

Academic Calendar 2014-2015



EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY
Connecticut's Public Liberal Arts University

Fall 2014

August 25	Academic year begins
August 26 - 27	New Student Orientation – Warrior Welcome
August 27	University meeting 10:00 a.m.
August 27	New Faculty Orientation
August 27	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 100% refund on tuition
August 28	CLASSES BEGIN 8:00 A.M.
September 1	Labor Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
September 4	Open add/drop period ends
September 4	Last day to drop a class (part-time students) to qualify for 100% refund on tuition
September 4	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 90% refund on tuition
September 5 - 11	Add period; instructor approval required
September 11	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 60% refund on tuition
September 11	Drop deadline (full semester courses); all students
September 11	Add deadline (full semester courses); all students
September 11	Last day to drop a class (part-time students) and receive a 60% refund on tuition
September 11	Internship, Independent Study, Practicum, Co-op deadline
September 25	Last day to withdraw from a class (part-time students) and receive a 40% refund on tuition
September 25	Course audit deadline for full semester courses
September 25	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 40% refund on tuition
September 25	Advisor or major change deadline for Spring registration
October 6	Draft of thesis signed by advisor due in Graduate Office
October 6 – November 14	Advisement and Spring registration for continuing matriculated students
October 9	Incomplete grade deadline; faculty submit grades to Registrar from the previous semester
October 15	May 2015 degree application deadline; students submit to Registrar
October 10 - 13	Comprehensive exams – Organizational Management (graduate)
October 22	Mid-semester grades due
October 31	Faculty Deadline to place Bookstore orders for Spring 2015 semester
November 3	Application deadline for Spring 2015 intent to graduate (graduate students)
November 3	Thesis and copies due in Graduate Office
November 5	Credit/no-credit deadline for full semester courses
November 5	Class withdrawal deadline for full-semester courses
November 15	Spring FAFSA Deadline for Eastern gift aid
November 26 – 30	Thanksgiving recess – no classes
December 9	Last day to withdraw from the University
December 9	Classes end
December 10	Make-up/Reading Day
December 11 – 17	Final Exams (day, evening and Saturday classes)
December 17	Semester Ends
December 22	Final grades due

Wintersession 2015

December 18	Week-long classes begin 9:00 a.m.
December 18	Online courses begin
December 25	Christmas Holiday – no classes – offices closed
December 26	Traditional Session Begins
December 27	Make up day in the event of snow
January 1	New Year's Holiday – weeklong classes held, offices closed
January 3	Make up day in the event of snow
January 9	Traditional session ends – classes end at 9:30 p.m.
January 9	Online courses end
January 10	Week-long courses end
January 10 - 11	Make up day in the event of snow

Spring 2015

January 5	New Student Orientation
January 9	Spring semester begins
January 9	University meeting 10:00 a.m.
January 9	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 100% refund on tuition
January 12	CLASSES BEGIN 8:00 A.M.
January 16	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 90% refund on tuition
January 16	Open add/drop ends
January 16	Last day to drop a class (part-time students) and receive 100% refund on tuition
January 19	Martin Luther King Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
January 20 - 23	Add period; instructor approval required
January 23	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 60% refund on tuition
January 23	Drop deadline (full semester courses); all students
January 23	Add deadline (full semester courses); all students
January 23	Last day to drop a class (part-time students) and receive a 60% refund on tuition
January 23	Internship, Independent Study, Practicum, Co-op deadline
February 6	Course audit deadline for full semester courses
February 6	Advisor or major change deadline for Fall registration
February 6	Last day to withdraw from the University (full-time students) to qualify for 40% refund on tuition
February 6	Last day to withdraw from a class (part-time students) and receive a 40% refund on tuition
February 13	Holiday – Lincoln's Birthday observed – no classes, offices closed
February 14	No Saturday classes on campus
February 16	President's Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
February 17	August 2015 degree application deadline; students submit to Registrar
February 19	Incomplete grades deadline; faculty submit grades to Registrar
March 1	Fall FAFSA deadline for Eastern gift aid
March 2	Application deadline for Fall 2015 intent to graduate (graduate students)
March 2 – April 17	Advisement and Fall registration for continuing matriculated students
March 4	Mid-semester grades due
March 6	Draft of thesis signed by advisor due in Graduate Office
March 6 - 9	Comprehensive exams – Organizational Management (graduate)
March 16 - 21	Spring Recess – no classes on campus
March 25	Credit/no-credit deadline; students submit to Registrar
March 25	Class withdrawal deadline (full semester courses)
April 3 - 4	Days of Reflection – no classes
April 6	Thesis and copies due in Graduate Office
April 7	Faculty Deadline to place Bookstore orders for Fall 2015 semester
April 30	Last day to withdraw from the University
April 30	Day and evening classes end
May 1	University meeting 10:00 a.m.
May 1 – 2	Make-up/Reading Days
May 4 – 9	Final exams (day, evening and Saturday classes)
May 9	Semester ends
May 12	Commencement
May 13	Final grades due

Summer 2015

June 15	December 2015 degree application deadline; students submit to Registrar
June 22 – July 14	New Student Summer Orientation – S.O.A.R.

Continuing Education Division – Undergraduate Courses

May 11	Week-long courses begin at 9:00 a.m.
May 16	Summer Session A begins at 8:00 a.m.
May 25	Memorial Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
June 25	Summer Session A ends
June 27	Summer Session B begins at 8:00 a.m.
July 3	Independence Day Holiday observed – weeklong classes held, offices closed
July 4	Independence Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
July 20	Summer Session C begins at 8:00 a.m.
August 6	Summer Session C ends
August 8	Summer Session B ends
August 15	Week-long classes end

Graduate Division - Graduate Courses (Tentative Dates)

May 18	Summer Session I begins – classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
May 25	Memorial Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
June 25	Summer Session I ends – classes end 10:00 p.m.
June 29	Summer Session II begins – classes begin 8:00 a.m.
July 3 - 4	Independence Day Holiday – no classes, offices closed
August 6	Summer Session II ends – classes end at 10:00 pm

Other Programs

June 25 – August 8	STEP/CAP
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