




OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Item 7.1

PRESENT TO BOARD: JANUARY 24, 2018
TO: SOUTH FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES
FROM: THOMAS C. LEITZEL 
SUBJECT: 2018-2019 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Attached is the proposed 2018-2019 Academic Calendar. The proposed calendar has been reviewed by departments directly involved in providing student services, the Faculty Council, the Learning and Student Success Committee and the President's Council. The calendar has been coordinated to coincide as closely as possible with local school districts and meets the State required dates for beginning terms.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

Move to approve the 2018-2019 Academic Calendar as presented.

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2018-2019 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Classes for community education, workforce training, and selected certificate programs are ongoing. Adult Education classes are open-entry and are offered year-round. Please check our Web site at www.southflorida.edu or with a counselor/advisor for the most current offerings. Dual enrollment students check with a high school counselor for beginning and ending dates.

South Florida State College	Academic Dates and Deadlines		
	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Summer 2019
Regular Term (16 weeks)	Aug 17 - Dec 12	Jan 7 - May 6	May 8 - Aug 1
Priority date to apply for financial aid	Apr 15	Oct 15	Mar 15
Begin priority registration for students with over 40 hours	Mar 19	Oct 1	Oct 1
Begin registration for students with over 20 hours	Mar 26	Oct 8	Oct 8
Begin open registration	Apr 2	Oct 15	Oct 15
Priority date for SFSC Foundation Scholarships	Jun 15	Oct 15	Mar 15
Fee payment deadline	Aug 7*	Dec 5*	Apr 17*
Faculty return	Aug 13	Jan 3	-
CLASSES BEGIN	Aug 17	Jan 7	May 8
Registration Ends (Last Day to ADD a Class)***	Aug 21	Jan 8	May 9
Final day to drop classes with refund or change audit status	Aug 24	Jan 11	May 15
Priority date to apply for graduation	Oct 15	Mar 1	Jun 1
Last day to withdraw with a grade of W	Oct 23	Mar 25	Jun 28
Exam week**	Dec 6 - 12	Apr 30 - May 6	-
Last day of classes	Dec 12	May 6	Aug 1
Commencement	Dec 13	May 7	-
Grades due in Registrar's Office	Dec 13 (by Noon)	May 7 (by Noon)	Aug 2 (by Noon)
First Flex Session (8 weeks)	Aug 17 - Oct 12	Jan 7 - Mar 4	May 8 - Jun 19
Begin priority registration for students with over 40 hours	Mar 19	Oct 1	Oct 1
Begin registration for students with over 20 hours	Mar 26	Oct 8	Oct 8
Begin open registration	Apr 2	Oct 15	Oct 15
Fee payment deadline	Aug 7*	Dec 5*	Apr 17*
CLASSES BEGIN	Aug 17	Jan 7	May 8
Registration Ends (Last Day to ADD a Class)***	Aug 21	Jan 8	May 9
Final day to drop classes with refund or change audit status	Aug 24	Jan 11	May 15
Priority date to apply for graduation	Sept 20	Feb 1	Jun 1
Last day to withdraw with a grade of W	Sept 20	Feb 12	Jun 3
Exam week**	Oct 11 - 12	Mar 1 - 4	-
Last day of classes	Oct 12	Mar 4	Jun 19
Grades due in Registrar's Office	Oct 15 (by Noon)	Mar 5 (by Noon)	Jun 20 (by Noon)
Second Flex Session (8 weeks)	Oct 15 - Dec 12	Mar 5 - May 6	Jun 20 - Aug 1
Begin priority registration for students with over 40 hours	Mar 19	Oct 1	Oct 1
Begin registration for students with over 20 hours	Mar 26	Oct 8	Oct 8
Begin open registration	Apr 2	Oct 15	Oct 15
Fee payment deadline	Aug 7*	Dec 5*	Apr 17*
Priority date to apply for graduation	Oct 15	Mar 1	Jun 1
CLASSES BEGIN	Oct 15	Mar 5	Jun 20
Registration Ends (Last Day to ADD a Class)***	Oct 16	Mar 6	Jun 21
Final day to drop classes with refund or change audit status	Oct 19	Mar 19	Jun 27
Last day to withdraw with a grade of W	Nov 16	Apr 15	Jul 15
Exam week**	Dec 11 - 12	May 3 - 6	-
Last day of classes	Dec 12	May 6	Aug 1
Grades due in Registrar's Office	Dec 13 (by Noon)	May 7 (by Noon)	Aug 2 (by Noon)
Third Flex Session (13 weeks)	Sep 10 - Dec 12	Jan 28 - May 6	
Begin open registration	Aug 22	Jan 7	-
Fee payment deadline	Aug 27*	Jan 14*	-
CLASSES BEGIN	Sep 10	Jan 28	-
Registration Ends (Last Day to ADD a Class)***	Sep 11	Jan 29	-
Final day to drop classes with refund or change audit status	Sep 14	Feb 1	-
Priority date to apply for graduation	Oct 15	Mar 1	-
Last day to withdraw with a grade of W	Nov 2	Apr 1	-
Exam week**	Dec 11 - 12	May 3 - 6	-
Last day of classes	Dec 12	May 6	-
Grades due in Registrar's Office	Dec 13 (by Noon)	May 7 (by Noon)	-
Limited Services Available			
Convocation	Aug 13	-	-
Staff Development Day	-	Feb 15	-
Holidays			
No classes - college closed	Labor Day - Sept 3		Memorial Day - May 27
*All Fridays of Summer B (June 21, 28, July 5, 12, 19, 26, and Aug 2)	Thanksgiving - Nov 21-25	Martin Luther King - Jan 2	Independence Day - Jul 4
*Exceptions: Community Education, Workforce Training, and Adult Education	Winter Break - Dec 15-Jan 1	Spring Break - Mar 10-17	
* Fees due on day of registration after deadline date			
** Examination schedule for Arts and Sciences Division courses only. Please check course syllabi for all other divisions.			
***Add ends at midnight			