

Chapman University

Academic Calendar 2015 - 2016

Fall 2015

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| Instruction begins | Monday, August 31 |
| Labor Day (University closed) | Monday, September 7 |
| Last day to add courses | Friday, September 11 |
| Last day to drop courses without record of enrollment | Friday, September 11 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Friday, September 11 |
| Graduate Comprehensive Examination | Saturday, September 19 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Friday, October 2 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Friday, November 6 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Friday, November 6 |
| Thanksgiving recess (Monday to Wednesday, students only, University closed Thursday and Friday) | Mon. - Fri., Nov. 23 - 27 |
| Deadline to apply for February 2016 graduate Comprehensive Examination | Friday, December 11 |
| Last day of instruction | Saturday, December 12 |
| Final examinations | Mon. - Sat., Dec. 14 - 19 |
| All grades due | Sunday, January 3, 2016 |

Interterm 2016

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| Instruction begins | Monday, January 4 |
| Last day to add courses | Friday, January 8 |
| Last day to drop courses without record of enrollment | Friday, January 8 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Friday, January 8 |
| Graduate Comprehensive Examination (Food Science only) | Saturday, January 9 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Tuesday, January 12 |
| Deadline to file Application for Degree Conferral for May 2016 | Friday, January 15 |
| Martin Luther King holiday (University closed) | Monday, January 18 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Thursday, January 21 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Thursday, January 21 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, January 30 |
| All grades due | Wednesday, February 3 |

Spring 2016

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| Instruction begins | Monday, February 1 |
| Graduate Comprehensive Examination | Saturday, February 6 |
| Last day to add courses | Friday, February 12 |
| Last day drop courses w/o record of enroll. | Friday, February 12 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Friday, February 12 |
| Preferential date for filing for financial aid for 2016-2017 | Wednesday, March 2 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Friday, March 4 |

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| Spring break (Monday thru Saturday, students only) | Mon. - Sat., March 21 - 26 |
| Deadline to apply for June 2016 graduate Comprehensive Examination (Education only) | Wednesday, March 30 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Friday, April 15 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Friday, April 15 |
| Last day of instruction | Saturday, May 14 |
| Final examinations | Mon. - Sat., May 16 - 21 |
| Commencement | Fri. - Sun., May 20 - 22 |
| All grades due | Sunday, May 29 |
| Memorial Day (University closed) | Monday, May 30 |
| Deadline to file Application for Degree Conferral for August 2016 | Wednesday, June 1 |

Summer Session I 2016 (6 weeks)

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| Instruction begins | Tuesday, May 31 |
| Graduate Comprehensive Examination (Education and Food Science Programs only) | Saturday, June 4 |
| Last day to add courses | Monday, June 6 |
| Last day to drop courses without record of enrollment | Monday, June 6 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Monday, June 6 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Monday, June 13 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Monday, June 27 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Monday, June 27 |
| Independence Day observance (University closed) | Monday, July 4 |
| Deadline to apply for September graduate Comprehensive Examination | Tuesday, July 5 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, July 9 |
| All grades due | Wednesday, July 13 |

Summer Session II 2016 (9 weeks)

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| Instruction begins | Tuesday, May 31 |
| Graduate Comprehensive Examination (Education and Food Science Programs only) | Saturday, June 4 |
| Last day to add courses | Wednesday, June 8 |
| Last day to drop courses without record of enrollment | Wednesday, June 8 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Wednesday, June 8 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Monday, June 20 |
| Independence Day observance (University closed) | Monday, July 4 |
| Deadline to apply for September graduate Comprehensive Examination | Tuesday, July 5 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Tuesday, July 12 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Tuesday, July 12 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, July 30 |
| All grades due | Wednesday, August 3 |

Summer Session III 2016 (6 weeks)

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| Instruction begins | Monday, July 11 |
| Last day to add courses | Friday, July 15 |
| Last day to drop courses without record of enrollment | Friday, July 15 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Friday, July 15 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Friday, July 22 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Friday, August 5 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Friday, August 5 |
| Deadline to file Application for Degree Conferral for January 2017 | Monday, August 15 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, August 20 |
| All grades due | Wednesday, August 24 |

Summer Session IV 2016 (12 weeks)

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| Instruction begins | Tuesday, May 31 |
| Graduate Comprehensive Examination (Education and Food Science Programs only) | Saturday, June 4 |
| Last day to add courses | Monday, June 13 |
| Last day to drop courses without record of enrollment | Monday, June 13 |
| Last day to change course to Audit option | Monday, June 13 |
| Last day to add internships, experiential learning projects, individual study, reading and conference, dissertation research | Monday, June 27 |
| Independence Day observance (University closed) | Monday, July 4 |
| Deadline to apply for September graduate Comprehensive Examination | Tuesday, July 5 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) | Tuesday, July 26 |
| Last day to change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Tuesday, July 26 |
| Deadline to file Application for Degree Conferral for January 2017 | Monday, August 15 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, August 20 |
| All grades due | Wednesday, August 24 |

7½ Week Module terms 2015 - 2016

Fall 2015 term 1

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| Instruction begins | Monday, August 31 |
| Labor Day (University closed) | Monday, September 7 |
| Last day to add courses, drop courses without record of enrollment, change course to Audit option | Tuesday, September 8 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) and change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Monday, October 5 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Thursday, October 22 |
| All grades due | Sunday, January 3, 2016 |

Fall 2015 term 2

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| Instruction begins | Friday, October 23 |
| Last day to add courses, drop courses without record of enrollment, change course to Audit option | Friday, October 30 |
| Thanksgiving recess (Monday to Wednesday, students only, University closed Thursday and Friday) | Mon. - Fri., Nov. 23 - 27 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) and change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Thursday, December 3 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, December 19 |
| All grades due | Sunday, January 3, 2016 |

Spring 2016 term 1

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| Instruction begins | Monday, February 1 |
| Last day to add courses, drop courses without record of enrollment, change course to Audit option | Monday, February 8 |
| Preferential date for filing for financial aid for 2016-2017 | Monday, March 2 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) and change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Friday, March 4 |
| Spring break (Monday through Saturday, students only) | Mon. - Sat., March 21 - 26 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Thursday, March 31 |
| All grades due | Sunday, May 29 |

Spring 2016 term 2

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| Instruction begins | Friday, April 1 |
| Last day to add courses, drop courses without record of enrollment, change course to Audit option | Friday, April 8 |
| Last day to withdraw from courses or change grading option (P/NP or Letter Grade) and change the number of credits in courses with variable credits | Thursday, May 5 |
| Last day of instruction and final examinations | Saturday, May 21 |
| Commencement | Fri. - Sun., May 20 - 22 |
| All grades due | Sunday, May 29 |
| Memorial Day (University closed) | Monday, May 30 |