# Academic Calendar 2023-2024

## Fall Semester 2023
- **Trial Advocacy Program**: August 7, 8, 9 (M, T, W)
- **Entering Class Orientation**: August 10, 11 (Th, F)
- **Classes Begin**: August 14 (M)
- **First Day for Adding Classes**: August 21 (M)
- **Last Day to Drop a Class without receiving a Grade of 'W'**: August 21 (M)
- **Law 14th Class Day**: August 31 (Th)
- **Final Day for Dropping Classes (will receive grade of 'W')**: October 5, 6 (Th, F)
- **Reading Days**: October 12, 13 (Th, F)
- **Midterm Examinations**: October 12, 13 (Th, F)
- **Final Day for Dropping Classes (will receive grade of 'W')**: October 27 (F)
- **Law Center Offices re-open**: January 2, 2024 (T)
- **Grades available to view in MyLSU**: January 5, 2024 (F)

## Spring Semester 2024
- **Law Center Offices re-open**: January 2, 2024 (T)
- **Apprenticeship Week**: January 2 - 6 (T - S)
- **Law Center Offices re-open**: January 2, 2024 (T)
- **Apprenticeship Week**: January 2 - 6 (T - S)
- **Reading Days (Law Center Offices closed only April 5)**: April 4, 5 (Th, F)
- **Examinations Begin**: April 8 (M)
- **Examinations End**: April 19 (F)
- **Examinations End**: May 6 (M)
- **Commencement**: May 20 @ 10:00 am (M)
- **End of Semester**: May 20 @ 10:00 am (M)
- **Graduate Courses and Graduate Examinations End**: May 20 (M)
- **Graduate Courses and Graduate Examinations End**: May 20 (M)
- **Degree Date for Spring 2024**: May 20 (M)

## Summer Semester 2024
- **Classes Begin**: May 28 (T)
- **Final Day for Adding Classes**: May 31 (F)
- **Last Day to Drop a Course without receiving a Grade of 'W'**: May 31 (F)
- **Law 7th Class Day**: June 5 (W)
- **Juneteenth Holiday (no classes – Law Center Offices open)**: June 17 (M)
- **Independence Holiday (Law Center Offices closed – no classes)**: July 4 (Th)
- **Final Day for Dropping Classes (will receive grades of 'W')**: June 21 (F)
- **Classes End**: July 12 (F)
- **Examinations Begin**: July 15 (M)
- **Examinations End**: July 19 (F)
- **End of Semester**: August 5 @ 10:00 am (M)
- **Graduate Courses and Graduate Examinations End**: August 7 (W)
- **Degree Date for Summer 2024**: August 7 (W)

*Faculty and Staff should refer to Permanent Memorandum No. 5 (PM-5) for LSU Holiday Schedule

**Subject to Change: Reading Days will be the same days as LSU 2023 Fall Break