

TWU Academic Calendar at a Glance, 2015 - 2016

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[Please see detailed academic term calendars for specific drop, refund and grading deadlines](#)

Fall 2015

August 24 - December 11, 2015

August 24, 2015	First Class Day
September 7, 2015	Labor Day Holiday (University closed)
September 9, 2015	Fall Census Date/December Graduation Application Deadline
November 25-29, 2015	Thanksgiving Holiday (university closed)
December 4, 2015	Last Day of Classes
December 5 - 10, 2015	Final Examinations
December 9, 2015	Houston Commencement Ceremony
December 11 - 12, 2015	Denton Commencement Ceremonies
December 24, 2015 - January 1, 2016	Winter Break (University closed)

Spring 2016

January 19 - May 13, 2016

January 18, 2016	MLK Holiday (University closed)
January 19, 2016	First Class Day
February 3, 2016	Spring Census Date/May Graduation Application Deadline
March 14 - 19, 2016	Spring Break (no classes, University open)
May 6, 2016	Last Day of Classes
May 7 - 12, 2016	Final Examinations
May 11, 2016	Houston Commencement Ceremony, Rice Tudor Fieldhouse
May 13 - 14, 2016	Denton Commencement Ceremonies

Summer 2016 (Summer 1, Summer, Summer 2 and Summer 3 terms)

May 16 - August 12, 2016

Summer 1

May 16 - June 4, 2016

May 16, 2016	First Class Day, Summer 1
May 17, 2016	Summer 1 Census Date
May 30, 2016	Memorial Day Holiday (University closed)
June 3, 2016	Final Examinations
June 4, 2016	Last Day of Term

Summer 2

June 6 - July 9, 2016

June 6, 2016	First Class Day, Summer 2
June 9, 2016	Summer 2 Census Date
July 8, 2016	Final Examinations
July 9, 2016	Last Day of Term

Summer

June 6 - August 12, 2016

June 6, 2016	First Class Day, Summer
June 21, 2016	Summer Census Date/Summer Graduation Application Deadline
July 4, 2016	Fourth of July Holiday (University closed)
August 12, 2016	Final Examinations
August 13, 2016	Last Day of Term

Summer 3

July 11 - August 12, 2016

July 11, 2016	First Class Day, Summer 3
July 14, 2016	Summer 3 Census Date
August 12, 2016	Final Examinations
August 13, 2016	Last Day of Term

There are no commencement ceremonies for Summer. Summer graduates may choose to participate either in the preceding May or following December ceremonies.