

**WEST HILLS COLLEGE DISTRICT  
INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR  
2015-2016**

**2015 SUMMER SESSIONS**

**May 26 – August 12, 2015**    **Instruction Begins/Ends**

**July 3**                                    **Independence Day Observed**

**2015 FALL SEMESTER**

<b>August 12</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>Professional Dev Day, No Classes</b>
<b>August 13</b>	<b>Th</b>	<b>Faculty Flex Day, No Classes</b>
<b>August 14</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Professional Dev Day, No Classes</b>
<b>August 17</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Instruction Begins</b>
<b>September 7</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Labor Day, No Classes</b>
<b>October 16</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Last Day to Petition to Graduate</b>
<b>October 19</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Second 9-week Classes Begin</b>
<b>November 13</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Veteran’s Day Observed, No Classes</b>
<b>November 16</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Last Day to Withdraw with a W</b>
<b>November 26-27</b>	<b>Th-F</b>	<b>Thanksgiving, No Classes</b>
<b>December 14-18</b>	<b>M-F</b>	<b>Finals Week</b>
<b>December 18</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>End of Fall Semester</b>

**Total Instructional Days: 87**

**2016 SPRING SEMESTER**

<b>January 6</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>Professional Dev Day, No Classes</b>
<b>January 7</b>	<b>Th</b>	<b>Faculty Flex Day, No Classes</b>
<b>January 8</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Professional Dev Day, No Classes</b>
<b>January 11</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Instruction Begins</b>
<b>January 18</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Martin Luther King Day, No Classes</b>
<b>February 12</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Lincoln’s Day Observed, No Classes</b>
<b>February 15</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Washington’s Day Observed, No Classes</b>
<b>March 11</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Last Day to Petition to Graduate</b>
<b>March 14</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>Second 9-week Classes Begin</b>
<b>March 21-25</b>	<b>M-F</b>	<b>Spring Recess</b>
<b>April 15</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Last Day to Withdraw with a W</b>
<b>May 16-20</b>	<b>M-F</b>	<b>Finals Week</b>
<b>May 19</b>	<b>Th</b>	<b>Lemoore Commencement</b>
<b>May 20</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Coalinga Commencement</b>
<b>May 20</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>End of Spring Semester</b>

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**Approved by the Board of Trustees: 12/10/13**