

**OFFICIAL  
 UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME AND SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE  
 JOINT ACADEMIC YEAR CALENDAR FOR 1997-98**

**FALL 1997 SEMESTER**

Aug. 22	Friday	Orientation, enrollment, and registration for new upper class and graduate students
Aug. 23-24	Sat - Sun	Orientation and counseling for freshmen
Aug. 25	Monday	Enrollment for all continuing students & freshmen
Aug. 26	Tuesday	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
Sept. 1	Monday	Labor Day - classes are in session
Sept. 3	Wednesday	Last date for all class changes
Sept. 14	Sunday	Mass - formal opening of school year at Notre Dame
Oct. 17	Friday	Mid-semester Deficiency Reports due in Registrar's Office by 3:00 p.m.
Oct. 18-26	Sat - Sun	Mid-semester break
Oct. 27	Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
Oct. 31	Friday	Last day for course discontinuance at Notre Dame
Nov. 17-Dec.4	Mon - Thur	Registration for the Spring 1998 Semester
Nov. 27-30	Thur - Sun	Thanksgiving Holiday (Wednesday, Nov. 26 is a holiday at Saint Mary's College)
Dec. 1	Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
Dec. 1-10	Mon - Wed	Teacher Course Evaluations administered at Notre Dame
Dec. 10	Wednesday	Last class day for Notre Dame
Dec. 12	Friday	Last class day for Saint Mary's College
Dec. 11-14	Thur - Sun	Study days for Notre Dame (no examinations)
Dec. 13-14	Sat - Sun	Study days for Saint Mary's College (no examinations)
Dec. 15-19	Mon - Fri	Final examinations at Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College
Dec. 23	Tuesday	All grades due in the Registrar's Office by 3:00 p.m.
Jan. 4	Sunday	January Official Graduation Date (no ceremony)

**CLASS MEETINGS\***

**NUMBER OF CLASS DAYS\***

MWF	42		<u>Mon</u>	<u>Tues</u>	<u>Wed</u>	<u>Thur</u>	<u>Fri</u>	<u>Total</u>
MW	29	August	0	1	1	1	1	4
TuTh	28	September	5	5	4	4	4	22
		October	3	3	4	4	4	18
		November	4	4	4	3	3	18
		December	2	2	2	1	1	8
		Total	14	15	15	13	13	70

\*The number of class meetings and class days differ for Saint Mary's College

**HOME FOOTBALL GAMES:** Sept. 6 - Georgia Tech    ⌘    Sept. 20 - Michigan State    ⌘    Oct. 18 - USC  
 Oct. 25 - Boston College    ⌘    Nov. 1 - Navy    ⌘    Nov. 22 - West Virginia

## SPRING 1998 SEMESTER

Jan. 12	Monday	Orientation, enrollment, and registration
Jan. 13	Tuesday	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
Jan. 21	Wednesday	Last date for all class changes
Feb. 6	Friday	Notre Dame Student Accounts Deposit due for 1998-99 Academic Year
Feb. 11	Wednesday	Last date for return of Housing Contracts to Student Residences at Notre Dame
Feb. 20-22	Fri - Sun	Junior Parents Weekend at Notre Dame
Feb. 28	Saturday	Deadline for 1998-99 Financial Aid Application at Notre Dame & Saint Mary's College
Mar. 6	Friday	Mid-semester Deficiency Reports due in Registrar's Office by 3:00 p.m.
Mar. 7-15	Sat - Sun	Mid-semester break
Mar. 16	Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
Mar. 18	Wednesday	Registration begins for the 1998 Summer Session at Notre Dame
Mar. 20	Friday	Last day for course discontinuance at Notre Dame
Apr. 6-23	Mon - Thur	Registration for the Fall 1998 Semester
Apr. 10-13	Fri - Mon	Easter Holiday
Apr. 14	Tuesday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
Apr. 20	Monday	Registration begins for Saint Mary's College 1998 Summer Session
Apr. 20-29	Mon - Wed	Teacher Course Evaluations administered at Notre Dame
Apr. 22-24	Wed - Fri	Room reservations for the Fall 1998 Semester at Student Residences
Apr. 29	Wednesday	Last class day for Notre Dame
May 1	Friday	Last class day for Saint Mary's College
Apr 30-May 3	Thur - Sun	Study days for Notre Dame (no examinations)
May 2 - 3	Sat - Sun	Study days for Saint Mary's College (no examinations)
May 4 - 8	Mon - Fri	Final examinations for Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College
May 12	Tuesday	All grades are due in the Registrar's Office by 3:00 p.m.
May 15-17	Fri - Sun	Commencement Weekend

### CLASS MEETINGS\*

### NUMBER OF CLASS DAYS\*

MWF	41		<u>Mon</u>	<u>Tues</u>	<u>Wed</u>	<u>Thur</u>	<u>Fri</u>	<u>Total</u>
MW	28	January	2	3	3	3	3	14
TuTh	29	February	4	4	4	4	4	20
		March	4	4	3	3	3	17
		April	3	4	5	4	3	19
		May	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	13	15	15	14	13	70

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### 1998 SUMMER SESSION

Enrollment- June 22; Commencement - August 7