

Office of the President

DATE:

May 31, 2023

TO:

Sld Bens Deans, Division and Department Heads

FROM:

Dr. Ronald L. Berry, President

RE:

ULM Employee Holiday Schedule

Act 139 of the 1991 Regular Session of the Legislature provides that each institution of higher education shall designate a maximum of fourteen (14) legal holidays per calendar year to be observed as University holidays instead of observing the same number of State designated holidays.

Accordingly, the following University holidays are designated for 2023-2024 and will be observed without regard to otherwise designated State Holidays.

<u>University</u>		Official State	University
Designated Holidays	2023-2024 Dates	Holidays	Closures*
Independence Day	July 3*		1*
Independence Day	July 4	1	
Labor Day	September 4	1	
Fall Break	October 13*		.5*
Thanksgiving	November 22**		.5*
	November 23	1	
	November 24	.5	
Christmas/New Year	December 18*		1*
	December 19*		1*
	December 20*		1*
	December 21	1	
	December 22	.5	
	December 25	1	
	December 26	1	
	December 27	1	
	December 28	1	
	December 29	.5	
	January 1	1	
Dr. Martin Luther King Day	January 15	1	
Mardi Gras	February 12*		1*
	February 13	1	
Spring Break	March 29	.5	
	April 1*		1*
	April 2*		1*
Memorial Day	May 27	1	
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Please make this information available to all employees within your unit.

Department heads are authorized to allow employees, where applicable, to work during holidays in lieu of using leave.

*These are employee leave days, i.e., compensatory leave, annual leave or leave without pay as appropriate.

**University offices will close at 12:00 pm on Wednesday, November 22, 2023, in observance of Thanksgiving break. Winter session classes resume Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

All employees should report to work on Tuesday, January 2, 2024 following the Christmas and New Year break.

