

Governors State University  
Academic Calendar  
2019-2020

	Fall Semester 2019	Interession (Dec. 2019 - Jan. 2020)	Spring Semester 2020	Summer Session 2020
<b>Registration</b>	M 4/15/19 - M 09/09/19*	M 10/21/19 - M 12/09/19*	M 10/21/19 - M 2/03/20*	M 3/16/20 - M 5/26/20*
<b>GSU Closed - Martin Luther King Holiday</b>	♦		M 1/20/20	♦
<b>Smart Start Classes Begin</b>	M 8/12/19	♦	♦	♦
<b>Term Begins</b>	M 8/26/19	M 12/09/19	T 1/21/20	M 5/18/20
<b>GSU Closed - Labor Day/Memorial Day</b>	M 9/2/19		♦	M 5/25/20
<b>Graduation Applications Due</b>	F 9/13/19	♦	F 2/7/20 for both Spring and Summer term graduations*	
<b>GSU Closed - President's Day Holiday</b>	♦	♦	M 2/17/20	♦
<b>No classes - Spring Break</b>	♦	♦	M 3/09/20 – Su 3/15/20	♦
<b>GSU Closed - Independence Day Observance</b>	♦	♦	♦	F 7/3/20
<b>Last Day to Drop a Class</b>	<i>Published on student class schedule in the portal for individual courses.</i>			
<b>Thanksgiving Break</b>	GSU open but no classes: W 11/27/19; GSU closed Th 11/28/19 - Su 12/1/19	♦	♦	♦
<b>Term Ends</b>	Su 12/08/19	M 1/20/20	M 5/11/20	Su 8/16/20
<b>Final Grades Deadline</b>	<i>Classes end in semester - seven days after section ends. Full-semester classes - 12/15/19</i>	<i>Seven days after section ends.</i>	<i>Classes end in semester - seven days after section ends. Full-semester classes - 5/18/20</i>	<i>Classes end in term - seven days after section ends. Full-semester classes - 08/23/20</i>
<b>GSU Closed</b>	T 12/24/19 - Wed1/1/20		♦	♦
<b>Commencement</b>	<i>May 16, 2020 (for fall 2019 graduates, and spring and summer 2020 candidates for graduation)</i>			

\* check online class schedule for registration and other deadline dates for late-start classes and other special offerings.

Note: Posting of grades in student myGSU portal accounts will be done each Monday for grades submitted by faculty during the prior week.

\*\*During times noted GSU Closed - Prairie Place Residence will remain open for those students who have contracted to remain living on campus over the specific break/closure