

**St. John's College, Santa Fe**  
**2014-2015 Academic Calendar**

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August 2014

**Friday, August 1**

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**DEADLINE:** Student Accounts for FALL 2014 must be paid in full or TMS budgets arranged and verified with Treasurer's Office.  
**Failure to meet these deadlines triggers withdrawal from financial aid funding and enrollment rosters for Fall 14.**



**Tuesday, August 26**

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All ON-CAMPUS Housing opens - Food Service begins with dinner on Pond Placita

10am-5pm     **FRESHMAN Registration**     ESL Portal

[Separate Freshman Orientation Schedule from the Office of Residential Life provides full list of Freshman and Freshman Parent activities and meetings]

**Wednesday, August 27**

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9am-5pm     **REGISTRATION: SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS AND SENIORS**     ESL Portal

9am-9pm     **Freshman Orientation Activities**     [Separate Freshman Orientation Schedule from the Office of Residential Life provides full list of Freshman and Freshman Parent activities and meetings]

Afternoon     **Tutors' Meetings** [as scheduled by Dean's Office]

5:30pm     *Dean's Welcome Dinner* for Freshmen with tutors     Great Hall

**Thursday, August 28**

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10am     Convocation rehearsal     Weigle Placita

11am     **CONVOCATION** for Freshmen and first-term Graduate Institute students     Weigle Placita

12noon     Post-Convocation Luncheon – community and guests     Peterson Student Center

1pm     Faculty Meeting     Junior Common Room

1:30pm-5pm     **REGISTRATION: LATE UNDERGRADUATE ARRIVALS**     Weigle Hall  
 Students may not attend classes if Student Account Balance is not paid in full or if financial aid file is incomplete

7:30pm     **First meeting of ALL undergraduate seminars and *Meno* seminar for new Graduate Institute students**

**Friday, August 29**

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Free Day- no classes

9am-4pm     **REGISTRATION: Graduate Institute students, New and Continuing**     Levan Hall  
 Students may not attend classes if Student Account Balance is not paid in full or if financial aid file is incomplete

**Tuition Refund Insurance 'blue' form due to the Registrar's Office today**

9am-5pm     Tutors' Meetings [as scheduled by Dean's Office]

9am-4pm     **Freshman Orientation Continues** [Separate Freshman Orientation Schedule from the Office of Residential Life provides full list of Freshman activities and meetings]

7:30pm     **Opening Lecture**     Great Hall

**Saturday, August 30**

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8:30am     Pancake Breakfast for Campus Service Volunteers     Dining Hall

9:30am-12noon     On-Campus Service Project     Fishpond Placita

12noon-3pm     All College Barbeque Lunch followed by Bocce and Lawn Games     Athletic Field

**Monday, September 1      Labor Day**

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All Undergraduate tutorials and seminars and Graduate Institute classes meet as scheduled

Administrative offices CLOSED for Labor Day holiday, except

**BOOKSTORE Open****LIBRARY Open****ASSISTANT DEAN's Office Open****Student Activities Center Open****Monday, September 1**

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Week 1

Graduate Institute classes begin

**Tuesday, September 2**

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**Tuition Refund Insurance 'blue' form due to the Registrar's Office today****Wednesday, September 3**

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3-5p

Annual Community/Career Fair

Fishpond/Meem Placitas

**Friday, September 5**

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Last day to change Meal Plan

Treasurer's Office

5pm

**DEADLINE:** Ariel Internship Summer Reports due to Career Services by 5pm**Saturday, September 13**

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Week 2

2:30pm

Algebra Test [Required of all sophomores who have not yet passed;  
freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of freshman year.]

Dining Hall

**Wednesday, September 17**

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Week 3

*Priority Filing Date:* Spring 2015 New Graduate Institute Liberal Art student financial aid applications[[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)]

3:15pm

Faculty Meeting

**Friday, September 19 → Sunday, September 21**

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**Homecoming Weekend****Monday, September 29**

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Week 5

Graduate Institute Conferences begin for new GI Liberal Arts students

Read the weekly *Ephemer*,  
and access your @**sjc.edu** mailbox.

Check your voicemail notices,

Check <http://www.sjc.edu/events-and-programs/santa-fe/santafecalendar>

**Saturday, October 4**

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2:30p	Algebra Test [Required of all Sophomores who have not yet passed; Freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of Freshman year]	Dining Room
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**Thursday, October 9 → Saturday, October 11**

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**Week 6****Parents and Family Weekend**; Parents invited to attend Seminar and Friday Tutorials**Saturday, October 11**

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2:30 pm	Algebra Test [Required of all Sophomores who have not yet passed; Freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of Freshman year]	Dining Hall
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**Monday, October 13**

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**Week 7**

Seminar oral exams begin for GILA students  
GI Eastern Classic conferences begin

**Wednesday, October 15**

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7:30pm	<b>SEMINAR</b> (in lieu of Thursday, Oct 16)
5:00	<b>GILA</b> tutorials meet (in lieu of Thursday, Oct 16)

**Thursday, October 16 → Monday, October 20**

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**Week 7**

**LONG WEEKEND**—Undergraduate tutorials do not meet October 16, 17, and 20.  
GILA Tutorials moved to Wed., Oct. 15  
GIEC Preceptorials rescheduled at Tutors' discretion  
All seminars and GI classes meet as usual on Monday, October 20  
Dormitories and Dining Hall remain open over Long Weekend

**Thursday, October 16 → Saturday, October 18**

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*What is a Liberal Education For? A Conference on the Occasion of  
the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Santa Fe Campus*

**Monday, October 20**

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**Week 8**

All UNDG and GI seminars and GI classes meet as usual

**Thursday, October 23 → Saturday, October 25**

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Board Meeting (Annapolis)

**Monday, October 27**

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**Week 9**

12 noon	Junior and Senior seminar essays due <b>Preceptorials</b> begin for Juniors, Seniors, and GI Liberal Arts students.
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**Tuesday, October 28**

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GI Eastern Classics students begin second preceptorials.

**Wednesday, October 29**

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3:15pm	Junior and Senior seminar oral period begins Faculty Meeting
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**Saturday, November 1**

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DEADLINE: GI Liberal Arts and Eastern Classics student deposits due for Spring 2015 term

**Monday, November 3**

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Week 10

12 noon Freshman seminar essays due by noon

**Wednesday, November 5**

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Freshman seminar oral examinations begin.

**Monday, November 10**

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Week 11

Sophomore seminar essays due by noon

**Wednesday, November 12 → Tuesday, November 25**

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Sophomore seminar oral examinations begin

**Saturday, November 15**

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2:30 pm Algebra Test [Required of all Sophomores who have not yet passed;  
Freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of the Freshman year] Dining Hall**Monday, November 17**

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Week 12

GI Eastern Classics Seminar papers due

**Wednesday, November 19**

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**DEADLINE: Registration forms due for Spring 2015**

[This reserves a place in undergraduate classes and housing for SP 2015]

Office of the Registrar

**Freshman Don Rags begin** (among interstices of FF classes)

3:15pm Faculty Meeting Junior Common Room

**Monday, November 24 → Tuesday, November 25**

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Week 13

Freshman DON RAG DAYS; all UNDG classes in session unless the tutor is sitting in FR Don Rags

**Wednesday, November 26 → Sunday, November 30**

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**THANKSGIVING BREAK – no classes; all classes resume Monday morning, Dec 1**

Dormitories and Dining Hall remain open

Not too early to begin thinking  
of transfer to Annapolis.  
Transfer Forms available upon return from Winter Break.

**Monday, December 1****Week 14****DEADLINE:** Completion of Financial Aid/Loan file for Spring 2015 term.**DEADLINE:** Student Account for Spring 2015 must be paid in full or TMS budgeted, arranged and verified with Treasurer's Office**DEADLINE:** Student Health Insurance Waiver for Spring 2015 due in Treasurer's Office from January Freshmen, re-admitted students, and new Graduate Institute students.**Failure to meet these deadlines triggers withdrawal from financial aid funding and enrollment rosters for Spring 2015.**

All classes resume – tutorials and seminar for both UNDGs and GIs

**Monday, December 1 → Wednesday, December 3**

Freshman Don Rags continue (Monday-Friday, among interstices of classes)

**Wednesday, December 10**

Graduate Institute Satisfactory Grade Check for L4s

**Thursday, December 11 → Friday, December 12****Week 15**

Sophomore and Junior Don Rags may be scheduled during class intervals

**Saturday, December 13**

2:30pm	Final Algebra Test for all Sophomores who have not yet passed [Freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of Freshman year]	Dining Hall
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**Monday, December 15 → Thursday, December 18****Week 16**

All undergraduate tutorials are in session, unless the tutor indicates otherwise; seminars meet as regularly scheduled

Library Call-In Week**Tuesday, December 16****Week 16**

5:00 pm	Holiday Dinner	Dining Hall
7:00 pm	Collegium	Great Hall

**Wednesday, December 17****Week 16**

6:00 pm	GI Dinner for Graduating Students	Darkey Common Room
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**Thursday, December 18****Last day of term** -- Classes end with seminar or preceptorial as scheduled or as arranged by tutor.**All LIBRARY materials due by 10pm****Friday, December 19**

Breakfast	Food service ends with breakfast.
Noon	Dormitories close – all students, including those moving off-campus or not returning for Spring 2015 term, must vacate rooms by noon.

**Friday, December 19 → Sunday, January 18, 2015****WINTER BREAK**

# 2015

January 2015

## Friday, January 2

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Submission date of January Freshman missing or incomplete work from SU 2014 unless earlier date stipulated by tutor

## Wednesday, January 7

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**Undergraduate Fall 2014 grades due** (except for preceptorials)

## Monday, January 12

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**Undergraduate preceptorial grades due**

**ALL Fall 2014 Graduate Institute grades and comment sheets due (EC and LA)**

## Friday, January 16

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	January Freshmen arrive [see JF Orientation Schedule for all activities and meetings]	
9am –4pm	<b>REGISTRATION: January Freshmen, Readmitted Students</b>	Weigle Hall
	<b>New and Continuing GRADUATE Institute Students</b>	Levan Hall
9am	All dormitories open.	
	Coffee Shop opens for dinner.	
3pm	New Student Orientation (GI)	Darkey Common Room
5pm	<b>Meno seminar for new GI students</b> , followed by reception	Levan Hall

## Saturday, January 17

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Food Service begins with breakfast.

## Monday, January 19

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Spring Semester: **Week 1**

9am	<b>A continuing UNDG student with incomplete Spring registration must see the Registrar. Such students are notified by campus mail and email (@sjc.edu).</b>	
	Undergraduate and graduate classes meet as scheduled, <b>except Seniors and January Freshmen January Freshman</b> session begins with 7:30pm seminar; no JF tutorials on Monday.	
	<b>DEADLINE</b> for January Freshmen, ReAdmitted Students, all Graduate Institute Students - <b>TUITION Refund INSURANCE Waivers</b> Registrar's Office. The form requires a YES or a NO; if no form is returned by this date, student will be charged	
	<b>Senior Writing Period</b> —Jan. 19 through Feb. 14. <b>Senior seminar classes held</b> per special schedule	
6:15pm	<b>CONVOCATION</b> for January Freshmen and first-term graduate students	Great Hall

## Wednesday, January 21

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3:15pm	Faculty Meeting	Junior Common Room
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## Friday, January 23

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	Last day to change Meal Plan	Office of the Treasurer
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**Re-Locating to Annapolis?**

- *Transfer Application form and \$500 Advance Deposit by Monday, February 16*
  - *FAFSA and CSS (if applicable) submitted by March 1 deadline*

**Saturday, February 7**

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2:30pm Algebra Test [Fall and January FR are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of FR year] Dining Hall  
 Alumni /Student Ski Day

**Friday, February 13**

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Week 4

**FREE FRIDAY** – tutorials canceled

**Saturday, February 14**

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7pm-9pm **Dean's and President's Essay Reception for Seniors** Hunt House  
 9pm Senior essays due

**Monday, February 16**

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Week 5

All Senior tutorials and seminars resume  
**Senior Essay Committee Members claim Essays** Office of the Registrar  
 GI Conferences begin for new GI Liberal Arts students

**Thursday, February 19 → Saturday, February 21**

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BOARD MEETING (Annapolis)

**Friday, February 20**

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5pm Deadline for submission of Ariel Internship Career Services Office

**Monday, February 23**

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Week 6

Senior Essay Chairpersons deliver first-pass evaluation to the Registrar  
**DEADLINE: Undergraduate InterCampus Transfer forms and \$500 deposits**  
 due at the Office of the Registrar. No exceptions. For Transfer Applicants: **The MARCH 1**  
**Financial Aid date is also an all-important deadline in this process.**

**Wednesday, February 25**

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3:15 Faculty Meeting

**Sunday, March 1**

*ON-LINE* Financial Aid Applications **Priority Filing Due Date:**

**Undergraduate financial aid FAFSA and PROFILE/CSS (F1 students only) applications for 2015-2016 academic year**

*ON-LINE* Financial Aid Applications **Priority Filing Due Date: Graduate Institute student financial aid FAFSA applications for SUMMER 2015 Session.**

[[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov); [www.profileonline.collegeboard.com](http://www.profileonline.collegeboard.com)]

**Monday, March 2**

Week 7

**Senior essay oral examinations begin**

Ault-Evers Room, Meem Library

**GI Liberal Arts seminar oral examinations begin**

**Wednesday, March 4**

1:30-3:30pm Faculty Seminar Day (special events as scheduled); undergraduate tutorials canceled  
All GI classes meet as scheduled

**Saturday, March 7**

2:30 pm Algebra Test: Fall and January Freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of freshman year. Dining Hall

**Monday, March 9 → Friday, March 13**

Week 8

January Freshman Don Rags scheduled during class intervals

**Wednesday, March 11**

3:15 pm Faculty Meeting

**Friday, March 13**

**DEADLINE: GILA and GIEC RETURNING STUDENTS** advance deposits due for Summer 2015 term

**Saturday, March 14**

12 noon Food Service ends with breakfast  
All dormitories **and suites** close

**Saturday, March 14 → Sunday, March 29**

**SPRING BREAK** for all students; Administrative offices closed one day during Spring Break

**Wednesday, March 18**

*Priority Filing Date:* **Summer 2015 new Graduate Institute Liberal Arts student financial aid applications** [[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)]

**Monday, March 23**

Submission date for missing work that led to incomplete FA 2014 grade unless tutor stipulated an earlier date

**Saturday, March 28**

12noon Dormitories open

**Sunday, March 29**

10-11:30am Food Service begins with Brunch

**Monday, March 30**

Week 9

**All tutorials and seminars resume**

GILA preceptorials begin and continue through Thursday, May 21

**Grade-changing DEADLINE** for Fall 2014 grades



**Tuesday, March 31**

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GIEC students begin fourth preceptorials  
DEADLINE: GI Summer housing contracts due

**Tuesday, March 31 → Monday, April 6**

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Sophomore tutorials canceled for essay writing period

**Monday, April 6**

Week 10

12 noon Sophomore Enabling Essays due by noon or as otherwise announced by seminar tutors

**Wednesday, April 8 → Wednesday, April 29**

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Sophomore seminar orals begin

**Monday, April 13**

Week 11

DEADLINE: **Undergraduate Advance Deposits for Fall 2015**  
for continuing students -- Deposit holds a place in Fall class roster and allows participation in  
drawing for on-campus housing. **Treasurer's Office**

EC seminar essays due

**Deadline:** 2015-16 Housing Plans Forms due to Office of Residential Life

**Wednesday, April 15**

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3:15pm Faculty Meeting

**Thursday, April 16 → Monday, April 20**

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Freshman and Junior Writing Period; no Freshman and Junior tutorials (January Freshmen classes proceed as scheduled)

**Monday, April 20**

Week 12

Freshmen, Junior and January Freshmen essays due by noon; no morning FF and JR tutorials

**Wednesday, April 22 → Friday, May 1**

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January Freshmen seminar orals

**Wednesday, April 22 → Monday, May 11**

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Freshman and Junior seminar orals

**Monday, April 27 → Wednesday, April 29**

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Housing Lottery Room Selection in the Office of Residential Life

**Friday, May 1**

**Priority Filing Date** : New GILA/GIEC students' financial aid applications for Fall 2015 term  
[[www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)]

**Thursday, April 30 → Friday, May 1**

**Week 13**

Sophomore Enabling DON RAG DAYS  
[All tutors may hold classes if not scheduled for a don rag; please review schedule]

**Friday, May 1**

All Student Accounts for Spring 2015 must be paid in full

**Monday, May 4 → Wednesday, May 6**

**Week 14**

Sophomore Enabling Don Rags scheduled during class intervals

**Saturday, May 9**

2:30pm Algebra Test Dining Hall  
[Fall and January Freshmen are obliged to attempt the test once by the end of Freshman year.]

**Monday, May 11**

**Week 15**

Satisfactory grades' check due from senior year and graduate level tutors for undergraduate and graduate degree candidates. Office of the Registrar

**Wednesday, May 13**

12:10pm **Sophomore Enabling Faculty Meeting** Junior Common Room

**Friday, May 15 → Sunday, May 17**

Reality Weekend

**Saturday, May 16**

9am Final Faculty Meeting: Awarding of degrees

**Monday, May 18 → Thursday, May 21**

**Week 16**

All undergraduate tutorials are in session, unless the tutor indicates otherwise; seminars meet as regularly scheduled  
Library Call-In Week

**Tuesday, May 19**

6:00pm GI dinner for graduating students Location To Be Announced

**Wednesday, May 20**

Senior Dinner **Great Hall**

**Thursday, May 21**

Last day of spring term: Undergraduate Spring term ends with seminars.  
Last day of graduate classes  
All Library materials due by 10pm

**Friday, May 22**

Commencement related activities [Family activities begin on Friday mid-day]

**Friday, May 22 → Sunday, May 31**

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Early Summer Break for January Freshmen

**Saturday, May 23**

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10:30am

**COMMENCEMENT, Class of 2015**

Weigle Placita

**Sunday, May 24**

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12 noon

Food service ends with breakfast

All Dormitories, Suites and Apartments close. All areas must be vacated.

**Monday, May 25**

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10am

Administrative offices **closed** for Memorial Day

Seminar Reading List Review Faculty Meeting

Senior Common Room

# 2015 Summer Term

## Saturday, May 30

9am Dormitories open for January Freshmen  
Food service for January Freshmen begins with dinner

June 2015

## Monday, June 1

**DEADLINE:** Completion of Financial Aid/Loan file for the Summer 2015 term  
**DEADLINE:** Student Accounts for Summer 2015 must be paid in full or TMS budgets arranged and verified with the Treasurer's Office. **Failure to meet these deadlines trigger withdrawal from financial aid funding and from enrollment rosters for the upcoming term.**  
**DEADLINE:** Health insurance waivers due for summer 2015

## Monday, June 1

JF Week 1

ASSISTANT DEAN's OFFICE Open  
**January Freshman second term begins** with tutorials and seminars, as scheduled

## Tuesday, June 2

9am-11am & 1pm-3pm **REGISTRATION: January Freshmen**, during class intervals.  
Summer Enrollment is jeopardized if Financial Aid/ Loan file or Student Account is incomplete.  
**Failure to meet these registration requirements triggers withdrawal from financial aid funding and enrollment rosters.**

## Wednesday, June 3

Undergraduate Spring 2015 grades due  
**ALL Spring 2015 GI grades** and comment sheets due (LA and EC)

## Thursday, June 11 → Sunday, June 14

JF Week 2

Alumni Leadership Forum

## Saturday, June 13

12noon Dormitories open for GI students  
Food service begins with dinner  
2pm Graduate Institute Summer Faculty Meeting  
3pm Graduate Institute **CONVOCATION** Darkey Common Room, Levan Hall  
5p-6:30p New GI students' seminar on the *Meno*

## Monday, June 15

GI Week 1/JF Week 3

9am-4pm **REGISTRATION: All Graduate Institute Summer term students** **Levan Hall**  
**Tuition Refund Insurance 'blue' form due to the Registrar's Office today**  
Graduate Institute classes begin and meet, as scheduled

## Thursday, June 18

**DEADLINE: 2015-2016 Undergraduate housing contracts due in Housing Office.**

**Sunday, June 21 → Saturday, June 27 (tentative)**

GI Week 2/JF Week 4

Summer Academy I

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**Thursday, June 25 → Saturday, June 27**

Board Meeting (Santa Fe)

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**Sunday, June 28 → Saturday, July 4 (tentative)**

GI Week 3/JF Week 5

Summer Academy II

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July 2015

**Wednesday, July 1**

**DEADLINE: Returning Students LA and EC - deposits due for Fall 2015 term**

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**Friday, July 3**

Classes meet as scheduled

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**Sunday, July 5 → Saturday, July 11 (tentative)**

GI Week 4/JF Week 6

Summer Academy III

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**Sunday, July 12 → Saturday, July 18 (tentative)**

Summer Academy IV

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**Monday, July 13**

GI Week 5/JF Week 7

GILA conferences begin

Submission date of missing work from SP 2015 that led to incomplete grade unless earlier date was stipulated by tutor

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**Monday, July 20**

12noon

January Freshmen annual essays due by noon, or as otherwise announced by seminar tutors

GIEC and GILA seminar orals begin

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**Wednesday, July 22 → Friday, July 24**

GI Week 6/JF Week 8

January Freshmen seminar oral examinations begin

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**Friday, July 31**

Satisfactory grades' check for Graduate Institute degree candidates

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**Monday, July 27 → Friday, July 31**

GI Week 7/JF Week 9

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## Saturday, August 1

**DEADLINE:** Completion of Financial Aid/Loan file for FALL 2015 term

**DEADLINE:** Student Accounts for FALL 2015 must be paid in full or TMS budgets arranged and verified with Treasurer's Office. **Failure to meet these deadlines triggers withdrawal from financial aid funding and enrollment rosters for the upcoming term.**

## Monday, August 2 → Friday, August 7

**GI Week 8/JF Week 10**

**Library Call-In Week**

January Freshmen Don Rags scheduled during class intervals

## Monday, August 3

1pm Graduate Institute final Faculty Meeting: awarding of degrees

## Tuesday, August 4

6:00pm GI Graduates' dinner Location to be Announced

## Thursday, August 6

January Freshmen second term ends after seminar; January Freshmen late summer vacation begins  
Graduate Institute summer session ends after seminar.

## Friday, August 7

10am Graduate Institute **Commencement**

5pm **All library materials due**

## Saturday, August 8

12noon Food service ends with breakfast  
January Freshman and Graduate Institute dorms close

## Monday, August 17

**All JF and GI (LA and EC) grades and GI Comment Sheets due today**

## 2015-2016 Academic Year

## Tuesday, August 25

**Fall 2015 Freshman Registration**

## Wednesday, August 26

**Fall 2015 SO, JR, and SR Registration**

## Thursday, August 27

11am **Convocation** for Fall Freshmen and new graduate students

7:30pm First undergraduate seminars and *Meno* Seminar for new Graduate Students meet