

IMPORTANT DATES FOR STUDENTS 2017-2018

Fall 2017

August 3, Thursday	Fall 2017 payment due.
August 19, Saturday	New transfer student check-in and orientation. Opening day for new students. New student check-in Dorsey Center 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
August 20, Sunday	Convocation
August 21-22, Monday- Tuesday	New Student Orientation
August 22, Tuesday	Opening day for returning students.
August 23, Wednesday	Returning Student Advising/Orientation. Opening Celebration.
August 24, Thursday	First Day of Classes. <u>Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.</u>
August 30, Wednesday	Last day to drop a half course (1st 7 week) without a “W”. Last day to add a half course (1st 7 week). Last day to add a <u>semester</u> course in Student Administrative Services (SAS). Courses that require special assistance/approval to register must be made in SAS. Last day to add and drop a semester course online. Paper form drop allowed through September 7th. Last day to elect audit option for a half course (1st 7 week) – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required. Last day for students to submit work to faculty sponsors for Summer 2017 internships, independent work or completed Intensive Course Abroad (ICA) (courses not having a Fall 2017 Post Course.)
August 31, Thursday	Internship learning agreements (ILA) for Fall I 2017 due in Career Development Office (CDO).
September 3, Sunday	No refund of room charges after this date if moving out of the Residence halls (100% refund prior to this date)
September 4, Monday	Labor Day (no classes)
September 7, Thursday	Last day to drop a <u>semester</u> course without a “W” - adviser’s signature required. Last day to elect audit option for a <u>semester</u> course already enrolled in – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required.

	<p>Last day to submit meal plan changes at www.goucher.edu/mealchange.</p> <p>Semester tuition, fees, room, and board charges are based on course load, room assignment, and meal plan selection as of this date. No reduction in tuition and fee charges for students who withdraw from a course after this date (excluding withdrawn students).</p>
September 15, Friday End of week 3	<p>Last day to withdraw from a half course (1st 7 week) with a “W” – adviser’s signature required.</p> <p>Last day to elect pass/no pass, or change a pass/no pass to a regular grade, for a half course (1st 7 week) – adviser’s signature required.</p>
September 29, Friday End of week 5	<p>Room assignments posted for courses giving exams at www.goucher.edu/x1993.xml.</p> <p>No refund of tuition and fees for semester withdrawals after this date.</p>
September 30, Saturday	<p>Final deadline to submit health insurance waiver.</p>
October 1, Sunday	<p>Last day to submit online Application for Degree for December 2017/January 2018 seniors graduating and expecting to participate in the May 2018 commencement ceremony.</p>
October 6-8, Friday-Sunday	<p>Family Weekend</p>
October 11, Wednesday	<p>Last day of 1st 7 week courses.</p>
October 12-15, Thursday-Sunday	<p>Fall Break, no classes.</p>
October 16, Monday	<p>First day of the 2nd 7 week courses. Instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required to add a 2nd 7 week course.</p>
October 20, Friday End of week 8	<p>Last day to drop a half course (2nd 7 week) without a “W” – adviser’s signature required.</p> <p>Last day to add a half course (2nd 7 week) – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required. Last day to elect audit option half course (2nd 7 week) – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required.</p>
	<p>Internship Learning Agreements (ILA’s) for Fall II 2017 due in Career Development Office (CDO)</p>
October 25, Wednesday	<p>Summer 2018 ICA application deadline.</p>
October 27, Friday End of week 9	<p>Deadline for second semester sophomores to declare their major form due in Associate Provost for Undergraduate Studies Office (Van Meter G24).</p>

Registration Guidebook for Spring 2018 is posted at www.goucher.edu/x1993.xml.

October 30, Monday	Registration begins for Goucher January 2018 Intersession courses.
October 30- November 10, Monday-Friday	Academic advising for Spring 2018 course selection.
November 3, Friday End of week 10	Last day to withdraw from <u>semester</u> courses with a “W” – adviser’s signature required. Last day to elect pass/no pass, or change from pass/no pass to regular grade, in a <u>semester</u> course – adviser’s signature required. Last day to withdraw from a half course (2nd 7 week) with “W” – adviser’s signature required. Last day to elect pass/no pass, or change from pass/no pass to regular grade, for a half course (2nd 7 week) – adviser’s signature required. Juniors must complete the Statement of Intent for Senior Thesis and submit it to the office of the Associate Provost on or before the last day of classes of the preceding semester in which senior thesis work formally begins. http://www.goucher.edu/Documents/Records/senior_thesis_guidelines.pdf
November 13-17, Monday-Friday	Online registration for Spring 2018 begins, depending on number of completed credits. Days and times are published in the Registration Guidebook at http://www.goucher.edu/office-of-the-registrar/courseexam-schedules .
November 21, Tuesday	Non-Goucher course approval form for January 2018 intersession courses due in Student Administrative Services office (SAS).
November 22, Wednesday	Residence halls close at noon.
November 22-26, Wednesday–Sunday	Thanksgiving Holiday (no classes)
November 26, Sunday	Residence halls open at 9:00 a.m.
November 27, Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m. Non-refundable \$500 enrollment deposit and \$100 housing deposit due in SAS for students returning for Spring 2018 who were not enrolled at Goucher Fall 2017. Housing deposit applies only to students residing on campus.
November 30, Thursday	Summer 2018 ICA deposit due in SAS.
December 8, Friday	Spring 2018 E-bill notification emailed to students and their authorized parties.

Last day of classes.

Deadline for Incomplete Grade requests for Fall 2017 courses. Due at 5pm in SAS.

Last day to submit work to faculty sponsors for Fall 2017 internships, independent work and extended incompletes.

Internship learning agreements (ILA's) for Winter 2018 due in Career Development Office (CDO)

December 9-11, Saturday–Monday

Reading Period

December 11, Monday

Capstone Day

December 12-15, Tuesday-Friday

Final Exams

December 15, Friday

Last day for students to initially register for Spring 2018 courses to avoid the \$100 late registration fee.

December 16, Saturday

Residence Halls close at 10:00am

INTERSESSION/J-TERM 2018

January 3-25, Wednesday-Thursday

Intersession/J-Term

January 3, Wednesday

Last day to drop J-term course.

January 9, Tuesday

Add/drop deadline for January Intersession courses. Instructor's and advisor's signatures required to add a course.

January 15, Monday

Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday (no classes).

January 16, Tuesday

Last day to withdraw from a winter internship and J-term courses with a "W" – adviser's signature required.

January 19, Friday

Work due to faculty for fall 2017 incompletes.

SPRING 2018

January 4, Thursday

Spring 2018 payment due.

January 27-28, Saturday-Sunday

January orientation program for incoming first year and transfer students.

January 27, Saturday

**Opening day for all students.
Residence halls open at 9:00 a.m.**

January 29, Monday

Class schedule adjustments/advising day

January 30, Tuesday

First Day of Classes. **Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.**

January 31, Wednesday

1098T forms for 2017 will be mailed by this date.

February 1, Thursday	Last day to submit <u>online</u> the Application for Degree for seniors expecting to graduate in either May or August 2018 and/or participate in the 2018 commencement ceremony held in May. After this date students with late submissions or changes must make them in writing to the SAS office.
February 2, Friday	Work due to faculty for winter 2018 incompletes.
February 5, Monday End of first week of classes	Last day to drop a half course (1st 7 week) without a “W”.
	Last day to add a half course (1st 7 week).
	Last day to add a <u>semester</u> course. Courses that require special assistance/approval to register must be made in SAS.
	Last day to drop a semester course online. (paper form drops allowed through Monday, February 12)
	Last day to elect audit option for a half course (1st 7 week) – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required.
	Internship learning agreements (ILA) for Spring I 2018 due in Career Development Office (CDO).
	Last day to submit work to faculty sponsors for Winter 2018 internship and independent work. Intensive course abroad (ICA) work due for courses that do not have a spring post-course.
	No refund of room charges after this date if moving out of Residence halls (100% refund prior to this date).
February 12, Monday End of Week 2	Last day to drop a <u>semester</u> course without a “W” in SAS office – adviser’s signature required.
	Last day to elect audit option for a <u>semester</u> course already enrolled in – instructor’s & adviser’s signatures required.
	Semester tuition, fees, room, and board charges are based on course load, room assignment, and meal plan selection as of this date. No reduction in tuition and fee charges for students who withdraw from a course after this date (excluding withdrawn students.)
	Last day to submit meal plan changes at www.goucher.edu/mealchange .
February 16, Friday End of week 3	Last day to withdraw from a half course (1st 7 weeks) with a “W” – adviser’s signature required.
	Last day to elect pass/no pass, or change from pass/no pass to a regular grade, for a half course (1st 7 weeks) – adviser’s signature required.

February 28, Wednesday	Final deadline for new spring students to submit health insurance waiver.
March 2, Friday	Room assignments posted for courses giving exams at www.goucher.edu/x1993.xml .
March 5, Sunday	No refund of tuition and fees for semester withdrawals after this date.
March 16, Friday	1st 7 week courses end.
March 17, Saturday	Residence halls close at 10:00 am.
March 17-25, Saturday-Sunday	Spring Break – no classes.
March 25, Sunday	Residence halls open at 9:00 a.m.
March 26, Monday	<u>Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.</u> 2nd 7 week courses begin.
March 30, Friday End of week 8	Last day to drop a half course (2nd 7 Week) without a “W” – adviser’s signature required. Last day to add a half course (2nd 7 Week) – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required. Last day to elect audit option half course (2nd 7 Week) – instructor’s and adviser’s signatures required. Internship Learning Agreements (ILA) for Spring II 2018 due in Career Development Office (CDO) Registration Guidebook for Fall 2018 posted on Goucher’s website http://www.goucher.edu/x1993.xml
April 2, Monday	Registration for Goucher Summer courses begins.
April 2-13, Monday-Friday	Academic advising for Fall 2018 course selection.
April 6, Friday End of Week 9	Deadline for second semester sophomores to declare their major form due in Associate Provost for Undergraduate Studies Office (Van Meter G24). Senior thesis plans due in Associate Provost for Undergraduate Studies Office (Van Meter G24).
April 13, Friday End of week 10	Last day to withdraw from a <u>semester</u> course with a “W” – adviser’s signature required. Last day to elect pass/no pass, or change pass/no pass to a regular grade, in a <u>semester</u> course. Adviser’s signature required.

Last day to withdraw from a half course (2nd 7 Week) with a “W” – adviser’s signature required.

Last day to elect pass/no pass, or change from a pass/no pass to a regular grade, for a half course (2nd 7 Week) – adviser’s signature required.

Juniors must complete the Statement of Intent for Senior Thesis and submit it to the office of the Associate Provost on or before the last day of classes of the preceding semester in which senior thesis work formally begins.
http://www.goucher.edu/Documents/Records/senior_thesis_guidelines.pdf

Get Into Goucher (GIG) Day. No classes that start after 12:00 p.m.

April 16-20, Monday-Friday

Online registration for Fall 2018 begins, depending on number of completed credits. Days and times are published in the Registration Guidebook on Goucher’s website:
<http://www.goucher.edu/registrar/course-information/>

May 11, Friday

Last day for students to submit work to faculty sponsors for spring 2018 internships.

Deadline for settlement of tuition account balance for graduating seniors.

May 14, Monday

Last day of classes.

Deadline for incomplete Grade requests for Spring 2018 courses. Due at 5pm in SAS.

May 15, Tuesday

Goucher Symposium Day/Spring Convocation

Last day for students to initially register for Fall 2018 courses to avoid the \$100 late registration fee.

May 16, Wednesday

Reading Day

May 17, Thursday

Final Exam Day 1

May 18, Friday

Final Exam Day 2

May 19-20, Saturday-Sunday

Reading Days

May 21, Monday

Final Exam Day 3

May 22, Tuesday

Final Exam Day 4

May 23, Wednesday

Residence Halls close for non-graduating students at 10:00am

May 24, Thursday

Baccalaureate

May 25, Friday	Commencement 10:30 a.m.
May 26, Saturday	Residence halls close for graduating seniors at noon.
June 1, Friday	Last day to submit registration for Summer 2018 independent work, field work, practicum, directed reading and research.

Summer 2018

June 8, Friday	Internship Learning Agreement (ILA) due in Career Development Office (CDO) for Summer I 2018 session.
June 29, Friday	Work due to faculty for spring 2018 incompletes.
July 13, Friday	Internship Learning Agreement (ILA) for Summer II 2018 session due in Career Development Office (CDO)
Within 1 week of Summer I & II start date	To drop a summer internship (Summer I or II), submit a drop form to the Registrar's Office no later than 1 week after the start of the internship.
Within 3 weeks of Summer I & II start date	To withdraw from a summer internship (Summer I or II) with a "W", submit a drop form to the Registrar's Office no later than 3 weeks after the start of the internship, or if the internship is less than 3 weeks in length, submit it before the end of the internship.

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