



FALL 2023 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

August 28- December 15, 2023	
March 28 – September 30	Submit Graduation Application for Fall Commencement
April 15	Registration Opens for Fall 2023
April 15	ADD/DROP Period BEGINS – Fall 2023 Semester
April 15	Additional Credit Unit Load Process Open for the Fall Semester
July 18-July 20	UMES New Hawk Day
July 25-July 27	UMES New Hawk Day
August 4-5	UMES New Hawk Day- Local/Transfer/ Non-Traditional Adult Learners
August 11*	1st DROP date for Non-Payment of Fees Process –12:00 p.m.
August 21	Permission for Non-UMES Study Deadline for Fall 2023
August 20	Residence <u>Halls Open</u> : All New Students
August 20–August 25	<u>New Hawk Week</u>
August 23	New Hawk Day
August 24 - August 27	Residence Halls Open: Returning Students
August 28	First Day of Class
September 1	Additional Credit Unit Deadline for Fall 2023
September 4	Labor Day Holiday – University Closed
September 6	ADD/DROP Period ENDS at 5:00 p. m.
September 7	2nd DROP date for Non-Payment of Fees at 8:00am
September 7	Withdrawal Period begins (Receive a “W” grade)
October 12	Career Fair
October 13	Deadline for Fall 2023 Graduation Applications
October 16-20	Mid-Term Exams
October 23	Mid-Term Grades Posted in HawkWeb with a copy to the Department Chairperson by 4:00 p.m.
October 23	Academic Advising Period Begins
October 25	Permission for Non-UMES Study Process BEGINS for Winter and Spring Semester
October 25	Additional Credit Unit Load Process BEGINS for the Spring Semester
October 30	Registration Opens for Winter and Spring 2024
November 13 - December 8	Student Evaluation of Instructor
November 17	Supplemental Grade Reports – Spring and Summer 2023 Semester – Letter Grade Changes
November 23-24	Thanksgiving Break - University Closed
December 1 –March 15	Application for Degree Process – Spring Commencement – May 2024
December 1	Last day to WITHDRAW from a course (s) with grade of “W”)
December 1	Last day to WITHDRAW from the University (All Classes withdrawn with a “W” grade)
December 4-8	Final Exam for 1 credit courses on their last day of class
December 8	Incomplete Grade Contracts due at 5:00 p.m.
December 8	Last Day of Class
December 8	Final Exams – Special Testing
December 8-14	Final Exam Week



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December 15	End of Semester
December 16	COMMENCEMENT
December 19	ALL Grades MUST Posted to HawkWeb with Copy to Department Chair by 12:00 p.m.

***ALL Students are to complete the Payment Confirmation process every semester.**

FALL 2023	PHARMACY PROGRAM*
May 15	Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experiences (APPEs) begin (SP-3)
July 10-December 15	Fall 2023 session (SP-1 and SP-2)
July 10	First Day of Classes (SP-1 and SP-2)
July 21	Deadline for SP-1/SP-2 required classes add/drop
October 6	Deadline for APPE and elective classes add/drop
December 15	Final Day of Classes/Term
December 16	Fall Commencement
December 19	Final Grades Due (Faculty) in HawkWeb

*(Refer to [PharmD Program webpage](#) for more program details, the calendar and deadlines)

Online Programs Schedule Fall 2023

FALL 2023	ONLINE PROGRAMS PROGRAM*
August 28 - October 19	Session I
August 28 - August 31	Add/Drop period
September 1 - October 5	(Withdrawal period and receive a W)
October 23	Final Grades Due (Faculty) in HawkWeb - Session I
October 23 - December 14	Session II
October 23 - October 26	Add/Drop period
October 27 - November 30	(Withdrawal period and receive a W)
December 19	Final Grades Due (Faculty) in HawkWeb - Session II