

**THE SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES AND RESEARCH  
THE 2003-2004 CALENDAR**

**FALL SEMESTER 2003**

July 1	Priority deadline for applications for Admission to the Graduate School for Fall 2003
August 11-12	Faculty Institute
August 13	Advisement and Registration for New Students
August 13	Graduate Student Orientation
August 14-15	Registration (“Tigers” or Web – see Class Schedule for details)
August 18	Classes begin
August 18-19	Late Registration/Schedule Adjustment
September 1	Holiday --- Labor Day
September 9	Graduate Council Meeting
September 13 & 20	DOCTORAL EXAMINATIONS
September 30	Last day to file Application for M.Ed., M.P.A., and M.S. Comprehensive Examinations for students graduating in Spring 2004
September 30	Applications due in major department for students completing undergraduate and graduate degree requirements in Spring 2004
October 6-11	Mid-Term Examinations
October 14	Graduate Council Meeting
October 16-18	Fall Break
October 24	Last Day to withdraw from courses --- Office of Records
	Last Day to withdraw from University --- University Counseling Center
October 24	Last Day to sign in Theses & Dissertations in Graduate School Office, for December 2003 Graduation
October 24	M.P.A. COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION
October 25	M.Ed. and M.S. COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATIONS
November 1	Priority deadline for applications for admission to the Graduate School for Spring 2004
November 7	Last Day to file for Doctoral Examinations for January 2004
November 7	Last Day to Defend Theses/Doctoral Dissertations
November 11	Graduate Council Meeting
November 21	Last Day to deposit Theses/Dissertations with Graduate School
November 27-28	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 1	Complete Applications due for Doctoral Programs in Psychology for Fall 2004 Admission
December 5	Last Day of Classes
December 6-12	Final Examinations for Fall 2003
December 13	Fall Commencement
December 16	Faculty must have posted all grades via “myTSU”

## SPRING SEMESTER 2004

January 2	University Re-Opens 8:00 a.m.
January 5	Faculty Institute
January 8-9	Registration (“Tigers” or Web – see Class Schedule for details)
January 12	Classes Begin
January 12-13	Late Registration/Schedule Adjustment
January 10 & 17	DOCTORAL EXAMINATIONS
January 13	Graduate Council Meeting
January 19	Holiday --- Martin Luther King Day
February 6	Last Day to file Application for M.P.A., M.Ed., & M.S. Comprehensive Examination in Summer 2004
February 6	Applications due in major departments for students completing undergraduate and graduate requirements in Summer 2004
February 10	Graduate Council Meeting
February 15	Complete Applications due for Doctoral Programs in Administration and Supervision
March 1-6	Mid-Term Examinations
March 9	Graduate Council Meeting
March 12	Last day to withdraw from courses --- Office of Records Last day to withdraw from University --- University Counseling Center
March 12	M.P.A. COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION
March 13	M.Ed. and M.S. COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATIONS
March 15	Complete Applications due for Master’s Program in Nursing; Speech and Hearing Science; Doctoral Program in Biological Sciences
March 22	Last Day to sign in Theses/Dissertations in Graduate School Office for May graduation
March 22-27	Spring Break
April 1	Priority deadline for applications for admission to the Graduate School for Summer 2004
April 5	Last day to defend Theses/Dissertation
April 9	Holiday --- Good Friday
April 13	Graduate Council Meeting
April 16	Last Day to file Application for M.P.A., M.Ed., & M.S. Comprehensive Examination in Fall 2004
April 16	Applications due in major department for students completing undergraduate and graduate degree requirements in December 2004
April 19	Last day to deposit Theses/Dissertations with Graduate School
May 4	Last day of classes
May 5-11	Final Examinations for Spring 2004
May 15	Spring Commencement
May 17	Faculty must have posted all grades via “myTSU”

## SUMMER SESSIONS 2004

(Summer School Dates are Subject to Change)

June 1 -- July 2	Summer I
June 1 -- August 5	Full Term
July 6 -- August 5	Summer II
August 7	Commencement

### SUMMER SCHEDULE & DEADLINES

June 12 & 19	DOCTORAL EXAMINATIONS
June 22	Last day to sign in Theses/Dissertations in Graduate School Office for August Graduation
June 25	M.P.A. Comprehensive Examination
June 26	M.Ed. and M. S. Comprehensive Examinations
July 6	Last day to defend Theses/Dissertations
July 20	Last day to deposit Theses/Dissertations in the Graduate School
July 26	Last day to file for doctoral examinations in September

### SUMMER I

May 27-28	Registration, All Summer Sessions (“Tigers” or Web – see Class Schedule for details)
May 31	Holiday – Memorial Day
June 1	Classes Begin
June 1	Late Registration/ Schedule Adjustment
June 11	Last day to withdraw from courses --- Office of Records
	Last day to withdraw from University --- University Counseling Center
July 1	Priority deadline for applications for admission to the Graduate School for Fall 2003
July 2	Last Day of Classes
July 2	Final Examinations
July 5	Holiday – Independence Day
July 7	Faculty must have posted all grades via “myTSU”

### SUMMER II

May 27-28	Registration, All Summer Sessions (“Tigers” or Web – see Class Schedule for details)
July 6	Classes Begin
July 6	Late Registration/Schedule Adjustment
July 16	Last day to withdraw from courses --- Office of Records
	Last day to withdraw from the University --- University Counseling Center
August 5	Last day of classes
August 5	Final Examinations
August 7	Summer Commencement
August 11	Faculty must have posted all grades via “myTSU”

### FULL SUMMER SESSION

May 27-28	Registration, All Summer Sessions (“Tigers” or Web – see Class Schedule for details)
May 31	Holiday – Memorial Day
June 1	Classes Begin
June 1	Late Registration/Schedule Adjustment
July 1	Priority deadline for applications for admission to the Graduate School for Fall 2004
July 2	Last day to withdraw from courses --- Office of Records
	Last day to withdraw from the university --- University Counseling Center
July 5	Holiday --- Independence Day
August 5	Last Day of Classes
August 5	Final Examinations
August 7	Summer Commencement
August 11	Faculty must have posted all grades via “myTSU”

