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June 1 Final deadline for international graduate students to apply for Fall 2005 admission  
 July 1 Final deadline for domestic graduate students to apply for Fall 2005 admission  
 July 23 Final date for graduate and undergraduate students to apply for Fall 2005 graduation  
 August 1 Deadline for transfer students admissions application for Fall Semester 2005  
 August 4 Academic Standards Committee meeting, 2:00 p.m.  
 August 5 New Faculty Orientation for Tenure Track Faculty  
 August 8 Academic Year begins  
 August 8 New Faculty Orientation for Temporary Faculty  
 August 9 Academic Standards Committee meeting, 10:00 a.m.  
 August 10 University Fall Convocation (for Faculty and Staff)  
 August 11 Deans, Directors, and Department Chairs Workshop, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  
 August 11 Employee Tuition Assistance Program registration, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Rosenwald Building, second floor, or by web beginning at 3:30 p.m.  
 August 12 Academic Standards Committee meeting, 10:00 a.m.  
 August 12 Residence hall check-in at the RAC, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
 August 13 New Student Orientation and Registration, Russell Union, 8:00 a.m. - NOTE: Enrolled and former students should refer to WINGS (<http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/registrar>) for specific registration times.  
 August 13 New Graduate Student Orientation, 2:00-4:00 p.m., Nessmith Lane Continuing Education Bldg.  
 August 15 Fee payment deadline for Fall Semester 2005  
 August 15 Classes Begin (First Day of University Classes)  
 August 15-18 Drop/Add  
 August 19 \$50 Late Registration Fee begins  
 August 22 Attendance Verification deadline for classes starting August 15-19  
 August 29 Fee payment deadline for registration or changing registration during the Drop/Add period  
 September 5 Labor Day - Administrative offices closed - No classes  
 September 19 Deadline for M.Ed. students to register to take the Comprehensive Exams during Fall Semester 2005  
 September 30 Mid-term grades for Freshmen due  
 October 1 Final deadline for international graduate students to apply for Spring 2006 admission  
 October 1 Priority deadline for domestic graduate students to apply for Spring 2006 admission  
 October 7-9 Family Weekend  
 October 10 Last day to withdraw without academic penalty  
 October 21-22 Homecoming Classes canceled beginning at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, October 21  
 October 24 Registration for Spring 2006 begins (Students should view WINGS for individual date and time)  
 October 27 Academic Standards Committee meeting, 2:00 p.m.  
 October 29 Comprehensive Exams for M.Ed. Students  
 November 9 Final date to hold terminal or comprehensive examination, thesis and dissertation defenses  
 November 15 Final deadline for domestic graduate students to apply for Spring 2006 admission  
 November 16 Deadline to submit electronic theses and dissertations to College of Graduate Studies for final format review  
 November 23-25 Thanksgiving holidays for students - Administrative offices closed November 24-25 - Residence halls open  
 December 1 Deadline for Spring Semester 2006 Undergraduate Admission Application  
 December 1 Last day of classes  
 December 2 Reading Day  
 December 5-8 Final exams  
 December 8 Deadline to submit final verified (approved) electronic thesis or dissertation to College of Graduate Studies  
 December 8 Final date for graduate and undergraduate students to apply for Spring 2006 graduation  
 December 9 Residence halls close at 12:00 p.m.  
 December 9 Commencement  
 December 10 Christmas break for students begins  
 December 15 Employee Tuition Assistance Program registration for Spring 2006, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Rosenwald Building, second floor, or by web beginning at 3:30 p.m.  
 Dec. 26-30 Christmas Holidays - Administrative offices closed

NOTE: Though the University will try to adhere to dates published here, it may become necessary to make changes in



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