

**LSU HEALTH NEW ORLEANS
SCHOOL OF NURSING
2017-2018
ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

June 2017		
Monday	19-26	CARE Registration
2 week period	21-1	Registration for Summer 2017 & Fall 2017
July 2017		
Friday	21	Last day to Add/Drop
Friday	21	Last day for students with August 2017 graduation date to complete end of course evaluations
Friday	21	Last Day to Complete Financial Aid Exit Interview for Graduating Students Service Blocks: <i>All obligations to institution must be cleared for graduation</i>
Wednesday - Friday	27-28	Traditional BSN, CARE XVII New Student Orientation (8am-5pm)
		Traditional BSN New Student Orientation (8am-5pm)
August 2017		
Thursday	3	Last day for non-graduating students to complete end of course evaluations
Friday	4	Last Day of Summer 2017 Semester
Wednesday	9	Grades due
Monday	14	BSN candidates for December 2017 graduation special orientation
Monday	14	White Coat Ceremony for SOPH II students entering clinical courses
Monday	14	Fall 2017 Semester New Graduate Student Orientation
Tuesday	15	Fall Semester Undergraduate Level Orientation
Wednesday	16	Classes begin-Fall 2017
Wednesday	30	Last Day to Add Courses
Wednesday	30	Last Day for Course or Term Withdrawals without a "W" on Transcript
Wednesday	30	"I" Grades from Summer Semester Convert to "F"
September 2017		
Monday	4	Labor Day Holiday
October 2017		
Wednesday	11	Priority Deadline for Financial Aid for Spring
Tuesday to Tuesday	17-24	CARE XVII-Spring 2018 Registration
Thursday	26	Advisory Deadline for Late Financial Aid Application
November 2017		
Thursday- Friday	2-3	General Exams for Doctoral Candidacy – DNS students
Friday	10	Last Day for Defense of Theses, Dissertations and Scholarly Inquiry Projects for December 2017 Graduation
Wednesday to Wednesday (two weeks)	15-29	Spring 2018 Registration
Monday-Tuesday	20-21	SR II final exams

Thursday	23	Thanksgiving Holiday
Friday	24	Thanksgiving Holiday
Friday	24	Last day to Add/Drop
Friday	24	Last Day to Withdraw from a Course/Term Fall 2017 semester and receive a “W”
Friday	24	Last Day to Complete Financial Aid Exit Interview for Graduating Students Service Blocks: <i>All obligations to institution must be cleared for graduation</i>
Monday	27	Grades due for all graduating students by 4pm
Thursday	30	Last day for December 2017 graduating students to complete end of course evaluations
Thursday	30	Last day for non-graduating students to complete end of course evaluations
Friday	1	Non graduating Undergraduate Students Reading Day
December 2017		
Monday (Dec. 4)– Thursday (Dec. 7)	12/04- 12/07	Undergraduate Student Final Exams
Friday	8	Last Day of Fall 2017 Semester
Friday	8	Grades due for non-graduating students
Tuesday	12	Pre-Commencement Rehearsal December 2017 Graduates
Thursday	14	Awards Program,/Degree Conferral for December 2017 Graduates
Monday	18	Traditional BSN and RN-BSN New Student Orientation (8am-5pm)
Tuesday	19	Traditional BSN New Student Orientation (8am-5pm)
2018	2018	2018
January 2018		
Monday	08	Spring Semester New Graduate Student Orientation
Monday	08	Last day for Graduate Students to register for Spring 2018 Semester
Monday	08	BSN candidates for May 2018 graduation - special orientation/level orientation
Monday	08	White Coat Ceremony for CARE XVII and SOPH II students entering clinical courses
Tuesday	09	Spring 2018 Semester Undergraduate Level Orientation
Wednesday	10	Spring 2018 Semester Classes Begin
Monday	15	Martin Luther King Holiday
Wednesday	24	Last Day for Course or Term Withdrawals without a “W” on Transcript
Wednesday	24	“I” Grades from Fall 2017 Semester Convert to “F”
February 2018		
2 week period	7-21	Registration for Summer 2018 & Fall 2018
Tuesday	13	Mardi Gras Holiday
March 2018		
Thursday	15	Priority Deadline for Financial Aid for Summer
Tuesday	27	Spring Break begins at 7pm
Friday	30	Easter Holiday

April 2018		
Saturday	1	Last Day to Add
Tuesday	3	Spring Break ends and Classes resume at 7am
Thursday	5	Advisory Deadline for Late Financial Aid Application
Thursday – Friday	5-6	General Exams for Doctoral Candidacy – DNS students
Friday	6	Last Day for Defense of Theses, Dissertations and Scholarly Inquiry Projects for May 2018 Commencement
Wednesday-Thursday	25-26	SR II and CARE XVI final exams
Friday	27	Last Day to Complete Financial Aid Exit Interview for Graduating Students Service Blocks: <i>All obligations to institution must be cleared for graduation</i>
Friday	27	Last Day to Withdraw from Course
Monday	30	Last day for May 2018 graduating students to complete end of course evaluations
May 2018		
Thursday	3	Last day for non- graduating students to complete end of course evaluations
Friday	4	Non-graduating Undergraduate Student Reading Day
Friday	4	Grades due for all graduating students by 4pm
Monday - Thursday	7-10	Undergraduate Students Final Exams
Friday	11	Last Day of Spring 2018 Semester
Friday	11	Grades due for non-graduating students
Tuesday	15	Rehearsal for May 2018 Graduating Students
Wednesday	16	Pre-Commencement Awards Ceremony
Thursday	17	Commencement
Wednesday	23	Summer Semester begins
Wednesday - Thursday	23-24	DNP Seminar. Full day on 24 th ½ day on 25 th
June 2018		
Wednesday	6	Last Day for Course or Term without a “W” on Transcript
Wednesday	6	“I” Grades from Spring Semester Convert to “F”
Friday	22	Last Date for Defense of Theses, Dissertations and Scholarly Inquiry Projects for August 2018 Graduation
Thursday	28	Advisory Deadline for Late Financial Aid Application
July 2018		
Wednesday	4	Independence Day Holiday
Friday	20	Last Day to Withdraw from Course or Term
Friday	20	Last Day to Complete Financial Aid Exit Interview for students with August 2018 graduation dates. Service Blocks: <i>All obligations to institution must be cleared for graduation</i>
Friday	20	Last day for students with August 2018 graduation date to complete end of course evaluations
Friday	20	Grades due for all graduating students by 4pm
Friday	27	Last Day to Add/Drop

August 2018		
Thursday	2	Last day for non-graduating students to complete end of course evaluations
Friday	3	Last Day of Summer 2018 Semester
Wednesday	8	Grades due for non-graduating students