

## ACADEMIC YEAR

The academic year, which begins in August, is divided into two sixteen-week semester terms and a six-week summer session. (Financial aid defines the academic year as at least 30 weeks of instructional time in which full-time students are expected to complete at least 24 semester credits.)

## Fall 2018

August 6	Fall Semester Begins
August 7-8	Summit
August 9-10	New Student Orientation
August 13-14	Faculty Workshops
August 15-17	Regular Registration
<b>August 20</b>	<b>First Day of Instruction/Course Syllabi Due to IC</b>
<b>August 22</b>	<b>Last Day to Add/Drop Courses</b>
August 23	Class Lists Verified by Instructors
September 17	Early Warning Deficiency Reports Due from Instructors
October 1	Holiday – Chuuk State Constitution Day
Oct. 8-9	Mid-term Evaluations
October 12	Mid-term Grades Due from Instructors
October 24	Holiday - United Nations Day
<b>October 26</b>	<b>Last Day to Withdraw with “W”</b>
<b>October 20</b>	<b>Entrance Testing at Chuuk State Campus</b>
<b>October 31</b>	<b>Deadline for Applications for Spring 2019 Graduation</b>
November 5-9	Early Registration for Spring 2019
November 2	Holiday - FSM Independence Day (observed)
November 12	Holiday - Veterans Day (observed)
November 22	Holiday - Thanksgiving
<b>Dec. 3 – 10</b>	<b>Final Exam Preparation Week</b>
<b>December 10</b>	<b>Last Day of Instruction</b>
Dec. 11, 12 & 13	Final Exams
December 14	Deadline for Final Grades from Instructors
December 19	Commencement Exercises/Fall Semester Ends

## Reminders

November 15, 2018	Deadline for 2019 Spring Semester Application
January 7, 2019	2019 Spring Semester Begins
January 7, 2019	Deadline for 2019 Spring Semester Readmissions
May 31, 2019	Deadline for 2019 Summer Readmissions

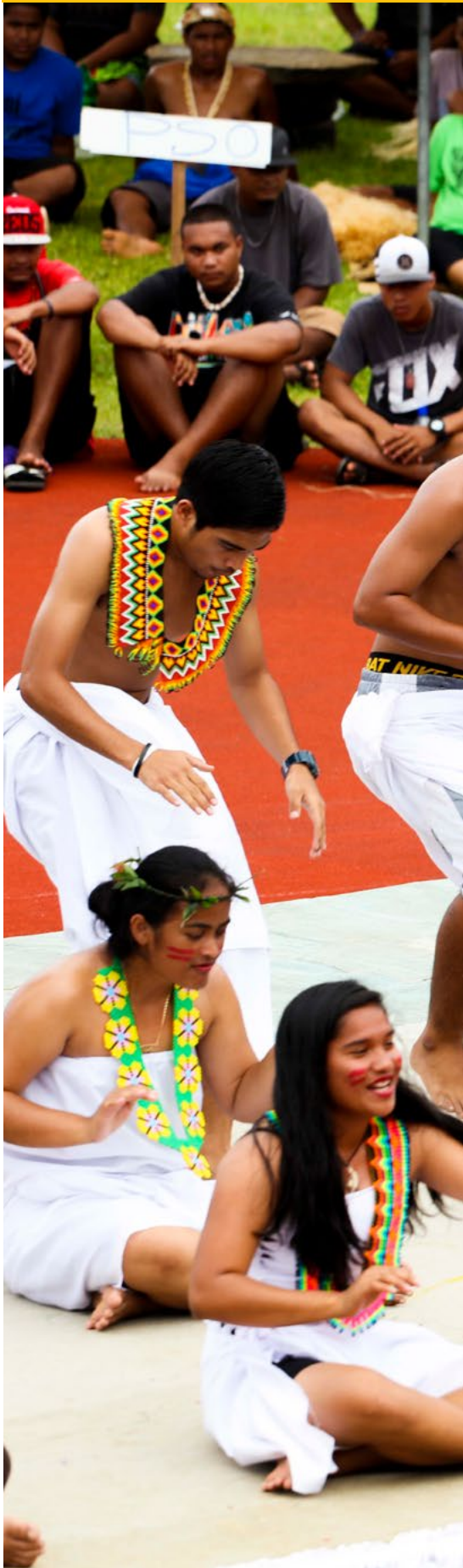


**Spring 2019**

January 7	Spring Semester Begins
January 7-8	Faculty Workshops
January 9-11	Registration
<b>January 14</b>	<b>First Day of Instruction/Course Syllabi Due to IC</b>
<b>January 16</b>	<b>Last Day to Add/Drop Courses</b>
January 17	Class Lists Verified by Instructors
January 30-Feb. 5	Entrance Testing at Chuuk State Campuses/High Schools
February 11	Early Warning Deficiency Reports Due from Instructors
March 4-5	Mid-term Evaluations
March 8	Mid-Term Grades Due from Instructors
March 18-22	Early Registration for Summer 2019
<b>March 20</b>	<b>Deadline for Applications for Fall 2019 Graduation</b>
<b>March 22</b>	<b>Last Day to Withdraw With "W"</b>
March 28	Faculty Professional Development Day
March 29	Holiday - Cultural Day (observed)
April 1	COM-FSM Founding Day (observed)
April 17-19	Easter Recess for students
April 19	Holiday - Good Friday
April 22	College Fair & Career Exhibitions
<b>May 6 - 8</b>	<b>Final Exam Preparation Week</b>
<b>May 8</b>	<b>Last Day of Instruction</b>
May 10	Holiday – FSM Constitution Day
May 13, 14 & 15	Final Exams
May 17	Deadline for Final Grades from Instructors
May 22	Commencement Exercises/Spring Semester Ends







**Summer 2019**

- June 6-7 Registration
- June 7 Faculty Summer Contracts Begin
- June 7 Faculty Meeting
- June 10 First Day of Instruction/Course Syllabi Due to IC**
- June 11 Last Day to Add/Drop Courses**
- June 12 Class Lists Verified by Instructors
- June 24 Early Warning Deficiency Report Due from Instructors
- July 1-2 Mid-term Evaluations
- July 8-12 Early Registration for Fall 2019
- July 4 Mid-term Grades Due from Instructors
- July 5 Mid-term Break (no school)
- July 12 Last Day to Withdraw with "W"**
- July 23 Last Day of Instructions**
- July 24-25 Final Exams

**Fall 2019**

- August 5 Fall Semester Begins
- August 6-7 Summit
- August 8-9 New Student Orientation
- August 12-13 Faculty Workshops
- August 14-16 Regular Registration
- August 19 First Day of Instruction/Course Syllabi Due to IC
- August 21 Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
- August 22 Class Lists Verified by Instructors
- September 16 Early Warning Deficiency Reports Due from Instructors
- October 1 Holiday – Chuuk State Constitution Day
- Oct. 7-8 Mid-term Evaluations
- October 11 Mid-term Grades Due from Instructors
- October 24 Holiday - United Nations Day
- October 25 Last Day to Withdraw with "W"
- October 19 Entrance Testing at Chuuk State Campus
- October 31 Deadline for Applications for Spring 2020 Graduation
- November 4 Holiday – FSM Independence Day (Observed)
- November 4-8 Early Registration for Spring 2020
- November 11 Holiday - Veterans Day
- November 28 Holiday - Thanksgiving
- Dec. 3 – 10 Final Exam Preparation Week
- December 6 Last Day of Instruction
- Dec.9-10 Final Exams
- December 13 Deadline for Final Grades from Instructors
- December 20 Commencement Exercises/Fall Semester Ends