



**FORT VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY**  
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**Fall 2017 Academic Calendar**

Session A - Fullterm - August 14, 2017 - December 4, 2017  
Session B - Mini-mester I - August 14, 2017 - October 3, 2017  
Session C - Mini-mester II - October 9, 2017 - December 4, 2017

June	
June 15	Deadline to apply for undergraduate admission & re-admission for Fall 2017
July	
July 1	Deadline to apply for graduate admission & re-admission for Fall 2017
July 1	"Priority Deadline" to apply for University Housing for Fall 2017
July 15	Deadline to apply for Fall 2017 graduation without a late fee (\$50 undergraduate, \$60 graduate)
July 16	Late fee assessed with Fall 2017 application for graduation fee, \$35
August	
August 4	Fee payment deadline for Sessions A & B - Courses dropped for non-payment of fees at 5pm
August 7	Institute (Faculty & Staff)
August 10	New Students Report
August 10	University Housing Opens for new student move in at 9:00a.m. <b>*New Students Only*</b>
August 10-13	Welcome to the Valley Week <b>*New Students Only*</b>
August 11	Returning/re-admit students report (students who previously attended and have been cleared to enroll)
August 11	University Housing Opens for returning/re-admit students, move in starts at 9:00a.m.
August 11	Meal plan starts at 12:00noon
August 12	Late registration payment deadline
August 14	<b>Classes start (Sessions A &amp; B)</b>
August 14	Last day for housing cancellations and meal plan changes
August 16	Last day for schedule changes (add/drop)
August 16	Fall 2017 courses dropped for non-payment of fees at 5pm
August 31	<b>Mid-term for Session B - all grades must be posted by 4:00p.m.</b>
September	
September 4	<b>Labor Day (University Closed)</b>
September 7	Last day to drop/withdraw without receiving a failing grade (Session B)
September 15	Last day to submit an Application for Graduation for Fall 2017 with a \$35 late fee
September 29	<b>Mid-term for Session A - all grades must be posted by 4:00p.m.</b>
October	
October 3	<b>Classes End (Session B)</b>
October 4	Final Exams (Session B)
October 4	University Housing closes for students enrolled in Session B ONLY
October 5	<b>Grades due in the Office of the Registrar by 4:00pm (Session B)</b>
October 6	<b>Last day to drop/withdraw without receiving a failing grade (Session A)</b>
October 6	<b>Last day to remove "I" Grades for Spring &amp; Summer 2017</b>
October 6	<b>Registration for Session C- must pay for additional hours if registered for Sessions A &amp; B</b>
October 6	University Housing opens for students enrolled in Session C ONLY
October 9	<b>Classes Start (Session C)</b>
October 10	Schedule change deadline (adds) Session C
Oct 18-Nov 30	Early registration for Spring & Summer 2018 opens for ALL currently enrolled students
October 25	<b>Mid-term for Session C - all grades must be posted by 4:00p.m.</b>
November	
November 1	Deadline to drop/withdraw without receiving a failing grade (Session C)
November 2	Founder's Day Observance
November 15	<b>Deadline to apply for Spring 2018 graduation without a late fee (\$50 undergraduate, \$60 graduate)</b>
November 18	Fall Break, University Housing closes at 12:00noon
November 20-22	Fall Break, no classes (Faculty & Students)
Nov 23 & 24	<b>Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)</b>
November 26	University Housing opens at 8:00a.m.
November 27	Classes resume from Fall Break & Thanksgiving Holiday
Nov 29 & 30	Early exams for Candidates for Graduation, Fall 2017
December	
December 1	Grades due for Candidates for Graduation for Fall 2017 by 12:00noon
December 4	<b>Classes End (Sessions A &amp; C)</b>
December 5	Reading Day
December 6, 7 & 8	Final Exams (Sessions A & C)
December 8	Last day to check out & return books for the semester (Sessions A & C)
December 9	<b>Fall Commencement at 9:30a.m., HPE Complex</b>
December 9	University Housing closes at 12 noon & meal plans end for breakfast & lunch (Sessions A & C)
December 9	University Housing closes for Candidates for Fall 2017 at 6:00p.m.
December 11	<b>Grades due in the Office of the Registrar by 12:00noon (Sessions A&amp;C)</b>