

*These are general guidelines in terms of the timing and length of the semester. Start and stop dates are continually evaluated within the context of operational readiness field exercises. This means that dates may change as needed – they are not written in stone.*

Academic Year	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008
	Summer 2005	Summer 2006	Summer 2007
MSN New Student Orientation	1-3 June	31 May- 2June	30 May-1 June
Summer Term Begins	6 June	5 June	4 June
Holiday-July 4 <sup>th</sup>	Monday, 4 July	Tuesday, 4 July	Wed., 4 July
Summer Finals/ Term Ends	2-5 August	31 July- 4 August	30 July- 3 August
Summer Book Turn-In	5 August	4 August	3 August
GSN Faculty Retreat 1	3-4 August	2-3 August	1-2 August
	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007
PhD New Student Orientation	18-19 August	17-18 August	16-17 August
Fall Term Starts	22 August	21 August	20 August
Holiday-Labor Day	5 September	4 September	3 September
Holiday-Columbus Day	10 October	9 October	8 October
Holiday-Veterans Day Observed	Friday, 11 November	Observed Friday, 10 November	Monday, 12 November
Holiday-Thanksgiving	24 November	23 November	22 November
Nurse Anesthesia Graduation	2 December	1 December	7 December
Study Days	5-6 December	4-5 December	3-4 December
Fall Finals	7-9 December	6-8 December	5-7 December
Fall Book Turn-in	9 December	8 December	7 December
GSN Faculty Retreat 2	5-6 December	4-5 December	3-4 December
Holiday - Christmas Observed	Monday, 26 December	Monday, 25 December	Tuesday, 25 December
	Spring 2006	Spring 2007	Spring 2008
Holiday-New Years Eve Observed	Monday, January 2	Monday, 1 January	Tuesday, 1 January
Specialty Week #1 (Med Pharm, ACLS, PALS, BCLS)	3-6 January	2-5 January	2-4 January
Spring Term Starts	9 January	8 January	7 January
Holiday-MLK	16 January	15 January	21 January
Holiday-Presidents Day	20 February	19 February	18 February
Spring Break	18-26 March	17-25 March	15-23 March
Antietam Road March	27 April	26 April	1 May
Study Days	1-2 May	30 Apr – 1 May	28-29 Apr
Spring Finals	3-5 May	2-4 May	30 Apr – 2 May
Spring Book Turn-in	5 May	4 May	2 May
GSN Faculty Retreat 3	1-2 May	30 Apr – 1 May	28-29 Apr
Specialty Week #2	8-12 May	7-11 May	5-9 May
Research Week/RNA Phase II Students return	15-19 May	14-18 May	12-16 May
Graduation	20 May	19 May	17 May
Holiday-Memorial Day	29 May	28 May	26 May