DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW
ACADEMIC CALENDAR – 2019-2020

FALL SEMESTER

August 19-20  Monday-Tuesday  Orientation (Optional) (Academic Excellence Program)
August 21-23  Wednesday-Friday  Orientation (Mandatory) (All First Year Students)
August 26     Monday         Classes Begin for All Students
August 30     Friday          Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
September 2   Monday         Labor Day (No Classes – Offices Closed)
October 14-18 Monday-Friday  Mid-Semester Exams for First Year Students
November 1    Friday         All Saints Day (No Classes – Offices Closed)
November 15   Friday         Latest Day to Apply for Graduation – May 2020 Graduates
November 25-29 Monday-Friday  Thanksgiving Break (No Class - Offices Closed Nov. 27, 28, 29)
December 2    Monday         Classes Resume
December 10   Tuesday        Legislative Day Treated As a Friday (All Students)
                       Last Day of Classes for All Students
December 13   Friday         First Day of Exam Period
December 21   Saturday       Last Day of Exam Period

SPRING SEMESTER

January 6      Monday         Classes Begin for All Students
January 10    Friday          Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
January 20    Monday         Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No Classes – Offices Closed)
January 21    Tuesday        Legislative Day Treated as a Monday (All Students)
March 2-6     Monday-Friday   Spring Semester Break (No Classes)
March 9       Monday         Classes Resume
April 8       Wednesday       Legislative Day Treated as a Friday (All Students)
April 9-13    Thursday-Monday Easter Break (No Classes – Offices Closed April 9, 10)
April 14      Tuesday         Classes Resume
April 23      Thursday        Last Day of Classes for All Students
April 27      Monday         First Day of Exam Period
May 8         Friday          Last Day of Exam Period
May 25        Monday         Memorial Day (Offices Closed)
May 29        Friday         Commencement