

**FINAL/APPROVED: ACC FY11 Academic Calendar
2010-2011**

Term	Start Date	End Date	ACC Holidays	University of Texas, Austin Comparison
Fall 2010	Aug. 23, 2010 (Mon.)	Dec. 12, 2010 (Sun.)	Sept. 6, 2010 (Mon.) – Labor Day Nov. 25-26, 2010 (Thurs.-Fri.) Thanksgiving Dec. 22, 2010 (Wed.)-Dec. 31, 2010 (Fri.) – Winter Break (ACC Re-Opens Jan. 3, 2011 (Mon.))	August 26- December 15
Spring 2011	Jan. 18, 2011 (Tues.)	May 15, 2011 (Sun.)	Jan. 17, 2011 (Mon.) – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Mar. 14 (Mon.) -20 (Sun.), 2011 – Spring Break (ACC Re-Opens Mar. 21 (Mon.), 2011)	January 19- May 18 March 15-20 (Spring Break)
Summer 2011 (First 5.5 Week = 27 Days)	May 23, 2011 (Mon.)	June 29, 2011 (Wed.)	May 30, 2011 (Mon.) – Memorial Day July 4, 2011 (Mon.) – Independence Day	June 3 – Aug 16 (One Session Only)
Summer 2011 (Second 5.5 Week = 27 Days)	June 30, 2011 (Thurs.)	Aug. 8 2011 (Mon.)		

Issues Considered:

Important Note: *Academic Calendar* holiday and break inclusive dates indicate the entire period during which no classes are held and College offices are officially closed; **weekend days that fall into a holiday or break period are not paid employee holidays.**

Instructional departments are responsible for ensuring that class meeting times are adjusted to comply with minimum contact hour requirements when holidays or weekend closed dates impact scheduled classes.

Weekends on which the college is closed but are not paid employee holidays for FY11 are as follows:

- November 27 and 28, 2010
- March 19 and 20, 2011
- April 24, 2011

- The maximum of 19 holiday days are provided, as per ACC Administrative Rule 6.10.006
- Monday through Wednesday prior to the Thanksgiving holiday are confirmed ACC class meeting days.
- Spring break dates match the UT-Austin and the (still tentative) Austin ISD spring break schedules.
- All semester end dates allow time for grade posting, transcript production, academic standings calculation, and student notification.
- Summer semester start and end dates allow for maximum enrollment flexibility for visiting students from a variety of in- and out-of-state senior institutions.
- Sufficient break between end of summer and beginning of fall semesters allows faculty prep time.
- Proposed calendar closely mirrors current year's (FY10) approved calendar, promoting scheduling consistency for planning purposes.