

**Lone Star College System
2008-2009 Academic Calendar**

Fall Semester 2008

Full payment due for pre-registered fall 08 classes	August 15
Faculty Return	August 18
Last Day to Register	August 23
Weekday Classes Begin	August 25
Labor Day Holidays	August 30 – Sept. 1
Official Day	September 8
Friday evening, Saturday & Sunday Classes Begin	Sept 5-7
Last day to drop and receive a "W"	November 7
Thanksgiving Holidays (colleges close at 4:30 p.m. November 26)	November 27-30
Final Exams	December 8-14
Winter Mini-Term (3 week)	December 15- January 2
Winter Mini-Term (4 week)	December 15 – January 9
Last day to drop and receive a "W" for 3 week Mini-Term	December 29
Winter Holidays (offices closed)	December 22 - January 4
Winter Holidays for Mini-Term	Dec. 25 and Jan. 1
Last day to drop and receive a "W" for 4 week Mini-Term	Jan. 2

Spring Semester 2009

Full payment due for pre-registered spring 09 classes	January 5
Offices Open	January 5
Faculty Return	January 5
Last Day to Register	January 10
Weekday Classes Begin	January 12
MLK Holiday (colleges closed)	January 19
Friday evening, Saturday & Sunday Classes Begin	January 16-18
Official Day	January 26
District Conference Day	February 19
Mid-Semester Break (offices closed March 12-15)	March 9-15
Last day to drop and receive "W"	April 6
Spring Holiday (offices closed)	April 10-12
Final Exams	May 4-10
Commencement	May 8-9

Summer Semester 2009

Mini-term	May 11-29
Memorial Day Holiday	May 23-25
Summer Term begins	June 1
First Summer Session (June 1 –July 7) (22 day session)	June 1 – July 7
Weekend Classes Begin	June 5-7
Last day to drop and receive "W" for 1st summer	June 24
Independence Day Holiday (no classes, offices closed)	July 3-4
Second Summer Session (July 9- August 13) (21 day session)	July 9 – August 13
Last day to drop and receive a "W" for 2nd summer	August 3
Summer Term Ends	August 16

Fall 2009 Semester

Faculty Return	August 17
First class day	August 24

Note: Because July 4th is a Saturday and the holiday (Friday, July 3) is on a day off, LSC FT employees (faculty included) will take a flex day for the July 4th holiday sometime between July and December 2009. This day will have to be approved by the manager in advance and tracked by the manager.

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Number of Class Meeting Times (Fall 2008 Semester)

Monday classes =	14
Tuesday classes =	15
Wednesday classes =	15 (day) 14 (evening)
Thursday classes =	14
Friday classes =	14 (day) 13 (evening)
Saturday classes =	13
Sunday classes =	13
Monday & Wednesday =	29 (day) 28 (evening)
Tuesday and Thursday =	29
Monday, Wed., Friday =	43

Number of Class Meeting Times (Spring 2009 Semester)

Monday classes =	15
Tuesday classes =	16
Wednesday classes =	16
Thursday classes =	15
Friday classes =	15
Saturday classes =	15
Sunday classes =	14
Monday & Wednesday =	31
Tuesday and Thursday =	31
Mon. Wed., Friday =	46