

**Washington University in St. Louis**  
**Academic Calendar**  
**2016-17**

(revised 4/22/2014)

**Fall Semester 2016**

First day of classes	August 29	(Monday)
Labor Day holiday - no classes	September 5	(Monday)
Fall Break - no classes	October 15-18	(Saturday-Tuesday)
Thanksgiving Break - no classes	November 23-27	(Wednesday-Sunday)
Last day of classes	December 9	(Friday)
Reading and Exams	December 12-21	(Monday-Wednesday)

**Spring Semester 2017**

Martin Luther King holiday - no classes	January 16	(Monday)
First day of classes	January 17	(Tuesday)
Spring Break - no classes	March 12-18	(Sunday-Saturday)
Last day of classes	April 28	(Friday)
Reading and Exams	May 1-10	(Monday-Wednesday)
Commencement	May 19	(Friday)

**Summer Semester 2017**

First Summer Session begins	May 22	(Monday)
Memorial Day holiday - no classes	May 29	(Monday)
Independence Day holiday - no classes	July 4	(Tuesday)
Last Summer Session ends	August 17	(Thursday)