

## Florida Atlantic University Academic Calendar 2017 – 2018

	2017 Fall Semester	2018 Early Spring	2018 Spring Semester	2018 Summer Term 1	2018 Summer Term 2	2018 Summer Term 3
Registration begins for enrolled degree-seeking students only; see myfau.fau.edu.	Begins October 30 for Spring 2018	Begins October 30 for Early Spring 2018	Begins March 26 for Summer/Fall 2018			
<b>Priority Application Deadline – Freshman</b>	<b>February 15</b>	–	–	–	–	–
Application Deadline–Freshman students*	May 1	–	August 15	February 15	–	–
Application Deadline–Transfer & Returning students*	July 1	–	November 15	April 15	–	–
International App. Deadline–Freshman & Transfer	April 1	–	October 1	February 15	–	–
Last day to apply for a reclassification of residency status.	July 21	–	December 8	April 13	April 13	–
Non-Degree Registration; see myfau.fau.edu	August 14 – 25	Dec. 11 – 18	January 2 – 12	May 7 – 18	May 7 – 18	June 18 – 29
<b>CLASSES BEGIN</b>	<b>August 19 (Sat.)</b>	<b>Dec. 16 (Sat.)</b>	<b>January 6 (Sat.)</b>	<b>May 12 (Sat.)</b>	<b>May 12 (Sat.)</b>	<b>June 23 (Sat.)</b>
Freshman Convocation	August 20	–	–	–	–	–
Walk-in Registration	August 21	December 18	January 8	May 14	May 14	June 25
<b>Last day at 5 p.m. to drop/add courses without consequences;</b> courses are fee liable after this date; \$100 late registration fee after this date.	<b>August 25 (Fri.)</b>	<b>Dec. 18 (Mon.)</b>	<b>Jan. 12 (Fri.)</b>	<b>May 18 (Fri.)</b>	<b>May 18 (Fri.)</b>	<b>June 29 (Fri.)</b>
<b>Grace period – Students responsible for payment of tuition &amp; fees;</b> no “W” for dropped courses; drops noted on student records as “W” after this period.	<b>August 26 – September 1</b>	–	<b>January 13 – 19</b>	Policy does not apply to summer terms.		
60+ Audit Registration	August 28	–	January 16	May 21	May 21	July 2
<b>Last day to pay tuition and fees:</b> Online by 11 pm, drop box by 5 pm (Boca campus), USPS postmarked by this date; \$100 late payment fee assessed if paid after this date. (See deadlines below if receiving deferments: state-mandated or departmental waiver and Florida Prepaid, Financial Aid or Veterans. Same time deadlines and submission methods apply.)**	<b>August 28</b>	<b>December 19</b>	<b>January 16</b>	<b>May 21</b>	<b>May 21</b>	<b>July 2</b>
Last day to submit application for degree.	September 20	January 26	January 26	June 1	June 1	June 1
<b>**State-mandated or departmental waiver deferment:</b> Last day to pay tuition and fees.	September 12	–	January 30	June 4	June 4	July 16
<b>Last day to do a complete withdrawal and receive a 25% tuition adjustment;</b> to receive this tuition adjustment for Summer 1, all summer courses (Terms 1, 2, and 3) must be dropped.	September 20	–	February 5	June 11	Policy does not apply to Summer Term 2 or Summer Term 3.	
Parent/Family Weekend	Sept. 15 – 17	–	–	–	–	–
Mid-term grading available	October 2 – 13	–	February 19 – 23	Policy does not apply to summer terms.		
Homecoming	October 14 – 21	–	–	–	–	–
<b>**Florida Prepaid, Financial Aid or Veterans deferment:</b> Last day to pay tuition and fees.	October 17	–	March 7	July 16	July 16	July 16
Last day to submit doctoral dissertation.	November 13	–	April 2	July 9	–	–
<b>Last day to drop a course or withdraw without receiving an “F” in each course.</b>	<b>November 17</b>	<b>December 28</b>	<b>April 6</b>	<b>July 30</b>	<b>June 18</b>	<b>July 30</b>
Last day to submit master’s thesis.	November 20	–	April 9	July 16	–	–
Honors Convocation	–	–	April 18	–	–	–
<b>LAST DAY OF CLASSES</b>	<b>December 6</b>	<b>January 5</b>	<b>April 23</b>	<b>August 3</b>	<b>June 22</b>	<b>August 3</b>
<b>READING DAYS</b> (In case of emergency, may be used as class time.)	<b>December 4 – 6</b> (classes were held 12/4-6)	–	<b>April 24 – 25</b>	–	–	–
<b>FINAL EXAMINATIONS</b>	<b>Dec. 7 – 13</b>	–	<b>April 26 – May 2</b>	–	–	–
Three Commencement Ceremonies in Fall 2017 and Spring 2018 on Thursday	<b>Dec. 14 – 9am, 1pm &amp; 5pm</b>	–	<b>May 3 – 9am, 1pm &amp; 5pm</b>	<b>Note: No classes or exams are scheduled on Commencement days in any semester.</b>		
Two Commencement Ceremonies in Fall 2017 and Three in Spring 2018 on Friday	<b>December 15 – 9am &amp; 1pm</b>	–	<b>May 4 – 9am, 1pm &amp; 5 pm</b>			
Three Commencement Ceremonies in Summer 2018	–	–	–	<b>August 7 (Tues.) – 9am, 1pm &amp; 5pm</b>		
Semester ends	December 15	January 5	May 4	August 7	June 22	August 7
<b>Grades due in Registrar’s Office, 9 a.m.</b>	<b>Dec. 18 (Mon.)</b>	<b>Jan. 8 (Mon.)</b>	<b>May 7 (Mon.)</b>	<b>August 8</b>	<b>June 25 (Mon.)</b>	<b>August 8</b>

\* Departmental deadlines may also apply. Consult the Academic Programs sections of the University Catalog for further information.

OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY HOLIDAYS (OFFICES CLOSED, NO CLASSES)					
September 4	Labor Day	Winter Holiday December 25, 2017 – January 1, 2018		March 5 – 11	Spring Break (No classes; offices open)
November 10 (Fri., observed)	Veteran’s Day			May 28	Memorial Day
November 23 – 26	Thanksgiving Recess	January 15	Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday	July 4 (Wed.)	Independence Day
Note: During the academic year, Saturdays are considered instructional days. This calendar is subject to change by appropriate authority. <span style="float: right;"><b>Updated March 13, 2018</b></span>					