South Carolina State University
ACADEMIC CALENDAR – FALL 2011

April 4-8 MONDAY — FRIDAY — Week to obtain Advisement and Alternate PIN from your advisor

April 11-15 MONDAY — FRIDAY — Registration begins for Fall 2011 for all students

July 15 FRIDAY — Mandatory - Deadline for All students to complete Enrollment Validation on Bulldog Connection

July 15 FRIDAY — The deadline to pay tuition and fees for the Fall 2011 Semester by 1 p.m.

July 15 FRIDAY — All class schedules, meal plans and housing assignments will be dropped after 1 p.m. for students who have not paid tuition and fees or made payment arrangements.

July 16 SATURDAY — Late registration begins — a $200.00 Late Fee will be charged to the account of all students who have not paid tuition and fees or made payment arrangements for the Fall 2011 Semester

August 1 MONDAY — Last day for admission for Fall 2011

August 11-12 THURSDAY—FRIDAY — Faculty Workshops

August 12 FRIDAY — Freshman Move In Day — New Student Orientation

August 13-15 SATURDAY—MONDAY—New Student Orientation (Mandatory)

August 14 SUNDAY—Residence Halls open for all returning students at 9 a.m.

August 15 MONDAY — General Assembly for Faculty and Staff MLK Auditorium—9 a.m.

August 16 TUESDAY - Late Registration ends

August 18 THURSDAY — Classes begin. Drop/Add begins

August 19 FRIDAY — No change in Audit after this date

August 22 Monday - Last day for drop/add

Aug 23-Sept 12 TUESDAY-MONDAY—A grade of “W” is awarded for withdrawal from courses. Tuition charges are incurred during this period.

Aug 30-Sept 27 TUESDAY—TUESDAY—Period for filing for graduation in May 2012

September 5 MONDAY—Labor Day Holiday — NO CLASSES

September 8 THURSDAY — Fall Convocation

September 9 FRIDAY — Last day for re-admitted students to file for graduation in December 2011

September 13 TUESDAY—English Proficiency Exam for Undergraduate Students

September 13 TUESDAY—No change in Pass-Fail after this date.

Sept 13- Oct 26 TUESDAY — WEDNESDAY —A grade of “WP” or “WF” will be awarded for a course if dropped during this period.

September 16 FRIDAY—Last day to submit grade changes from Spring 2011 and/or Summer 2011

October 1 SATURDAY — English Proficiency Examination for Graduate Students

October 6-14 THURSDAY—FRIDAY —Submit Senior Exit Survey Forms to Registrar’s Office. Period to Clear Graduating Students for December 2011

October 2-8 SUNDAY-SATURDAY —Homecoming Week

October 12-15 WEDNESDAY—SATURDAY — Mid-Term Examinations

October 14 FRIDAY—Last day for instructors to submit removal of Incomplete(s) from Spring 2011 and/or Summer 2011

October 17-18 MONDAY—TUESDAY — Fall Break—NO CLASSES (Students)

Oct 17- 21 MONDAY—FRIDAY—Week to obtain Advisement and Alternate PIN from your advisor

October 19 WEDNESDAY — Classes Resume

October 19 WEDNESDAY — Mid-Term Grades posted by faculty via Web

October 22 SATURDAY — Professional Comprehensive Examination for Graduate Students

Oct 24 –28 MONDAY—FRIDAY—Registration begins for Spring 2012 for all students

October 27 THURSDAY — A grade of “WF” will be awarded if withdrawn on or after this date

November 5 SATURDAY— Subject Matter Comprehensive Examination for Graduate Students

November 7-12 MONDAY—SATURDAY —Student Evaluation of Instruction

November 10 THURSDAY — Veterans Appreciation Day

November 23-27 WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY — Thanksgiving Holidays — NO CLASSES

November 28 MONDAY — Classes Resume

Nov 30 – Dec 1 WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY —Final Examinations for Graduating Students

December 2 FRIDAY — Classes end — Faculty post final grades for graduating students via Web

December 3-9 SATURDAY—FRIDAY—Final Examinations

December 10 SATURDAY — Commencement Convocation

December 12 MONDAY—Faculty post final grades via Web by 12 p.m.

Subject to Change as Required