



Office of the President

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** University Employees  
**FROM:** Carlos Vargas, President  
**DATE:** April 24, 2017  
**SUBJECT:** University Holidays and Calendar Highlights for Fiscal Year 2018

For planning purposes, the University will be closed to observe the following holidays for 2017-2018.

July 4	Independence Day
September 4	Labor Day
November 23, 24	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 22, 25	Christmas Holiday
December 29, January 1	New Year's Holiday
January 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
March 30	Designated Holiday
May 28	Memorial Day

In addition, the University will be closed December 26-28, 2017, for energy conservation and will be paid time off days. Office hours for March 12 - 16, 2018, and May 14 through August 10, 2018, will be 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### University calendar highlights:

<b>2017</b>	
August 21	Fall 2017 Classes Begin
September 4	Labor Day
September 29-30	Family Weekend
October 14	Homecoming
November 20 – 24	Fall Break/Thanksgiving Holiday
December 11 – 15	Fall Final Exams
December 16	Fall Commencement
December 18	Winter Intersession Classes Begin
<b>2018</b>	
January 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
January 16	Spring 2018 Classes Begin
January 17	Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration Dinner
March 12-16	Spring Break
March 30	Designated Holiday
May 7-11	Spring Final Exams
May 12	Spring Commencement
May 15	Summer 2018 Classes Begin
August 20	Fall 2018 Classes Begin