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Curricula Changes

The University reserves the right to recommend changes in curricula, degree requirements, course offerings, and all academic regulations at any time when such changes are for the best interest of the students and the University. All changes must be approved by the Regional University System of Oklahoma Colleges and the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education. Certain program modifications reflected in this publication are pending approval.

Fee Statement

Fees stated in this catalog are those in effect during the 2017-2018 school years. Current schedule of fees is available upon request.

Affirmative Action Compliance Statement

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, to the extent required by law, in compliance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 402 of the Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, Americans With Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 1990, the American with Disability Act as Amended of 2009, and other federal laws and regulations does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, disability, gender, sexual orientation, genetic information or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures. This includes but is not limited to admissions, employment, financial assistance, housing, and educational service.

Accreditation Statement

Southwestern Oklahoma State University-Sayre and its academic programs are accredited by the following agencies:

Higher Learning Commission, North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools (NCA)
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Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education
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7777 Leesburg Pike, Suite 730, Falls Church, VA 22043 703-917-9503 info@abhes.org

Joint Review Committee for Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT) of the United States Department of Education
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Southwestern Oklahoma State University Academic Calendar 2017-2018

*Fall Semester 2017

Date	Day/Time	Description
August 16	Wednesday	New Student Orientation; New Faculty Orientation
August 17	Thursday	New Faculty Orientation (continued)
August 18	Friday	Faculty Workshop; Enrollment for students who did not pre-enroll
August 21	Monday (8:00 a.m.)	Classwork begins
August 25	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to add classes
September 1	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop a class or totally withdraw for a refund
September 4	Monday	Labor Day Holiday
October 13	Friday	1st 8 week classes end
October 16	Monday	2nd 8 week classes begin
October 18	Wednesday (10:00 p.m.)	Fall break begins
October 23	Monday (8:00 a.m.)	Classwork resumes
November 3	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop with a guaranteed "W" and last day to add CAI courses
November 21	Tuesday (10:00 p.m.)	Thanksgiving vacation begins
November 27	Monday (8:00 a.m.)	Classwork resumes
December 6	Wednesday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop with Instructor permission
December 11-15	Monday - Friday	Final exams
December 15	Friday (10:00 p.m.)	Semester ends and semester break begins
December 18	Monday (5:00 p.m.)	Final grades due

*Spring Semester 2018

Date	Day/Time	Description
January 5	Friday	Enrollment for students who did not pre-enroll
January 8	Monday (8:00 a.m.)	Classwork begins
January 12	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to add classes
January 15	Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Holiday)
January 22	Monday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop a class or totally withdraw for a refund
March 2	Friday	1st 8 week classes end
March 5	Monday	2nd 8 week classes begin
March 16	Friday (5:00 p.m.)	Spring break begins
March 26	Monday (8:00 a.m.)	Classwork resumes
March 30	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop with a guaranteed "W" and last day to add CAI courses
April 25	Wednesday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop with Instructor permission
April 30-May 4	Monday - Friday	Final exams
May 3	Thursday (7:00 p.m.)	Convocation
May 4	Friday (10:00 p.m.)	Semester ends and semester break begins
May 7	Monday	Final grades due

*Summer Semester 2018

Date	Day/Time	Description
June 1	Friday	Enrollment for students who did not pre-enroll
June 4	Monday (8:00 a.m.)	Classwork begins
June 5	Tuesday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to add classes
June 11	Monday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop a class or totally withdraw for a refund
June 28	Thursday	Final exams for the 1st 4 week classes
July 2	Monday	2nd 4 week classes begin
July 4	Wednesday	Independence Day Holiday
July 13	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop with a guaranteed "W" and last day to add CAI courses
July 23	Friday (4:30 p.m.)	Last day to drop with Instructor permission
July 25-26	Wednesday and Thursday	Final exams for the 2nd 4 week & 8 week classes
July 26	Friday (5:00 p.m.)	Semester ends and semester break begins
July 27	Monday	Final grades due

*See early enrollment dates listed here: <http://www.swosu.edu/resources/schedules.aspx>

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