



December 13, Thursday: Residence halls close at 10:00 a.m. for Winter Break. (December graduates contact RLSH).

December 15, Saturday: Official close of term and date for conferral of degrees. Graduation ceremony for December graduates.

December 25, Tuesday: University Holiday – Christmas

### **JANUARY INTER-TERM 2013**

January 1, Tuesday: University Holiday - New Year's

(Note: Some areas of instruction offer selected courses during the January Inter-term, December 19 – January 14.)

#### **JAN TERM IN PLANO**

January 7, Monday: First day of class.

January 8, Tuesday: Last day to declare/pass fail.

January 15, Tuesday: Last day to drop/withdraw from the university.

January 16, Wednesday: Last class including exam.

### **SPRING TERM 2013**

October 29-January 25, Monday-Friday: Enrollment Spring 2013 Continuing Students for all undergraduates and graduate Dedman and Meadows.

January - TBA: Academic Advising, Enrollment and Orientation (AARO) conferences for new first- year and transfer undergraduate students. Conference dates to be announced. Contact New Student Programs, Student Life Office, 214-768-4560, [www.smu.edu/newstudent](http://www.smu.edu/newstudent).

January 13, Sunday: Residence halls officially open at 9 a.m.

January 18, Friday: First day of classes.

January 21, Monday: University Holiday – Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday

January 25, Friday: Last day to enroll, add courses or drop courses without grade record or tuition billing. Last day to file for May graduation.

February 5, Tuesday: Last day to declare pass/fail, no credit or first- year repeated course grading options. Last day to request excused absence for observance of a religious holiday.

February 24, Sunday: Early Intervention grades due for first-year undergraduate students.

March 11-17, Saturday-Sunday: Spring Break.

March 26, Tuesday: Mid-Term grades due for first-year and sophomore students.

March 29, Friday: University Holiday – Good Friday.

March 31, Sunday: Easter Sunday

April 2, Tuesday: 60% point of term that federal financial aid has been earned if a student officially withdraws from SMU—prior to this date a partial calculated return to federal programs will be required.

April 8, Monday: Last day for continuing undergraduate students to change their majors before April enrollment.

April 8-26, Monday-Friday: Enrollment Summer 2013 and Fall 2013 Continuing Students for all undergraduates and graduate Dedman and Meadows.

April 10, Wednesday: Last day to drop a course.

April 12, Friday: Last Day for May graduation candidates to change grades of Incomplete.

April 15, Monday: Honors Day, 5:30 p.m.

April 16, Tuesday: Students should file for August or December graduation. Last day to file for August is June 6. Last day to file for December is the last day to enroll for Fall 2013.

April 26, Friday: Last day to withdraw from the University.

May 1-6, Wednesday-Monday: No final examinations or unscheduled tests and papers.

May 2, Thursday: Last day for oral/written examinations for graduate students who are May degree candidates.

May 6, Monday: Last day of instruction.

May 7, Tuesday: Reading Day.

May 8-14, Wednesday -Tuesday: Examinations (No examinations scheduled for Sunday).

May 15, Wednesday:

## FIRST SESSION

Classes meet two hours a day, Monday

Listing of religious holidays for use in requesting excused absences according to University Policy 1.9. For religious holidays not listed, the instructor or supervisor may contact the Office of the Chaplain.

## **Christian**

Christmas  
Palm Sunday

December 25, 2012

