Lamar Institute of Technology
ACADEMIC CALENDAR
2011-2012
REVISED 6-28-11

FALL SEMESTER 2011

AUGUST

15: Full-time faculty return to campus.
16: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
19: On-campus Registration ends for Fall and Fall 1 Semesters.
21: On-line Registration ends for Fall and Fall 1 Semesters.
22: First day of classes for Fall Semester.
24: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
26: First day for students to notify the department of their major of their intent to graduate and to schedule a degree plan audit.

SEPTEMBER

5: Labor Day holiday (campus closed).
7: 12th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
19: 20th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
26: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day for students to petition to audit a class.

OCTOBER

3: Last day for students to notify the department of their major of their intent to graduate and to schedule a degree plan audit.
27: Class Schedule (Winter Mini/Spring 2011) available.
31: Advising begins for Spring Semester.
31: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

NOVEMBER

1: Last day for students to apply for graduation at the Graduation Office (Wimberly Building); last day for students to pay for graduation at the Cashier’s Office (Beeson Building); last day for students to pay for cap and gown at LU Bookstore.
7-10: Registration begins for students with disabilities and graduating students.
11: Open registration for Winter Mini, Spring, Spring 1 and 2 Semesters.
23: Thanksgiving holiday (no classes).
24-25: Thanksgiving holiday (campus closed).

DECEMBER

7: Last day of classes for Fall and Fall 2 Semesters.
8-14: Final exams.
15: Graduation Ceremony (7 p.m., Montagne Center).
Dec 21-
30: Winter Break for students.

FALL 1 SEMESTER 2011

AUGUST

15: Full-time faculty return to campus.
16: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
19: On-campus Registration ends for Fall and Fall 1 Semesters.
21: On-line Registration ends for Fall and Fall 1 Semesters.
22: First day of classes for Fall 1 Semester.
23: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
29: 6th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.

SEPTEMBER

5: Labor Day holiday (campus closed).
7: 12th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
**Lamar Institute of Technology**
**Academic Calendar (2011-2012)**
Revised 6-28-2011

**Eight Week Semester**
37 Class Days

12 Class Days. December 15, 16, 19, 20. January 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12.

**WINTER MINI-SEMESTER 2011**

**DECEMBER**
15: Registration ends for Winter Mini Semester.
15: First day of classes for Winter Mini Semester.
15: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
16, 19, 20: Winter Mini Semester Class days.

**JANUARY**
3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12: Winter Mini Semester Class days.
12: Last day of classes for Winter Mini Semester.

**SPRING SEMESTER 2012**

**JANUARY**
2: Staff and faculty members return.
3: On-going registration for Spring, Spring 1, and Spring 2 Semesters.
10: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
13: On-campus Registration ends for Spring Semester and Spring 1 Semester.
16: On-line Registration ends for Spring Semester and Spring 1 Semester.
16: Martin Luther King Jr. Day (campus closed).
17: First day of classes for Spring Semester.
20: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
20: First day for students to notify the department of their major of their intent to graduate and to schedule a degree plan audit.

**FEBRUARY**
1: 12th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.

7: Last day of classes for Fall 2 Semester.

**FALL 2 SEMESTER 2011**

**AUGUST**
16: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

**SEPTEMBER**
7: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

**OCTOBER**
10: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
13: On-campus Registration ends for Fall 2 Semester.
13: On-line Registration ends for Fall 2 Semester.
14: First day of classes for Fall 2 Semester.
17: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
21: 6th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
31: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day to petition to audit a class.

**NOVEMBER**
16: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.
23: Thanksgiving holiday (no classes).
24-25: Thanksgiving holiday (campus closed).

**DECEMBER**
7: Last day of classes for Fall 2 Semester.

7: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day to petition to audit a class.
19: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
23 Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

**OCTOBER**
12: Last day of class for Fall 1 Semester.
13: 20th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

20: Last day for students to drop classes or withdraw without academic penalty; last day for students to petition to audit a class.

**MARCH**

5: Last day for students to notify the department of their major of their intent to graduate and to schedule a degree plan audit.

12-16: Spring Break (no classes; campus open).

**APRIL**

1: Priority deadline for completion of FAFSA.

2: Academic advising begins (Summer and Fall Semesters).

2: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

2: Last day for students to apply for graduation at the Graduation Office (Wimberly Building); last day for students to pay for graduation at the Cashier's Office (Beeson Building); last day for students to pay for cap and gown at LU Bookstore.

4: Distribution of Class Schedule (Summer & Fall Semesters).

5: All College Day. (No classes).

6: Good Friday (no classes, campus open).

18-20: Registration begins for students with disabilities and graduating students.

21: On-line registration begins for May Mini, Summer and Fall Semesters.

23: On campus registration begins for May Mini, Summer and Fall Semesters.

**MAY**

9: Last day of classes for Spring Semester.

10-16: Final exams.

17: Graduation Ceremony (7 p.m., Montagne Center).

28: Memorial Day (no classes, campus closed).

**SPRING 1 SEMESTER 2012**

**SPRING 2 SEMESTER 2012**

**MARCH**

7: Last day of classes for Spring Semester 1.

**JANUARY**

2: Staff and faculty members return.

3: On-going registration for Spring 1 Semester.

10: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

13: On-campus Registration ends for Spring Semester and Spring 1 Semester 1.

16: On-line Registration ends for Spring Semester and Spring 1 Semester.

16: Martin Luther King Jr. Day (campus closed).

17: First day of class for Spring Semester.

18: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.

24: 6th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.

**FEBRUARY**

1: 12th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

1: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day to petition to audit a class.

17: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

**MARCH**

7: Last day of classes for Spring Semester 1.
FEBRUARY
1: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

MARCH
7: On-campus Registration ends for Spring 2 Semester.
7: On-line Registration ends for Spring 2 Semester.
8: First day of class for Spring 2 Semester.
9: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
12-16: Spring Break (no classes; campus open).
22: 6th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
30: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day to petition to audit a class.

APRIL
1: Priority deadline for FAFSA.
5: All College Day. (No classes).
6: Good Friday (no classes, campus open).
18: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

MAY
9: Last day of classes for Spring 2 Semester.

MAY MINI SEMESTER 2012
12 Class Days. May 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31, June 1, 4, 5.

MAY
18: Registration ends for May Mini Semester.
18: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
18: First day of classes for May Mini Semester. Last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 31, June 1, 4.
May Mini Semester Class Days.
28: Memorial Day (no classes, campus closed).

JUNE
1, 4: May Mini Semester Class Days.
5: Last day of class for May Mini Semester.

SUMMER I SEMESTER 2012
25 Class Days

MAY
29: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).

JUNE
5: On-campus and on-line registration ends for Summer I & III Semesters.
6: First day of classes for Summer I Semester.
8: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
11: 4th Class Day. Students dropped for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
11: Application for August 2012 Graduation begins.
11: Last day for students to notify the department of their major of their intent to graduate and to schedule a degree plan audit.
15: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day for students to petition to audit a class.
26: 15th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.).
27: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

JULY
4: Independence Day (no classes, campus closed).
5: Last day for students to apply for graduation at the Graduation Office (Wimberly Building); last day for students to pay for graduation at the Cashier’s Office (Beeson Building).
11: Last day of classes for Summer I Semester.
SUMMER II SEMESTER 2012

JULY
11: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m).
11: On-campus and on-line registration ends for Summer II Semester.
12: First day of classes for Summer II Semester.
16: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.
17: 4th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
23: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day to petition to audit a class.

AUGUST
15: Last day of classes for Summer II Semester.

SUMMER III SEMESTER 2012

MAY
29: Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m).

JUNE
5: On-campus and on-line registration ends for Summer I & III Semester.
6: First day of classes for Summer III Semester.
8: Last day to register late; last day to drop and add classes.

11: 4th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m.); last day for students to drop classes and receive a refund.
15: Last day for students to drop or withdraw without academic penalty; last day for students to petition to audit a class.
26: 15th Class Day. Students dropped from classes for non-payment (after 5 p.m).

JULY
4: Independence Day (no classes, campus closed).
5: Last day for students to apply for graduation at the Graduation Office (Wimberly Building); last day for students to pay for graduation at the Cashier's Office (Beeson Building).
27: Last day for students to drop or withdraw with academic penalty.

AUGUST
15: Last day of classes for Summer III Semester.

There is no summer graduation ceremony.

Students completing graduation requirements at the end of Summer I, II and/or III may participate in the preceding May 2012 graduation ceremony or the Fall Semester, December 2012 graduation ceremony.