

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2007-2008

2007

JUNE

- 11 Monday Classes of Regular Summer Session begin.
- 15 Friday **DEGREE APPLICATION DEADLINE** for September SB and Advanced Degrees. \$40 Late Fee (\$75 after July 13).

JULY

- 4 Wednesday Independence Day--Holiday.
- 13 Friday Last day to submit or change Adv. Degree Thesis Title. \$75 Late Fee.

AUGUST

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- 10 Friday **DEADLINE FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS** to submit application, signed by department, to Graduate Students Office, 3-138, for Fall Term Non-Resident status (\$100 Late Fee). **THESIS DUE** for ALL September degree candidates. Last day to petition for September Advanced Standing Exam.
- 16 Thursday **5:00 P.M. CONTINUING STUDENT FINAL DEADLINE TO PRE-REG ON-LINE** (\$75 Late Fee).
- 17 Friday **LAST DAY TO GO OFF THE SEPTEMBER DEGREE LIST.** Last day of classes for Regular Summer Session.
- 20,21 Mon-Tues Summer Session Final Exam Period.
- 26 Sunday Freshman Orientation begins.
- 27 Monday **GRADES DUE** in Registrar's Office, 5-119, for Summer Session (12 noon). Graduate Student Orientation activities begin.
- 28 Tuesday English Evaluation Test for International students, 9 a.m.-12 noon.
- 31 Friday Term Summaries of Summer Session Grades delivered to Departments. Some Postponed Finals and Advanced Standing Exams (other than freshmen).

FALL TERM -- Number of Class Days (Wednesday, Sept. 5, through Wednesday, Dec. 12): 11 Mondays, 13 Tuesdays, 15 Wednesdays, 13 Thursdays, 13 Fridays = 65 days.

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- 3 Monday Labor Day--Holiday.
- 4 Tuesday **REGISTRATION DAY**--Fall Term. **DEADLINE** to change a Spring Term Exploratory subject to listener status.
- 5 Wednesday **FIRST DAY OF CLASSES.**
- 7 Friday **DEGREE APPLICATION DEADLINE** for February SB and Advanced Degrees. \$40 Late Fee (\$75 after December 14). **REGISTRATION DEADLINE.** Signed Registration forms for all students DUE in Student Services Center. \$40 Late Fee. **DEADLINE FOR FINAL-TERM SENIORS** to submit the HASS Concentration Completion Form (\$40 Late Fee).
- 10 Monday First quarter Physical Education classes begin.
- 11 Tuesday 2:00 p.m. Graduate Academic Performance Meeting.
- 14 Friday 1:00 p.m. C.A.P. September Degree Candidates Meeting.
- 17-21 Mon-Fri Career Week
- 19 Wednesday Faculty Officers recommend degrees to Corporation.
- 20 Thursday 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Fall Career Fair
- 21 Friday **MINOR COMPLETION DATE.** Deadline for submission of Minor Completion form for final-term seniors. \$40 Late Fee.
- 24 Monday Student Holiday -- no classes.
- 26 - Oct 3 Wed-Wed Physical Education Petition Revision Extension Period. Final-term seniors who will not complete the PE requirement by the end of quarter one must update petition during this time (\$40 Petition Processing Fee for updated petitions filed after this period).
- 28 Friday Last day to sign up for family health insurance or waive individual coverage, E23-308.

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- 5 Friday **ADD DATE.** Last day to add subjects to Registration.
Last day for Jrs/Srs to change an Elective to or from P/D/F Grading.
Last day to change a subject from Listener to Credit.
Last day for Sophomores to change a subject to or from Exploratory.
Late fee (\$100) and petition required for students completing registration after this date.
Last day to petition for second S.B for June and next September degree candidates.
Last day to drop half-term subjects offered in first half of term.
Deadline for completing cross-registration. \$40 Late Fee for any petitions approved after this date.
- 8,9 Mon,Tues Columbus Day—Vacation.
- 12-14 Fri-Sun Family Weekend.
- 29 Monday Second quarter Physical Education classes begin.

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- 12 Monday Veteran’s Day—Holiday.
- 21 Wednesday **DROP DATE.** Last day to cancel subjects from Registration.
Last day to change a subject from Credit to Listener.
Last day to add a time-arranged subject that started after beginning of the term.
Last day to Petition for Dec. Adv. Standing Exam (given during Final Exam Period).
Last day to add half-term subjects offered in second half of term.
- 22,23 Thurs-Fri Thanksgiving Vacation.

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- 3 Monday **ON-LINE PRE-REGISTRATION** for Spring Term and IAP begins.
- 7 Friday **SUBJECTS WITH FINAL EXAM** -- no test may be given and no assignment, term paper or oral presentation shall fall due after this date.
SUBJECTS WITH NO FINAL EXAM -- **Undergraduate Subjects:** no test may be given and at most one assignment may fall due between this date and the end of the last scheduled class period in the subject. **Graduate Subjects:** either one in-class test may be given or one assignment may fall due between this date and the end of the last regularly scheduled class in the subject.
- 12 Wednesday **LAST DAY OF CLASSES.**
Last day to drop half-term subjects offered in the second half of term.
- 14 Friday Last day to submit or change Adv. Degree Thesis Title. \$75 Late Fee.
- 17-21 Mon-Fri **FINAL EXAM PERIOD.**
- 18-Jan 2 Tues-Wed **GRADE DEADLINE.** GRADES DUE in Registrar's Office, 5-119, according to DUE DATE indicated on the Grade Sheet. Grade Sheets **MUST BE SIGNED, ENCLOSED IN ENVELOPES, SEALED, AND DELIVERED** to Registrar’s Office on or before due date.
- 27 Thursday **SPRING PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE.** CONTINUING students must INITIATE on-line pre-registration by 5:00 p.m. on this date. \$40 Late Fee (\$75 after January 17).

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- 7 Monday First Day of January Independent Activities Period.
DEADLINE FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS to submit application, signed by department, to Graduate Students Office, 3-138, for Spring Term Non-Resident status. (\$100 Late Fee). Not needed if Spring Term approved with Fall Term application.
- 8 Tuesday Term Summaries of Fall Term Grades delivered to Departments.
- 9 Wednesday 1:00 p.m. First-Year Grades Meeting.
- 10 Thursday 9:00 a.m. Second-Year and Third-Year Grades Meeting.
- 11 Friday **THESIS DUE** for doctoral degrees.
Last day to Petition for January Advanced Standing Exam.
9:00 a.m. Fourth-Year Grades Meeting.
- 15 Tuesday 2:00 p.m. Graduate Academic Performance Meeting.
- 17 Thursday **5:00 P.M. FINAL DEADLINE FOR CONTINUING STUDENTS TO PRE-REG ON-LINE** (\$75 Late Fee).
- 18 Friday **THESIS DUE** for degrees other than doctoral.
LAST DAY TO GO OFF THE FEBRUARY DEGREE LIST.
- 21 Monday Martin Luther King, Jr. Day--Holiday.

- 23 Wednesday 9:00 a.m. C.A.P. deferred action meeting.
- 24 Thursday 9:00 a.m. C.A.P. deferred action meeting.
- 30 Wednesday English Evaluation Test for International students, 9 a.m. - 12 noon.
- 30-Feb 1 Wed-Fri Some Advanced Standing Exams and Postponed Finals.

SPRING TERM -- Number of Class Days (Tuesday, Feb. 5 through Thursday, May 15): 12 Mondays, 12 Tuesdays, 14 Wednesdays, 14 Thursdays, 13 Fridays = 65 days.

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- 1 Friday Last day of January Independent Activities Period.
- 4 Monday **REGISTRATION DAY**--Spring Term.
DEADLINE to change a Fall Term Exploratory subject to listener status.
- 5 Tuesday **FIRST DAY OF CLASSES.**
- 6 Wednesday **GRADES DUE** in Registrar's Office, 5-119, for work completed in IAP.
- 8 Friday **REGISTRATION DEADLINE.** Signed Registration forms for all students DUE in Student Services Center. \$40 Late Fee.
DEGREE APPLICATION DEADLINE for June SB and Advanced Degrees.
\$40 Late Fee (\$75 Late Fee after April 4).
DEADLINE FOR FINAL-TERM SENIORS to: submit the HASS Concentration Completion Form (\$40 Late Fee).
Final Deadline for all Juniors to submit HASS Concentration Proposal Form.
- 11 Monday Term Summaries of Grades for IAP delivered to Departments.
Third quarter Physical Education classes begin.
- 12 Tuesday 2:00 p.m. Graduate Academic Performance Meeting.
- 15 Friday 1:00 p.m. C.A.P. February Degree Candidates Meeting.
- 18 Monday Presidents Day—Holiday
- 19 TUESDAY MONDAY SCHEDULE OF CLASSES TO BE HELD.**
- 20 Wednesday Faculty Officers recommend degrees to Corporation.
- 20-27 Wed-Wed Physical Education Petition Revision Extension Period.
Final-term seniors who will not complete the PE requirement by the end of quarter three must update petition during this time (\$40 Petition Processing Fee for updated petitions filed after this period).
- 22 Friday **MINOR COMPLETION DATE.** Deadline for submission of Minor Completion form for final-term seniors. \$40 Late Fee.
- 29 Friday Last day to sign up for family health insurance or waive individual coverage, E23-308.

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Last day for Sophomores to change a subject to or from Exploratory.
Late fee (\$100) and petition required for students completing registration after this date.
Last day to petition for second S.B for next February degree candidates.
Last day to drop half-term subjects offered in first half of term.
Deadline for completing cross-registration. \$40 Late Fee for petitions approved after this date.
- 24-28 Mon-Fri Spring Vacation.

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- 2 Wednesday Fourth quarter Physical Education classes begin.
- 4 Friday Last day to submit or change Adv. Degree Thesis Title (\$75 Late Fee).
- 10-13 Thur-Sun Campus Preview Weekend.
- 21,22 Mon-Tues Patriots Day--Vacation.
- 24 Thursday **DROP DATE.** Last day to cancel subjects from Registration.
Last day to change a subject from Credit to Listener.
Last day to add time-arranged subject that started after beginning of the term.
Last day to Petition for May Adv. Standing Exam (given during Final Exam Period).
Last day to add half-term subjects offered in second half of term.

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- 1 Thursday **ON-LINE PRE-REGISTRATION** for Fall Term and Summer Session begins.
- 2 Friday **THESIS DUE** for doctoral degrees.
- 9 Friday **SUBJECTS WITH FINAL EXAM** -- no test may be given and no assignment, term paper or oral presentation shall fall due after this date.
SUBJECTS WITH NO FINAL EXAM -- **Undergraduate Subjects:** no test may be given and at most one assignment may fall due between this date and the end of the last scheduled class period in the subject. **Graduate Subjects:** either one in-class test may be given or one assignment may fall due between this date and the end of the last regularly scheduled class in the subject.
THESIS DUE for degrees other than doctoral.
- 15 Thursday **LAST DAY OF CLASSES.**
Last day to drop half-term subjects offered in the second half of term.
- 19-23 Mon-Fri **FINAL EXAM WEEK.**
- 20-28 Tues-Wed **GRADE DEADLINE.** GRADES DUE in Registrar's Office, 5-119, according to DUE DATE indicated on the Grade Sheet. Grade Sheets **MUST BE SIGNED, ENCLOSED IN ENVELOPES, SEALED, AND DELIVERED** to Registrar's Office on or before due date.
- 23 Friday **LAST DAY TO GO OFF THE JUNE DEGREE LIST.**
- 26 Monday Memorial Day--Holiday.
- 29 Thursday **FALL PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE.** CONTINUING students must initiate on-line pre-registration by this date. \$40 Late Fee. (\$75 after August 14).
SUMMER SESSION PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE. Deadline for all students to pre-register on-line for Summer Session. \$40 Late Fee.
- 30 Friday 8:00 a.m. Term Summaries of Spring Term Grades delivered to Departments.
DEPARTMENT GRADES MEETINGS.

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- 2 Monday 10:00 a.m. Fourth-Year Grades Meeting.
1:00 p.m. Graduate Academic Performance Meeting.
Faculty Officers recommend degrees to Corporation.
- 3 Tuesday 9:00 a.m. Second-Year and Third-Year Grades Meeting.
- 4 Wednesday 1:00 p.m. First-Year Grades Meeting.
- 5 Thursday Doctoral Hooding Ceremony.
- 6 Friday **COMMENCEMENT.**
- 17 Tuesday 9:00 a.m. C.A.P. deferred action meeting.
- 18 Wednesday 9:00 a.m. C.A.P. deferred action meeting.

JUNE 9 (Mon) - AUG 19 (Tues)

SUMMER SESSION (incl. Exam Period). Theses due for all September degree candidates, Friday, August 8.

Key Dates for Academic Year 2008-2009

- 2008**
 - September
 - 1 Monday Labor Day
 - 2 Tuesday Registration Day -- Fall Term; classes begin Wednesday
 - 22 Monday Student Holiday -- No Classes
 - October
 - 13 Monday Columbus Day -- Holiday
 - November
 - 10,11 Mon,Tue Veterans Day -- Holiday
 - 27,28 Thurs,Fri Thanksgiving Vacation
 - December
 - 10 Wednesday Last day of classes (Final Exams, Mon-Fri, Dec. 15-19)
- 2009**
 - January
 - 5 Monday Independent Activities Period begins
 - 19 Monday Martin Luther King, Jr. Day -- Holiday
 - 30 Friday Independent Activities Period ends
 - February
 - 2 Monday Registration Day -- Spring Term; classes begin Tuesday
 - 16 Monday Presidents Day -- Holiday
 - 17 **Tuesday Monday schedule of classes to be held**
 - March
 - 23-27 Mon-Fri Spring Vacation
 - April
 - 20,21 Mon-Tues Patriots Day -- Holiday
 - May
 - 14 Thursday Last day of classes (Final Exams, Mon-Fri, May 18-22)
 - June
 - 5 Friday Commencement
 - June 8- August 18 Summer Session (including Exam Period)