



2026 –2027 Holiday and University Planned Closure Calendar

Effective Monday, June 1, 2026 through Friday, July 31, 2026, the University will operate on a 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. schedule. This change will affect those employees who are currently scheduled to work from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Other operations will not be affected by this schedule change.

Date	Day	Holiday / Planned Closure
July 3, 2026	Friday	Independence Day (observed)
September 7, 2026	Monday	Labor Day
October 8, 2026	Thursday	Fall Break Day 1
October 9, 2026	Friday	Fall Break Day 2
November 25, 2026	Wednesday	Thanksgiving, Wednesday prior
November 26, 2026	Thursday	Thanksgiving
November 27, 2026	Friday	Thanksgiving, Friday following
December 18, 2026	Friday	Administrative Closure Day 1
December 21, 2026	Monday	Administrative Closure Day 2
December 22, 2026	Tuesday	Administrative Closure Day 3
December 23, 2026	Wednesday	Administrative Closure Day 4
December 24, 2026	Thursday	Christmas Eve
December 25, 2026	Friday	Christmas Day
December 28, 2026	Monday	Energy Savings Day 1
December 29, 2026	Tuesday	Energy Savings Day 2
December 30, 2026	Wednesday	Energy Savings Day 3
December 31, 2026	Thursday	New Year's Eve
January 1, 2027	Friday	New Year's Day
January 18, 2027	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
March 15, 2027	Monday	Administrative Closure Day 5
March 16, 2027	Tuesday	Administrative Closure Day 6
March 17, 2027	Wednesday	Spring Break, Day 1
March 18, 2027	Thursday	Spring Break, Day 2
March 19, 2027	Friday	Spring Break, Day 3
May 31, 2027	Monday	Memorial Day
June 18, 2027	Friday	Juneteenth (observed)

This schedule is established in accordance with policy number IV D in the Murray State University Personnel Policies and Procedures Manual. The calendar and policies are available at <http://www.murraystate.edu/hr>.