

April 30, 2018

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Chancellor's Cabinet  
Full Council of Deans and Directors

**FROM:** Victoria Hillwig  
Executive Assistant to the Provost

**RE:** **Fall 2019 & Spring 2020 Academic Calendar**

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Please be advised that the academic calendar for Fall 2019 & Spring 2020 is in coordination with the UA Common Calendars dates set by UA Statewide. Please note the addition of fall commencement to be held in fall semester on the Sunday ending final exam week. If you have any questions or concerns pertaining to the academic calendar, please feel free to contact me at x66741. Thank you.

**Fall 2019**

Fall faculty contracts begin	August 11, 2019
Instruction begins	August 26
Labor Day Holiday – No Class	September 2
Midterm Grades Due	September 30- October 18
Last day for student – and faculty – initiated withdrawals	November 1
Non-teaching day– No Classes	November 27
Thanksgiving Holiday	November 28 – December 1
Last day of instruction	December 7
Fall semester finals	December 9 - 14
Graduate hooding ceremony	December 14
Fall Commencement	December 15
Grades Due	December 18
Christmas Holidays (University Closure)	December 24 & 25
Winter Break (University Closure)	December 26, 27, 30
New Year's (University Closure)	December 31 & January 1

**Spring 2020**

Instruction begins	January 13, 2020
Alaska Civil Rights Day and Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No Class Day	January 20
Midterm Grades Due	February 17- March 6
*Spring break week – No Class Days	March 9 - 13
University Holiday- Spring Break	March 13
Last day for student – and faculty – initiated withdrawals	March 27
Last day of instruction	April 27
Spring semester finals	April 28 – May 2
Graduate hooding ceremony	May 2
Spring Commencement	May 3
Grades Due	May 6
Faculty contracts end	May 9

cc: Administrative Services Senior Executive Team (ASSET)  
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