

Term: SUMMER TERM 2018 - Proposed

#	week	day	date	event
-35	-4	M	Monday, May 28, 2018	Registration: Registration Officially Opens
0	1	M	Monday, July 02, 2018	FIRST DAY OF CLASSES START OF TERM
0	1	M	Monday, July 02, 2018	Registration: Late Registration Continues
2	1	W	Wednesday, July 04, 2018	INDEPENDENCE DAY (HOLIDAY)
7	2	M	Monday, July 09, 2018	Deadline: Last day to complete Late Registration Deadline: Last day to add courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
14	3	M	Monday, July 16, 2018	Deadline: Last day to drop courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
63	10	M	Monday, September 03, 2018	LABOR DAY (HOLIDAY)
67	10	F	Friday, September 07, 2018	LAST DAY OF CLASSES Deadline: Last day to file an application for degree conferral with the Office of the Registrar (<i>for December degree conferral</i>)
70	11	M	Monday, September 10, 2018	Final Examination Period Begins
76	11	Su	Sunday, September 16, 2018	Final Examination Period Ends
77	12	M	Monday, September 17, 2018	ILE (Intensive Learning Exp) Begins
83	12	Su	Sunday, September 23, 2018	ILE (Intensive Learning Exp) Ends
83	12	Su	Sunday, September 23, 2018	END OF TERM

BASIC GUIDELINES

Rice University is officially a semester school, utilizing 3 semesters (Fall -> Spring -> Summer)

As a semester school, Rice reflects earned course credit as semester credit hours (SMH)

- more info on credit hours can be found at: https://registrar.rice.edu/facstaff/contact_hours/

Rice University has three (3) degree conferrals each year (December, August, and May)

Rice University has one (1) commencement ceremony each year (in May)

This second Academic Calendar employs 4 equal terms throughout the calendar and academic year

Students may enter or conclude (matriculate or complete program requirements) during any term

Unique characteristic of this 2nd Academic Calendar is that F/T status defined as 6 semester credit hours

Registration and Deadline Dates are formula-driven, based on Start of Term Date (First Day of Classes)

- 10 Weeks of Classes; 1 Week Final Exams; 1 Week (ILE) Intensive Learning Experience;

- Add Deadline after 1 week, Drop deadline after 2 weeks;

Term: FALL TERM 2018 - Proposed

#	week	day	date	event
-35	-4	M	Monday, August 27, 2018	Registration: Registration Officially Opens
0	1	M	Monday, October 01, 2018	FIRST DAY OF CLASSES START OF TERM
0	1	M	Monday, October 01, 2018	Registration: Late Registration Continues
7	2	M	Monday, October 08, 2018	Deadline: Last day to complete Late Registration Deadline: Last day to add courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
14	3	M	Monday, October 15, 2018	Deadline: Last day to drop courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
52	8	Th	Thursday, November 22, 2018	THANKSGIVING DAY (HOLIDAY)
67	10	F	Friday, December 07, 2018	LAST DAY OF CLASSES Deadline: Last day to file an application for degree conferral with the Office of the Registrar (<i>for December degree conferral</i>)
70	11	M	Monday, December 10, 2018	Final Examination Period Begins
76	11	Su	Sunday, December 16, 2018	Final Examination Period Ends
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0	1	M	Monday, January 07, 2019	FIRST DAY OF CLASSES START OF TERM
0	1	M	Monday, January 07, 2019	Registration: Late Registration Continues
7	2	M	Monday, January 14, 2019	Deadline: Last day to complete Late Registration Deadline: Last day to add courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
14	3	M	Monday, January 21, 2019	MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR DAY (HOLIDAY)
14	3	M	Monday, January 21, 2019	Deadline: Last day to drop courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
67	10	F	Friday, March 15, 2019	LAST DAY OF CLASSES Deadline: Last day to file an application for degree conferral with the Office of the Registrar (<i>for May degree conferral</i>)
70	11	M	Monday, March 18, 2019	Final Examination Period Begins
76	11	Su	Sunday, March 24, 2019	Final Examination Period Ends
77	12	M	Monday, March 25, 2019	ILE (Intensive Learning Exp) Begins
83	12	Su	Sunday, March 31, 2019	ILE (Intensive Learning Exp) Ends
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7	2	M	Monday, April 15, 2019	Deadline: Last day to complete Late Registration Deadline: Last day to add courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
14	3	M	Monday, April 22, 2019	Deadline: Last day to drop courses online via ESTHER (through 5:00PM)
49	8	M	Monday, May 27, 2019	MEMORIAL DAY (HOLIDAY)
67	10	F	Friday, June 14, 2019	LAST DAY OF CLASSES Deadline: Last day to file an application for degree conferral with the Office of the Registrar (<i>for August degree conferral</i>)
70	11	M	Monday, June 17, 2019	Final Examination Period Begins
76	11	Su	Sunday, June 23, 2019	Final Examination Period Ends
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