

SCHOOL OF LAW FIVE-YEAR ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2016 - 2021

SEMESTER	Fall 2016	Fall 2017	Fall 2018	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	NOTES
Saturday Classes Begin	Aug 13	Aug 19	Aug 11	Aug 17	Aug 15	Begins before regular semester to allow for 14 Saturdays
J.D. Classes Begin	Aug 15	Aug 14	Aug 13	Aug 19	Aug 17	Each day of the week meets 14 times.
Labor Day	Sept 5	Sept 4	Sept 3	Sept 2	Sept 7	
Pass/No Pass Deadline	Sept 9	Sept 8	Sept 7	Sept 13	Sept 11	Friday of the 4th week of school
Admin Exam Resched Deadline	Oct 7	Oct 6	Oct 5	Oct 11	Oct 9	Friday of the 8th week of school
Fall Recess	Oct 10 -11	Oct 9 - 10	Oct 8 -9	Oct 14-15	Oct 12-13	Columbus Day weekend. Law Student Services closed
Administrative Monday	Oct 12	Oct 11	Oct 10	Oct 16	Oct 14	Necessary to make 14 Mondays
Classes End	Nov 23	Nov 22	Nov 21	Nov 27	Nov 25	Wednesday before Thanksgiving.
Thanksgiving	Nov 24 - 25	Nov 23 - 24	Nov 22 - 23	Nov 28 - 29	Nov 26 - 27	
Reading Period	Nov 26-29	Nov 25-28	Nov 24-27	Nov 30-Dec 3	Nov 28-Dec 1	Day after Thanksgiving break thru following Tuesday
Exams	Nov 30 - Dec 15	Nov 29 - Dec 15	Nov 28 - Dec 14	Dec 4 - 20	Dec 2 - 18	Average of 15 days
SEMESTER	Spring 2017	Spring 2018	Spring 2019	Spring 2020	Spring 2021	NOTES
AALS Meetings	Jan 4 - 7	Jan 3-6	Jan 2-6	Jan 7-11?	Jan 6 -9?	
Saturday Classes Begin	Jan 7	Jan 6	Jan 5	Jan 11	Jan 9	Begins before regular semester to allow for 14 Saturdays
Classes Begin	Jan 9	Jan 8	Jan 7	Jan 13	Jan 11	Monday before MLK. Each day of the week meets 14 times.
M. L. King, Jr Day	Jan 16	Jan 15	Jan 21	Jan 20	Jan 18	
Pass/No Pass Deadline	Feb 3	Feb 2	Feb 1	Feb 7	Feb 5	Friday of the 4th week of school
Presidents' Day	Feb 20	Feb 19	Feb 18	Feb 17	Feb 15	
Administrative Monday	Feb 21	Feb 20	Feb 19	Feb 18	Feb 16	Necessary to make 14 Mondays
Admin Exam Resched Deadline	Mar 3	Mar 2	Mar 1	Mar 6	Mar 5	Friday of the 8th week of school
Spring Break	Mar 6- 11	Mar 12 - 17	Mar 11 - 16	Mar 9 - 14	Mar 8 - 13	First or second week in March
Good Friday	Apr 14	Mar 30	Apr 19	Apr 10	Apr 2	Friday before Easter Sunday.
Easter Saturday	Apr 15	Mar 31	Apr 20	Apr 11	Apr 3	Saturday before Easter Sunday.
Administrative Friday	Apr 26	Apr 25	Apr 24	Apr 29	Apr 28	Necessary to make 14 Fridays
Classes End	Apr 26	Apr 25	Apr 24	Apr 29	Apr 28	
Reading Period	Apr 27 - 30	Apr 26 - 29	Apr 25 - 28	Apr 30 - May 2	Apr 29 - May 3	Average of 4 days
Exams	May 1 - 16	Apr 30 - May 15	Apr 29 - May 15	May 4 - 20	May 4 - 20	Average of 15 days
Commencement	May 20	May 19	May 18	May 23	May 22	Saturday after exams end.
Bar Prep Starts	May 17?	May 21?	May 20?	May 18?	May 17?	
TERM	Summer 2017	Summer 2018	Summer 2019	Summer 2020	Summer 2021	NOTES
Classes Begin	May 30	May 29	May 28	May 26*	June 1	Day after Memorial Day. Each day of the week meets 7 times.
Admin Exam Resched Deadline	June 26	June 25	June 24	June 22	June 28	Fourth Monday
Independence Day	July 4	July 4	July 4	July 3-4	July 4-5	
Administrative Day	None	July 17 = Wed	July 16 = Thurs	July 14 = Fri	July 20 = Mon	Necessary to make up for 4th of July holiday.
Classes End	July 18	July 17	July 16	July 14	July 20	
Reading Period	July 19-20	July 18-19	July 17-18	July 15-16	July 21-22	Average 2 days.
Examinations	July 21-22	July 20-21	July 19-20	July 17-18	July 23-24	Average 2 - 3 days.
*Saturday classes during Summer 2020 will start on May 23						