## ACADEMIC YEAR 2010-2011

This calendar includes an addendum listing religious holidays for use in requesting excused absences according to University Policy 1.9. For religious holidays not listed, the instructor or supervisor may contact the Office of the Chaplain.

Graduate Programs in the Cox School of Business, Perkins School of Theology and Dedman School of Law have different calendars.

Offices of the University will be closed on September 6, November 25-26, December 24-31, 2010; January 17, April 22, May 30, 2011.

## FALL TERM 2010

April 5 – April 23, Monday – Friday: Enrollment Fall 2010 Continuing Students for all undergraduates and graduate Dedman & Meadows.

May/July/August -TBA: Academic Advising, Enrollment and Orientation (AARO) conferences for new first-year and transfer undergraduate students. Conference dates to be announced. Contact New Student Programs, Student Life Office, 214-768-4560, <u>www.smu.edu/newstudent</u>.

August 21, Saturday: Residence halls officially open.

August 22, Sunday: Opening Convocation, McFarlin Auditorium.

August 22, Sunday: Arrival of Students for Taos Fall Term.

August 23, Monday: First day of classes.

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August 27, Friday: Last day to enroll, add courses or drop courses without grade record or tuition billing. Last day to file for graduation in December

September 6, Monday: University Holiday - Labor Day.

September 8, Wednesday: Last day to declare pass/fail, no credit or first-year repeated course grading options.

Some areas of instruction may offer a limited number of selected courses during the May Term period, May 11-29. Each May Term course may have unique start and end dates within the May 11-29 term to accommodate the particular needs of the course.

The following dates are applicable only for courses offered at the Taos campus:

May 11, Wednesday: SMU-in-Taos: May Term Travel Day and Arrival, 2-6 p.m. May 12, Thursday: SMU-in-Taos: First Day of Classes. May 13, Friday: SMU-inMay h p La-

Easter Sunday	April 24, 2011
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## <u>Hindu</u>

Janmashtami	September 2, 2010
Dasera	October 17, 2010
Diwali	November 5, 2010

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