

**NYU Shanghai 2017-18 Academic Calendar (updated April 13, 2017)**

<b>Fall Semester</b>	
Freshman Move In Day	Friday, August 25
First Day of Freshman Orientation and Convocation	Saturday, August 26
Returning/Study Away Move In Day	Thursday, August 31
First Day of Study Away Orientation	Friday, September 1
Fall Semester Classes Begin/ 1st 7-week Classes Begin	Monday, September 4
Add and Drop Course Deadline - 1st 7-week	Friday, September 8
Add and Drop Course Deadline - Fall full term	Friday, September 15
Course Withdrawal Deadline - 1st 7-wk	Friday, September 29
National Day Holiday (includes Mid-Autumn Fall Festival)	Monday, October 2 - Friday, October 6
Last Day of 1st 7-week Classes	Friday, October 27
2nd 7-week Classes Begin	Monday, October 30
Midterm Grades Deadline - Fall full term	Friday, November 3
Add and Drop Course Deadline - 2nd 7-week	Friday, November 3
Course Withdrawal Deadline - Fall full term	Friday, November 10
Grading Option (P/F) Deadline	Friday, November 10
Registration for Spring Semester 2018 Begins	Week of November 13 - 17 (Tentative)
Legislative Day	Sunday, November 19 (classes meet on a Thursday schedule)
Thanksgiving Holiday	Thursday, November 23 - Friday, November 24
Course Withdrawal Deadline - 2nd 7-wk	Friday, November 24
Legislative Day	Sunday, November 26 (classes meet on a Friday schedule)
Last Day of Fall Semester Classes/Last Day of 2nd 7-week Classes	Friday, December 15
Reading Day	Saturday, December 16
Final Exams	Monday, December 18 - Friday, December 22
Fall Move Out (Study Away & Fall term-only students)	Saturday, December 23
Final Grades Deadline	Grades are due 72 hours after the scheduled final exam date
<b>Winter Break</b>	
Winter Break	Monday, December 25 - Sunday, January 21
<b>Optional January Term</b>	
January Term Classes Begin	Wednesday, January 3
Class Day (instead of January 2)	Saturday, January 6
Last Day of January Term Classes	Friday, January 19
<b>Spring Semester</b>	
Study Away Students Move In Day	Thursday, January 18
First Day of Study Away Student Orientation	Friday, January 19
Spring Semester Classes Begin/ 1st 7-week Classes Begin	Monday, January 22
Add and Drop Course Deadline - 1st 7-week	Friday, January 26
Add and Drop Course Deadline - Spring full term	Friday, February 2
Spring Festival Holiday	Thursday, February 15 - Wednesday, February 21
Course Withdrawal Deadline - 1st 7-week	Friday, February 16
Last Day of 1st 7-week Classes	Friday, March 16
2nd 7-week Classes Begin	Monday, March 19
Add and Drop Course Deadline - 2nd 7-week	Friday, March 23
Midterm Grades Deadline	Friday, March 23
Course Withdrawal Deadline - Spring full term	Friday, March 30
Grading Option (P/F) Deadline	Friday, March 30
Spring Recess (includes Qingming Holiday)	Wednesday, April 4 - Friday, April 6
Course Withdrawal Deadline - 2nd 7-week	Friday, April 20
Registration for Fall Semester 2018 Begins	Week of April 23-27 (Tentative)
China Labor Day Holiday	Monday, April 30 - Tuesday, May 1
Last Day of Spring Semester Classes/Last Day of 2nd 7-week Classes	Friday, May 11
Reading Day	Saturday, May 12
Final Exams	Monday, May 14 - Friday, May 18
Spring Move Out (all students except Summer Session and graduating seniors)	Saturday, May 19
Final Grades Deadline	Grades are due 72 hours after the scheduled final exam date
Commencement	Wednesday, May 23
Spring Move Out (graduating seniors)	Thursday, May 24
<b>Optional Summer Term</b>	
Summer Session I Classes Begin	Tuesday, May 22
Legislative Day	Saturday, May 26 (classes meet on a Monday schedule)
Add and Drop Course Deadline - Summer Session I	Monday, May 28
Course Withdrawal Deadline - Summer Session I	Friday, June 8
Dragon Boat Festival (Duanwu Festival)	Monday, June 18
Legislative Day	Saturday, June 23 (classes meet on a Monday schedule)
Last Day of Summer Session I Classes	Friday, June 29
Summer Session II Classes Begin	Monday, July 2
Add and Drop Course Deadline - Summer Session II	Friday, July 6
Course Withdrawal Deadline - Summer Session II	Friday, July 20
Last Day of Summer Session II Classes	Friday, August 10