

**Bowie State University
Office of the Registrar
Academic Calendar
2017– 2018**

FALL SEMESTER 2017

August 28	First Day of Classes (Regular and 1 st Eight Week Session)
August 28- September 1	Late Registration
September 1	Last Day to Add/Drop, or Register for Class
September 4	Labor Day
September 13	Matriculation Convocation
September 14, 15	English Proficiency Examination 1 st Eight Week Session
September 22	Last Day to Withdraw 1 st Eight Week Courses
October 6	Last Day to Remove Spring 2017 Grades of “I”(Incomplete) Undergraduates Students
October 13	Last Day to Apply for December 2017 Graduation
October 14	Graduate Comprehensive Examination
October 16 – 20	Mid -Term Evaluation for Undergraduates
October 20	End of 1 st Eight Week Classes (Grades Due Within 72 Hours)
October 23	Second Eight Week Classes Begin
October 24	Mid Term Grades for Undergraduate Due by 5 p.m.
October 27	Last Day to Add Drop for 2 nd Eight Week Session
November 2,3,4	English Proficiency Examination 2 nd Eight Weeks
November 6-10	Advisement Week (Undergraduates)
November 13	Winter/Spring 2018 Registration Opens
November 17	Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day to Drop With Grade of “W”
November 17	Last Day to Withdraw or Audit 2 nd Eight Week Course
November 23 - 24	Thanksgiving Recess
November 27	Classes Resume
December 1-7	Final Exams for December Graduation Candidates
December 8	Grades for ALL December Graduation Candidates due by Noon
December 11	Last Day of Classes
December 11 - 14	Graduation Clearance
December 12	Reading Day
December 13 - 20	Fall 2017 Final Examinations for Non Graduating Students
December 14	2nd Eight Week Classes End
December 14	Commencement Rehearsal
December 14	Last Day to Change Fall 2016 Graduate Incomplete grades
December 15	December 2017 Graduation
December 22	Last Day to Submit Final Grades for Non Graduating Students
December 23	End of Semester

All dates are subject to change

WINTER SESSION 2018

January 2	University Reopens
January 2	Winter Session Classes Begin
January 2 & 3	Winter Session Late Registration
January 5	Last Day to W/D from Winter Session
January 15	Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday (No Classes)
January 22	Last Day of Winter Classes
January 25	Final Winter Grades Due by 5 p.m.

SPRING SEMESTER 2018

January 24	First Day of Classes (Regular and 1 st Eight Week Session)
January 24- 30	Late Registration
January 25	Final Winter Grades Due by 5 p.m.
January 30	Last Day to Add/Drop, or Register for Classes
February 7	Spring 2018 Convocation
February 8,9	English Proficiency Exam 1 st Eight Week Session
February 16	Last Day to Apply for May 2018 Graduation
February 16	Last Day to Withdraw 1 st 8 Week Courses
March 2	Last Day to Remove Fall 2017 Incomplete Grades For Undergraduates
March 10	Graduate Comprehensive Qualifying Examination
March 12 - 16	Mid-Term Evaluation for Undergraduates
	Mid- Term Grades posted 72 Hours After Examination
March 16	End of 1 st Eight Week Classes
March 19 - 23	Spring Break
March 26	Classes Resume
March 26	2 nd Eight Week Classes Begin
March 30	Last Day for Add/Drop for 2 nd Eight Week Session
April 5,6,7	English Proficiency Exam 2 nd Eight Week Session
April 9- 13	Advisement Week (Undergraduates)
April 11	Founder's Day
April 13	Last Day to Withdraw with (W) or Change From Credit to Audit
April 16	Summer/Fall 2018 Registration Begins
April 20	Last Day to Withdraw from 2 nd Eight Week Session
May 4 – 10	Final Exams for May 2018 Graduation Candidates
May 10	Last Day of Classes
May 11	Grades for Graduating Students Due by NOON.
May 11	Reading Day
May 14 - 18	Graduation Clearance
May 14-18	Final Exams for Continuing Students Grades Due Within 72 Hours
May 18	Graduation Rehearsal
May 18	End of 2nd Eight Week-Session
May 21	Commencement
May 22	Final Grades for Non-Graduating Students Due by 5:00 p.m.
May 23	End of Semester

SUMMER SESSION 2018

Session I	May 29 – June 29	5 week
Session II	July 2 – August 3	5 week
Session III	May 29 – August 3	10 week

May 29	Session I and III Classes Begin
June 1	Last Day to Drop/Add for Sessions I and III
June 8	Last Day to Withdraw from Session I
June 22	Last day to Apply for August Graduation
June 29	Session I Classes End
July 2	Session II Classes Begin
July 3	Session I Grades Due
July 4	4th of July Holiday Observed
July 6	Last Day to Drop/Add Session II
July 13	Last day to Withdraw from Sessions II and III
Aug 3	Session II and III Classes End
Aug 7	Session II and III Grades Due

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