

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS WORCESTER
 Graduate School of Nursing
 Academic Calendar
2015-2016

*Subject to change

AUGUST 2015	
17	Classes begin for GEP 1
24	Classes begin for all Masters Students (GEP 2, GEP 3, TM1, TM2, PMO, PMC, BS to PhD year 1

SEPTEMBER 2015	
7	Labor Day
8	Fall Semester begins for PM->DNP, GEP ->DNP 4, BSN->DNP3 and PhD Students
8	Beginning of Continuing Education Classes

OCTOBER 2015	
12	Holiday – Columbus Day
10/12-10/16	Advising weeks: Registration open for Spring semester
19-30	Clerkship for PMOs, GEP 2, GEP->DNP2, and BS->PhD (year 1 students) ; classes suspended, except for CE PM classes and DNP and PhD classes
19-23	Fall break for Traditional 1 & 2, GEP 3, GEP->DNP 3 (class of 2017), BSN->DNP 2 (class of 2017) and PMC students only
26	Traditional 1 & 2, GEP 3, GEP->DNP 3, BSN->DNP 2, and PMC students resume classes

NOVEMBER 2015	
2	Classes resume for PMOs, GEP 2, GEP->DNP2, and BS->PhD (Year 1 students)
11	Holiday – Veterans Day: No classes are held
26-27	Holiday - Thanksgiving Recess

DECEMBER 2015	
15	Fall Semester ends for PhD Program
18	Fall Semester ends for all other students
30	Grades Due

JANUARY 2016	
4	Spring Semester Begins - GEP I
11	Spring Semester begins – TM1, TM2, GEP2, GEP3, and PMC students
18	Holiday - Martin Luther King Day
19	Spring Semester begins - PM->DNP, GEP->DNP 4, BSN->DNP3 and PhD Students

FEBRUARY 2016	
15	Holiday – President’s Day

MARCH 2016	
7-11	Spring Recess – GEP I, GEP →DNP 1 students
14-18	Spring Recess - all other programs
14	Classes resume for GEP I, GEP →DNP 1 students
21	Classes resume in all programs
21-April 1	Advising weeks

APRIL 2016	
18	Holiday – Patriot’s Day

MAY 2016	
6	Spring Semester ends for all programs, other than GEP 1
13	Spring Semester ends for GEP 1
16	Spring Semester grades due for GEP2, GEP3, TM1, TM2, DNP, PhD
16	Summer Semester begins (GEP 2, TM1, DNP, PhD)*
24	Spring Semester grades due for GEP 1
30	Holiday - Memorial Day
31	Summer semester begins for GEP 1

JUNE 2016	
5	Commencement
13	Orientation/Registration for new incoming students

JULY 2016	
4	Holiday – Independence Day
29	Summer Session ends

AUGUST 2015	
5	All summer grades are due

*A student can drop a class without penalty within 10 days of the start date of the particular class.