



KENT STATE

UNIVERSITY

OFFICIAL CALENDAR

2008–2009 Official	2009–2010 Official	2010–2011 Official	2011–2012 Official	2012–2013 Official
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FALL SEMESTER

International Student Orientation	Aug 15–18	Aug 21–23	Aug 22–24	Aug 21–23	Aug 19–21
Graduate Assistant Orientation	Aug 16–22	Aug 22–28	Aug 21–27	Aug 20–26	Aug 18–24
University Convocation	Aug 22	Aug 28	Aug 27	Aug 26	Aug 24
Destination Kent: Welcome Weekend	Aug 20–24	Aug 28–30	Aug 27–29	Aug 26–28	Aug 24–26
Classes Begin	Aug 25	Aug 31	Aug 30	Aug 29	Aug 27
Labor Day (1)	Sep 1	Sept 7	Sept 6	Sept 5	Sept 3
Veterans Day (1)	Nov 11	Nov 11	Nov 11	Nov 11	Nov 11
Veterans Day Observance	Nov 11	Nov 11	Nov 11	Nov 11	Nov 12
Thanksgiving Recess (2)	Nov 26–30	Nov 25–29	Nov 24–28	Nov 23–27	Nov 21–25
Columbus Day Observance (3)	Nov 28	Nov 27	Nov 26	Nov 25	Nov 23
Classes End	Dec 7	Dec 13	Dec 12	Dec 11	Dec 9
Final Examinations	Dec 8–14	Dec 14–20	Dec 13–19	Dec 12–18	Dec 10–16
Commencements	Dec 11, 13	Dec 17, 19	Dec 16, 18	Dec 17	Dec 15
Presidents Day Observance (4)	Dec 24	Dec 24	Dec 27	Dec 27	Dec 24
Christmas Day (1)	Dec 25	Dec 25	Dec 25	Dec 25	Dec 25
Christmas Day Observance	Dec 25	Dec 25	Dec 24	Dec 26	Dec 25
New Year's Day (1)	Jan 1	Jan 1	Jan 1	Jan 1	Jan 1
New Year's Day Observance	Jan 1	Jan 1	Dec 31	Jan 2	Jan 1

SPRING SEMESTER

Classes Begin	Jan 20	Jan 19	Jan 10	Jan 9	Jan 14
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (1)	Jan 19	Jan 18	Jan 17	Jan 16	Jan 21
Spring Recess (5)	Mar 23–29	Mar 29–Apr 4	Mar 21–27	Mar 19–25	Mar 25–31
Classes Resume	Mar 30	Apr 5	Mar 28	Mar 26	Apr 1
Honors Week	Apr 5–11	Apr 11–17	Apr 10–16	Apr 15–21	Apr 7–13
Remembrance Day (6)	May 4	May 4	May 4	May 4	May 4
Classes End	May 10	May 9	May 1	Apr 29	May 5
Final Examinations	May 11–17	May 10–16	May 2–8	Apr 30–May 6	May 6–12
Commencements	May 14, 16	May 13, 15	May 5, 7	May 3, 5	May 9, 11

SUMMER INTERSESSION

Classes Begin	May 26	May 24	May 16	May 14	May 20
Memorial Day (1)	May 25	May 31	May 30	May 28	May 27
Classes End	Jun 12	June 11	June 3	June 1	June 7

SUMMER I

Classes Begin	Jun 15	June 14	June 6	June 4	June 10
Independence Day (1)	Jul 4	July 4	July 4	July 4	July 4
Independence Day Observance	Jul 3	July 5	July 4	July 4	July 4
Classes End	Jul 18	July 17	July 9	July 7	July 13

SUMMER II

Classes Begin	Jun 15	June 14	June 6	June 4	June 10
Independence Day (1)	Jul 4	July 4	July 4	July 4	July 4
Independence Day Observance	Jul 3	July 5	July 4	July 4	July 4
Classes End	Aug 8	Aug 7	July 30	July 28	Aug 3

SUMMER III

Classes Begin	Jul 20	July 19	July 11	July 9	July 15
Classes End	Aug 22	Aug 21	Aug 13	Aug 11	Aug 17
Commencement	Aug 20, 22	Aug 19, 21	Aug 11, 13	Aug 9, 11	Aug 15, 17

Notes Key

- 1 State- or federal-designated holiday
- 2 Thanksgiving: classes recessed Wednesday noon through Sunday, offices closed Thursday and Friday
- 3 Columbus Day, the second Monday in October, is a movable holiday, observed the day after Thanksgiving
- 4 Presidents Day, the third Monday in February, is a movable holiday, observed contiguous with Christmas Day
- 5 Spring Recess: no classes, offices open
- 6 Remembrance Day (May 4): final exams, classes or parts of classes recess from 12:00 noon through 2:00 p.m.