



SOUTHWESTERN LAW SCHOOL

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR Traditional Program

FALL 2018

August 8 & 9, Wednesday & Thursday	2018 Fall Semester begins; First-Year Orientation and Evening First-Year First Week Curriculum begins
August 10, Friday	Day First-Year First Week Curriculum begins
August 15, Wednesday	Graduating Students Day
August 16, Thursday	Upper Division Classes begin; First-Year Full Curriculum begins
August 23, Thursday	Last Day to Add/Drop Classes
September 3, Monday	No classes – Labor Day
September 10, Monday	No classes – Rosh Hashanah
September 18, Tuesday	No Evening classes – Yom Kippur
September 19, Wednesday	No classes – Yom Kippur
November 15, Thursday	Last Day for Thursday Day and Evening Classes
November 16, Friday	Last Day for Friday Classes
November 17, Saturday	Last Day for Saturday Classes
November 20, Tuesday	Last Day for Tuesday Day Classes
November 21, Wednesday through November 24, Saturday	No classes – Thanksgiving Holiday
November 27, Tuesday	Last Day for Tuesday Evening Classes
November 29, Thursday	Wednesday Classes meet; Last Day for Wednesday Day and Evening Classes
December 3, Monday	Last Day for Monday Day and Evening Classes
December 4, Tuesday through December 8, Saturday	Reading Period
December 10, Monday	Final Exams begin
December 20, Thursday	Final Exams end; 2018 Fall Semester ends

SPRING 2019

January 7, Monday	2019 Spring Semester begins; First Day of Classes
January 14, Monday	Last Day to Add/Drop Classes
January 21, Monday	No classes – M.L. King Jr. Holiday
February 18, Monday	No classes – Presidents’ Day Holiday
February 19, Tuesday	Monday Day and Evening Classes meet; No Tuesday Classes
March 11, Monday through March 17, Sunday	Spring Break
April 17, Wednesday	Last Day for Wednesday Day and Evening Classes
April 18, Thursday	Last Day for Thursday Day and Evening Classes
April 19, Friday	Last Day for Friday classes
April 22, Monday	Last Day for Monday Day and Evening Classes
April 23, Tuesday	Last Day for Tuesday Day and Evening Classes
April 24, Wednesday through April 29, Monday	Reading Period
April 30, Tuesday	Final Exams begin
May 10, Friday	Final Exams end; 2019 Spring Semester ends
May 12, Sunday	Commencement

Please visit <https://www.swlaw.edu/curriculum/academic-calendar>
for the most current academic calendars.