday
Incomplete deadline for undergraduates (excluding students with earlier deadlines under academic discipline policies).
- March 2, Thursday
Information for Fall, Mayterm and Summer schedules due.
- March 6-10, Monday-Friday
Undergraduate midsemester period.
- March 11-19, Saturday-Sunday
Spring Break begins at the close of classes, Friday, March 10. Contract food service ends with dinner. Residence halls closed from Saturday, March 11, at 10 a.m. through Sunday, March 19, at 8:00 a.m. Food service resumes with dinner on Sunday; classes resume at 8 a.m. Monday.
Alternative Spring Break Trips.
- March 20, Monday
Midsemester grades due; classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
- March 24-25, Friday-Saturday
Meet Us @ the Tower I.
- March 31, Friday
Last day to withdraw from classes.
- April 3-7, Monday-Friday
Housing registration for upcoming academic year.
- April 13-17, Thursday-Monday
Easter Break. Residence Halls open. No food service after lunch on Wednesday until dinner on Monday.
- April 14-16, Friday-Sunday
Good Friday: University closed: Veneration.
Holy Saturday: Vigil Mass.
Easter Sunday.
- April 3-May 11, Monday-Thursday
Counseling and early registration for fall semester.
- April 21-22, Friday-Saturday
Meet Us @ the Tower II.
- May 2, Tuesday
Rome students return. (tentative)
- May 4, Thursday
Convocation honoring seniors, 3:30 p.m. Last day of instruction.
- May 5, Friday
Review Day: **no classes, no examinations.** Closing receptions and presentations for senior Art Studio and Art History students, 5:30-9:00 p.m.

May 6, Saturday

Examinations begin.

May 11, Thursday

Examinations end; grades **must** be turned in for May graduates by noon.

Official close of the semester. Residence halls close for everyone but graduates at 10:00 a.m. Friday; Thursday dinner is last contract meal. End 5:00 p.m. daily Mass for semester. Only noon daily.

May 13, Saturday

Baccalaureate Mass at 6:00 p.m. followed by President's Reception.

May 14, Sunday

Commencement, 9:00 a.m.

May 16, Tuesday

All grades due in Registrar's Office.

May 19, Friday

Bulletin corrections due to Provost office.

SUMMER TERMS, 2017

May 16-June 2, Tuesday-Friday

Mayterm. Classes meet Saturdays, May 20 and May 27. No contract food service is available during Mayterm.

May 29, Monday

University closed for Memorial Day.

June 5-July 7, Monday-Friday

Summer Session I.

July 4, Tuesday

Independence Day (holiday) observed; university closed.

July 10-August 11, Monday-Friday

Summer Session II.

August 12-13, Saturday-Sunday

Utility Shutdown.

August 31, Thursday

August conferral of degrees date for all programs. No ceremony.

HOLIDAYS 2016-2017

University offices will be closed on September 5, 2016 (except those necessary for undergraduate, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry); October 14 (undergraduate, Braniff, and Neuhoff School of Ministry offices only); November 24-25; December 23-26; January 2; April 14; May 29; and July 4.

2017-2018 UNIVERSITY BASIC CALENDAR (TENTATIVE)

August 16, Wednesday

Faculty Day.

August 18- 22, Friday through Tuesday

Undergraduate Orientation.

- August 21, Monday
Graduate Business classes begin.
- August 23, Wednesday
Fall Semester classes begin, undergraduates, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry.
- August 31, Thursday
Conferral of Summer degrees for all programs. No ceremony.
- October 13, Friday
Reading Day (undergraduates, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry).
- November 20-24, Monday-Friday
Thanksgiving Holiday. University closed November 23-24.
- December 6, Wednesday
Classes end (undergraduates, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry).
- December 8-13, Friday-Wednesday
Final examinations for undergraduates, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry.
- December 20, Wednesday
Final grades due.
- December 25, Monday
University closed.
- December 26-January 12, Tuesday-Friday
Interterm. Classes also meet December 30 and January 6.
- December 31
Conferral of degrees, undergraduates, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry.
- January 1, Monday
University closed.
- January 17, Wednesday
Spring semester begins for undergraduates, Braniff and Neuhoff School of Ministry.
- March 10-18, Saturday-Sunday (TENTATIVE)
Spring Break.
- March 29-April 2. Thursday-Monday
Easter Break.
- May 3, Thursday
Classes end.
- May 10, Thursday
Examinations end.
- May 13, Sunday
Commencement.
- May 15-June 1
Mayterm.
- June 4-July 6
Summer Session I.
- July 9-August 10
Summer Session II.