

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2012-13

FALL 2012

August

14-15	Tue-Wed	Intern Orientation
16	Thursday	Orientation for all new students
16-17	Thur-Fri	Late Registration - 206 Kirby Hall, Registrar's Office
17	Friday	Last day to withdraw from all classes without any tuition charge
20	Monday	First day of classes – Dallas and Houston/Galveston Program
24	Friday	Last day to file for December graduation
27	Monday	Last day to register, add courses, or drop a course without grade record or tuition billing

September

3	Monday	Labor Day — University holiday (offices closed & no classes)
20	Thursday	Tuition and Fees due to SMU
21-22	Fri-Sat	Faculty Conference
24	Monday	Perkins Youth School of Theology Open House

October

1	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
4-5	Thur-Fri	Inside Perkins in Dallas
15	Monday	Inside Perkins in Houston
15-17	Mon-Wed	Perkins Fall Break (no classes)
19	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
29	Monday	Faculty as Guild, 9:30 a.m.

November

1-2	Thur-Fri	Inside Perkins in Dallas
2	Friday	Last day to drop a class for Fall Term.
5	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
6-16	Tues-Fri	Advance registration for Spring Term and Interterm.
9	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
20	Tuesday	Last day to withdraw from the University
21	Wednesday	Last day of classes in Dallas
22-23	Thu-Fri	University Holidays - Thanksgiving Recess (offices closed)
26	Monday	Last day of classes in Houston
26-30	Mon-Fri	Reading and writing period
30	Friday	Last day for submission of all written work, 5:00 p.m.

December

3	Monday	Perkins faculty Meeting, 9:30 a.m.
6	Thursday	Christmas Worship Service, Perkins Chapel, 4:00 and 8:00 p.m.
4-7	Tue-Fri	Final examinations in Dallas
11	Tuesday	Grades must be posted by noon
15	Saturday	Official University close of term and conferral of degrees
24-31	Mon-Mon	University Holidays – Christmas/Winter Break (Offices Closed)

INTERTERM 2013

December
TBA

Tuition for Jan Term due to SMU

January

1	Tuesday	University Holiday – New Year's Day (offices closed)
2-18	Wed-Fri	Perkins Interterm
7-17	Mon-Thur	Doctor of Ministry Interterm Session
12-18	Sat-Fri	United Methodist Certification in Youth Ministry
14-17	Mon-Thur	Perkins School of Youth Ministry
21	Monday	Martin Luther King Day — University holiday (offices closed).

SPRING 2013

January

22	Tuesday	Orientation for new students
23	Wednesday	Last day to withdraw from all classes without any tuition charge
23-24	Wed-Thur	Late Registration - 206 Kirby Hall, Registrar's Office
24	Thursday	First day of classes in Dallas
25	Friday	Last day to file for May graduation
28	Monday	Perkins faculty Meeting, 9:30 a.m. First day of classes for Houston/Galveston Program
31	Thursday	Last day to add courses, or drop courses without grade record or tuition billing

February

14-15	Thu-Fri	Inside Perkins in Dallas
20	Wednesday	Tuition and Fees due to SMU
22	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.

March

4	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
7-9	Thu-Sat	Theological School for the Laity
9-17	Sat-Sun	Perkins and SMU Spring Break
11	Monday	Inside Perkins in Houston
22	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m.
23	Saturday	Perkins Youth School of Theology Spring Youth Forum
28-29	Thu-Fri	Easter Recess (no classes).
29	Friday	University Holiday - Good Friday (offices closed)

April

1	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
2-12	Tue-Fri	Advance registration for Summer and Fall Terms
10	Wednesday	Last day to drop a class for Spring Term.
12-13	Fri-Sat	Inside Perkins in Dallas
15	Monday	Faculty as Guild, 9:30 a.m.
16	Tuesday	Last day to file for August graduation
26	Friday	Divisional meetings, 11:30 a.m. Last day to withdraw from the University

May

3	Friday	Last day of classes in Dallas
6	Monday	Perkins faculty meeting, 9:30 a.m.
6-9	Mon-Thu	Reading and writing period
9	Thursday	Last day for submission of all written work, 5:00 p.m.
10-15	Fri-Wed	Final examinations in Dallas
13	Monday	Last day of classes for Houston/Galveston Program

17	Friday	Grades must be posted by noon
18	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 2013

May

27	Monday	University Holiday - Memorial Day: (offices closed)
TBA		Tuition payment due date for summer session
28-July 5	Tue-Fri	Perkins Summer Session

June

10-27	Mon-Thu	Doctor of Ministry Summer Session
14-21	Fri-Fri	United Methodist Certification for Christian Education, Children's Ministry, Older Adult Ministries and Church Music
30-July 20	Sun-Sat	Perkins Youth School of Theology Summer Academy

July

4	Thursday	University Holiday (offices closed)
7-Aug 1	Sun-Thu	Course of Study School

August

6	Tuesday	Official close of term and date for conferral of degrees
13-14	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](#)