

Fall 2008 Calendar

May

- 1 **Fall 2008 Online registration begins at 12 a.m.**
Register early for best selection of classes: <http://www.montgomerycollege.edu>
- 5 **Fall 2008 In-person registration begins at 8:30 a.m.**
Register early for best selection of classes.
- 16 **Commencement.** Admissions and Records, Counseling, and Financial Aid offices will open at 2 p.m.
- 26 Memorial Day holiday; College closed.
- 27 Summer Session I begins.

June

- 1 Last date to complete applications for I-20 forms for student outside the United States and change of immigration status for the fall 2008 semester. (Forms are required for international students who need F-1 immigration status.)
- 16 Midsummer Session begins.
- 30 System down. All functions of the College's automated systems will be unavailable from 5 p.m. June 30 until 9 a.m. July 1 for end of fiscal year processing.

July

- 4 Independence Day holiday; College closed.
- 7 **Prospective fall graduates:** If you plan to graduate in fall 2008 you should apply for graduation by this date; if you are missing any degree requirements you will have time to try to register in the needed classes before the fall 2008 semester begins.
- 7 Summer Session II begins.
- 22 Deadline to request Disability Support Services for fall 2008. Failure to meet the deadline may delay services, possibly until the next semester.

August

- 1 Last date to complete I-20 applications for F-1 status students transferring within the United States for the fall 2008 semester.

New Student Orientation

Germantown – Aug. 26, 5:30 p.m.; Aug. 27, 9:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Rockville – Aug. 13, 10:00 a.m.; Aug. 14, 1:00 p.m.
Takoma Park/Silver Spring – Aug. 19, 9:00 a.m.; Aug. 20, 12:00 p.m.; Aug. 21, 6:00 p.m.
Check the Office of Student Life website on your campus for orientation location closer to the event.

- 8 **Application target deadline for new students.** Admission applications submitted by this date will give new students sufficient time to take assessment tests and register for classes before the fall 2008 semester begins.
- 13 Payment due. See box below.
- 20 Payment due. See box below.
- 23 **Saturday registration.** Advising, Assessment, Cashier, Financial Aid, ID Cards and Admissions and Records Offices open, **9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**
- 27 Payment due. See box below.
- 28 Registration with tuition waiver for senior citizens (100%) begins at 12:00 a.m. Tuition waiver applies whether registration is completed online or in-person. **Whereas State Law allows for the waiver of tuition on a space available basis for senior citizens, Maryland senior citizens who register prior to this date will be assessed the full tuition and fees.**

September

- 1 Labor Day holiday; College closed.
- 2 No classes, fall opening meeting.
- 2 In-person advising will not be available from 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
- 3 **Weekday classes begin.** Take your printed class schedule to class as proof of registration.
- 3 Late registration begins the first day a class meets; **\$35 nonrefundable fee charged.**
- 3 Last day to register for classes that may be covered by a Pell Grant already estimated by Montgomery College. See financial aid page for details.
- 6-7 **Saturday and Sunday classes begin.**
- 6 The Office of Admissions and Records at each campus will be open various morning hours to assist Saturday students.
- 9 **Drop with refund deadline.** (Based on 6% of scheduled class meetings.) Check your specific drop deadlines online on MyMC. Students who drop a class after this time period will not receive a refund. Students who add a class on or after this date will pay all additional tuition and fees at time of registration. ****^**
- 10 Change of Schedule fee begins; **\$10 nonrefundable fee charged.**
- 12 **\$50 Late Payment Fee charged for registration not paid before this date.**
- 23 **Deadline to add with instructor permission, drop with no grade, or change to audit or credit.** Audit to credit and credit to audit changes require instructor's signature. (Based on 20% of the total number of scheduled class meetings.) Check your specific deadlines online on MyMC. ****^**

October

- 1 Last date to complete applications for I-20 forms for students outside the United States and change of immigration status requests for the spring 2009 semester.
- 17-23 Midterm exams; midterm grades due from faculty one week after midterm exams.

November

- 3 **Prospective May graduates:** If you plan to graduate in May 2009 you should apply for graduation by this date; if you are missing any degree requirements you will have time to try to register in the needed classes before the spring semester begins.
- 18 5 p.m. deadline to drop full semester classes in-person with a grade of W. Check your specific drop deadlines online at MyMC (based on 73% of scheduled class meetings). **Warning: Late online drops may generate an automatic F grade.**
- 26 No classes; non-instructional duty day; offices close at 5:00 p.m.
- 27-30 Thanksgiving holiday; College closed.

December

- 1 Last date to complete I-20 applications for F-1 status students transferring from within the United States for the spring 2009 semester. (Forms are required for international students who need F-1 immigration status.)
- 12 Deadline to request Disability Support Services for spring 2009. Failure to meet the deadline may delay services.
- 15-21 Final exams.
- 21 Last day of classes.
- 17-24 Final grades due from faculty.
- 24 - Jan. 1 Winter holidays; College closed.

Weekday Classes begin September 3. Saturday and Sunday Classes begin September 6-7.
See also Late-Starting Classes page. Bring your Official Student Schedule with you to class.

* Students may register online until midnight prior to the first scheduled class. Students who register the first day a class meets (or later) must do so in person and pay a Late Registration Fee.

** General refund and drop deadlines. Check your specific deadlines online through MyMC.

^ **Caution:** Your financial aid, health insurance, international student status, or veterans' benefits may be affected. If unsure, see the appropriate advisor before you drop a class.

Payment Schedule for FALL 2008

Payment or payment arrangements are due the day you register.

Unpaid registrations will be deleted at 7:00 a.m. on August 13, August 20 and August 27. * All registrations are considered binding.

If you register for classes, you are responsible for all charges. Failure to pay, failure to officially drop or failure to attend will not relieve you of the responsibility for these charges. Payment or payment arrangements (*Nelnet/FACTS, financial aid, sponsor documents*) are expected the day you register. **In order to avoid financial responsibility, you must officially drop** your classes if you decide not to attend. **DO NOT** assume you will be dropped automatically.

*Please note: Some students who have NOT paid by these dates will NOT be deleted for non-payment. Examples include: students who have been awarded financial aid, students who have signed a form with the Financial Aid Office holding their place in classes, students with an active Nelnet/FACTS plan (completed by midnight) and students with third-party (sponsor) payment arrangements (with paperwork on file).

System Unavailable: The student system will be unavailable for payment or registration for approximately 1 hour while the delete process is running.

Late Payment Fee: Payment or payment arrangements (*Nelnet/FACTS, financial aid, sponsor documents*) must be completed by September 11. Students who do not pay by that date will be charged a \$50 Late Payment Fee on September 12.