

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY

2010 FALL ACADEMIC CALENDAR

All deadlines are at 5:00 P.M. unless otherwise stated

August 2	Freshmen and transfer students should apply for admission by this date
August 16, 17	Final registration and payment of tuition and fees
August 17	New student orientation
August 18	Classes begin
August 24	Last day for dropping a course without a grade (5 th class day)
August 25	Last day to register or add a course (6 th class day)
.....	Last day to request undergrad academic forgiveness OnCampus 12:00 midnight
September 6	Holiday
September 29	Last day to drop a class with a "W" grade
October 6 – 12	Report progress grades on line
October 8	Mid-point of semester
October 11, 12	Fall Break Monday & Tuesday
October 15	Last Day to apply by deadline for December 2010 degree via OnCampus \$50 fee
October 15	Last day to apply for Advanced Standing Examination
October 16 - 31	Late application via OnCampus December 2010 graduation
.....	\$50 graduation + \$50 additional late fee
.....	** Account balance must be paid before application is accepted
October 26 – November 3	Faculty advising for pre-registration
November 4 - 12... ..	Primary pre-registration period for spring semester
November 12	Last day to withdraw from University (ten days of classes remaining)
November 1 - 19	Last day to apply for December Commencement
.....	Very Late December 2010 Degree Application via OnCampus
.....	\$50 graduation plus \$200 additional late fee
.....	** Account balance must be paid before application is accepted
November 12	Last day to withdraw from University (ten days of classes remaining)
November 24	Thanksgiving holiday (Wednesday through Sunday)
November 29	Classes resume
December 1	Classes end
December 2	Reading Day (No mandatory class assignments, requirements, meetings)
December 3, 6, 7, 8, 9	Final examinations
December 10	Commencement 7:00 PM Friday – one ceremony all colleges
December 14	Final Grades Due 12:00 noon
December 21- 31	Winter Holidays