

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

2011-12

FALL 2011

August

16-17	Tue-Wed	Intern Orientation
18	Thursday	Orientation for all new students
18-19	Thur-Fri	Late Registration - 206 Kirby Hall, Registrar's Office
19	Friday	Last day to withdraw from all classes without any tuition charge
22	Monday	First day of classes – Dallas and Houston/Galveston Program
26	Friday	Last day to file for December graduation
29	Monday	Last day to register, add courses, or drop a course without grade record or tuition billing

September

5	Monday	Labor Day — University holiday (offices closed & no classes)
9-10	Fri-Sat	Faculty Conference
15-16	Thu-Fri	Inside Perkins in Dallas
20	Tuesday	Tuition and Fees due to SMU
23	Friday	Divisional Meetings, 11:30 a.m.
26	Monday	Perkins Youth School of Theology Open House

October

3	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
10-12	Mon-Wed	Perkins Fall Break (no classes)
13-14	Thur-Fri	Inside Perkins in Dallas
17	Monday	Inside Perkins in Houston
21	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
24	Monday	Faculty as Guild, 9:30 a.m.

November

4	Friday	Last day to drop a class for Fall Term.
7	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
8-18	Tues-Fri	Advance registration for Spring Term and Interterm.
11	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
22	Tuesday	Last day to withdraw from the University
23	Wednesday	Last day of classes in Dallas
24-25	Thu-Fri	University Holidays - Thanksgiving Recess (offices closed)
28	Monday	Last day of classes in Houston
28-Dec.2	Mon-Fri	Reading and writing period

December

1	Thursday	Christmas Worship Service, Perkins Chapel, 4:00 and 8:00 p.m.
2	Friday	Last day for submission of all written work, 5:00 p.m.
5	Monday	Perkins faculty Meeting, 9:30 a.m.
6-9	Tue-Fri	Final examinations in Dallas
13	Tuesday	Grades must be posted by noon
17	Saturday	Official University close of term and conferral of degrees
TBA		University Holidays - Winter Break (Offices Closed)

INTERTERM 2012

December

19	Monday	Tuition for Jan Term due to SMU
26-Jan 13	Mon-Fri	Perkins Interterm

January

2	Monday	University Holiday – New Year's Day (offices closed)
3-13	Tues-Fri	Doctor of Ministry Interterm Session
7-13	Sat-Fri	United Methodist Certification in Youth Ministry
9-12	Mon-Thur	Perkins School of Youth Ministry
16	Monday	Martin Luther King Day — University holiday (offices closed).

SPRING 2012

January

17	Tuesday	Orientation for new students
18	Wednesday	Last day to withdraw from all classes without any tuition charge
18-19	Wed-Thur	Late Registration - 206 Kirby Hall, Registrar's Office
19	Thursday	First day of classes in Dallas
23	Monday	Last day to file for May graduation First day of classes for Houston/Galveston Program
26	Thursday	Last day to add courses, or drop courses without grade record or tuition billing
30	Monday	Perkins faculty Meeting, 9:30 a.m.

February

6-8	Mon-Wed	Ministers Week
16-17	Thu-Fri	Inside Perkins in Dallas
20	Monday	Tuition and Fees due to SMU
24	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.

March

1-3	Thu-Sat	Theological School for the Laity
2	Friday	Inside Perkins for SMU Staff
5	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
10-18	Sat-Sun	Perkins and SMU Spring Break
12	Monday	Inside Perkins in Houston
23	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
26	Monday	Faculty as Guild, 9:30 a.m.
31	Saturday	Perkins Youth School of Theology Spring Youth Forum

April

2	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
3-13	Tue-Fri	Advance registration for Summer and Fall Terms
4	Wednesday	Last day to drop a class for Spring Term.
5-6	Thu-Fri	Easter Recess (no classes).
6	Friday	University Holiday - Good Friday (offices closed)
13-14	Fri-Sat	Inside Perkins in Dallas
17	Tuesday	Last day to file for August graduation
20	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
23	Monday	Last day to withdraw from the University
27	Friday	Last day of classes in Dallas
30-May 3	Mon-Thu	Reading and writing period

May

3	Thursday	Last day for submission of all written work, 5:00 p.m.
4-9	Fri-Wed	Final examinations in Dallas

7	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
		Last day of classes for Houston/Galveston Program
11	Friday	Grades must be posted by noon
12	Saturday	Commencement, 9:30 a.m., Moody Coliseum
		A Celebration of Degrees and Academic Achievements, 2:00 p.m., Highland Park United Methodist Church.
		Official close of term and date for conferral of degrees

SUMMER 2012

May

28	Monday	University Holiday - Memorial Day: (offices closed)
29	Tuesday	Tuition payment due date for summer session
29-July 6	Tue-Fri	Perkins Summer Session

June

15-22	Fri-Fri	United Methodist Certification for Christian Education, Children's Ministry, Older Adult Ministries and Church Music
11-29	Mon-Fri	Doctor of Ministry Summer Session

July

4	Wednesday	University Holiday (offices closed)
1-21	Sun-Sat	Perkins Youth School of Theology Summer Academy
8-Aug 2	Sun-Thu	Course of Study School

August

3	Friday	Official close of term and date for conferral of degrees
14-15	Tue-Wed	Intern Orientation

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR THE HOUSTON/GALVESTON PROGRAM IS AVAILABLE FROM THE PROGRAM'S OFFICE IN HOUSTON AND ONLINE AT

[HTTP://WWW.SMU.EDU/PERKINS/FACULTYACADEMICS/HOUSGAL/SCHEDULES.ASPX](http://www.smu.edu/perkins/facultyacademics/housgal/schedules.aspx)