**UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE**

**OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY REGISTRAR**

**NOTES ON PROPOSED 2016-17 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

**Week off @ Thanksgiving**

**FALL SEMESTER, 2016**

* 68 days of instruction;
* 41 MWF, 27 TR;
* Residence halls open on Saturday, August 27, 2016;
* 1743 Welcome Days, Sunday, August 28 thru Monday, August 29, 2016;
* Academic Orientations, Monday, August 29, 2016;
* Classes begin on Tuesday, August 30, 2016 at 8:00 a.m.;
* Labor Day, Monday, September 5, 2016; classes suspended;
* Election Day, Tuesday, November 8, 2016; classes suspended;
* Fall Break, Monday, November 21 thru Friday, November 25, 2016; classes suspended;
* Reading Days scheduled Tuesday, December 13, Saturday, December 17 & Sunday, December 18, 2016;
* Six day final examination period; Wednesday, December 14 thru Wednesday, December 21, 2016;

**WINTER SESSION, 2017**

* 23 days of instruction
* 13 MWF, 10 TR;
* Move-in on Monday, January 2, 2017 due to New Year’s Day falling on Sunday;
* Classes begin on Tuesday, January 3, 2017 at 8:00 a.m.;
* Martin Luther King Holiday observed Monday, January 16, 2017; classes suspended;

**SPRING SEMESTER, 2017**

* 67 days of instruction;
* 40 MWF, 27 TR;
* Residence halls re-open on Sunday, February 5, 2017;
* Classes begin on Monday, February 6, 2017 at 8:00 a.m.;
* Spring break, March 27 thru March 31, 2017;
* Reading days scheduled Wednesday, May 17, Saturday, May 20 & Sunday, May 21, 2017;
* Six day final examination period; Thursday, May 18, thru Thursday, May 25, 2017;
* Convocation, Hooding, Honors Day, Friday, May 26, 2017;
* Commencement Saturday, May 27, 2017;
* Memorial Day Monday, May 29, 2017;
* Alumni Weekend – Friday June 2, 2017 thru Sunday, June 4, 2017

(Modeled after 05/06 calendars) 10/6/14 - Proposed