MOUNTAIN EMPIRE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
2022-2023 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

SUMMER SEMESTER 2022

Long Session
- New Student Seminar/SDV 100 ......................................................... Wednesday-Thursday, May 25-26
- College Closed - Memorial Day Holiday ........................................ Monday, May 30
- Tuition Due for Early Enrollment ...................................................... Wednesday, June 1
- Classes Begin .................................................................................. Wednesday, June 1
- Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ....................... Friday, June 3
- Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections .................. Friday, June 10
- College Closed – Juneteenth Holiday .............................................. Monday, June 20
- Last Day to Make-up Incomplete Grades from Spring 2022 .......... Friday, July 8
- Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty .......... Monday, July 11
- Classes End ...................................................................................... Tuesday, August 2
- Final Exams .................................................................................... Wednesday and Thursday, August 3-4
- Grades Due at 12 Noon .................................................................... Friday, August 5

First Short Session
- College Closed - Memorial Day Holiday ........................................ Monday, May 30
- Tuition Due for Early Enrollment ...................................................... Wednesday, June 1
- Classes Begin .................................................................................. Wednesday, June 1
- Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ....................... Wednesday, June 1
- Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections .................. Monday, June 6
- Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty .......... Monday, June 20
- College Closed – Juneteenth Holiday .............................................. Monday, June 20
- Classes End ...................................................................................... Wednesday, June 29
- Final Exams ..................................................................................... Thursday, June 30
- Grades Due at 12 Noon .................................................................. Friday, July 1

Second Short Session
- College Closed – Independence Day Holiday ................................ Monday, July 4
- Tuition Due for Early Enrollment ...................................................... Tuesday, July 5
- Classes Begin .................................................................................. Tuesday, July 5
- Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ....................... Tuesday, July 5
- Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections .................. Monday, July 11
- Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty .......... Monday, July 25
- Classes End ...................................................................................... Wednesday, August 3
- Final Exams ..................................................................................... Thursday, August 4
- Grades Due at 12 Noon .................................................................. Friday, August 5
FALL SEMESTER 2022

16 Weeks

Faculty/Staff In-Service Days .................................................. Tuesday-Wednesday, August 16-17
New Student Seminar/SDV 100 ..................................................... Thursday-Friday, August 18-19
Enrollment/Advisement Days ....................................................... Thursday-Friday, August 18-19
Tuition Due .................................................................................. Monday, August 22
First Day of Classes ................................................................. Monday, August 22
Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission .............. Sunday, August 28
College Closed – Labor Day ....................................................... Monday, September 5
Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections .......................... Thursday, September 8
Faculty/Staff In-Service Day (no day or evening classes) .......... Friday, October 14
Spring Early Enrollment Begins ............................................... Tuesday, October 25
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty ...... Monday, October 31
Application Deadline for Fall Graduation .............................. Tuesday, November 1
Last Day to Make-up Incomplete Grades from Summer 2022 ... Friday, November 18
College Closes at Noon (no day or evening classes) ............... Wednesday, November 23
College Closed-Thanksgiving Holiday ................................... Thursday – Friday, November 24-25
Last Day of Classes ..................................................................... Friday, December 9
Examination Days ..................................................................... Monday – Thursday, December 12-15
Faculty/Staff In-Service Day – Grades Due at 4:30 p.m. .......... Friday, December 16
Professional Development Days ........................................... Monday – Thursday, December 19-22
College Closed – Christmas Holiday ...................................... Friday, December 23

8W1 (Eight Week First) Session

Classes Begin ................................................................................ Monday, August 22
Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ............... Wednesday, August 24
Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections .................. Monday, August 29
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty ...... Thursday, September 22
Classes End .................................................................................. Friday, October 14
8W1 Grades Due ........................................................................... Monday, October 17

8W2 (Eight Week Second) Session

Classes Begin ................................................................................ Monday, October 17
Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ............... Wednesday, October 19
Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections .................. Monday, October 24
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty ...... Wednesday, November 17
Classes End .................................................................................. Friday, December 9
8W2 Grades Due ........................................................................... Friday, December 16
SPRING SEMESTER 2023

16 Weeks

Enrollment/Advisement Days ................................................................. Monday-Monday, January 2-9
Faculty/Staff In-Service Days ............................................................... Wednesday-Thursday, January 4-5
Tuition Due ............................................................................................ Tuesday, January 10
First Day of Classes ............................................................... Tuesday, January 10
Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ...................... Monday, January 16
Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections ............... Friday, January 27
Application Deadline for Spring and Summer Graduation ................... Friday, February 24
Professional Development Days (No day or evening classes) .......... Monday-Tuesday, March 6-7
Spring break-No Day or Evening Classes (Note: May be reduced/eliminated if necessary to make up class time.) ......................................................... Wednesday– Friday, March 8-10
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty .............. Monday, March 27
College Closed .................................................................................... Friday, April 7
Last Day to Make-up Incomplete Grades from Fall 2022 ................. Friday, April 7
Faculty/Staff In-Service Day - Graduate Assessment at 9:00 a.m., Graduation Practice, Goodloe Center, 11:00 a.m. (no day or evening classes) ................................................................. Friday, April 28
Last day of classes ............................................................................. Thursday, May 4
Faculty/Staff In-Service, Celebration of People .................................. Friday, May 5
Examination Days ............................................................................... Monday – Thursday, May 8-11
Graduation, Faculty/Staff In-Service, Grades Due by 4:30 p.m. ............ Friday, May 12

8W1 (Eight Week First) Session

Classes Begin ........................................................................................ Tuesday, January 10
Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ...................... Thursday, January 12
Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections ....................... Tuesday, January 17
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty .............. Friday, February 10
Classes End .......................................................................................... Friday, March 3
8W1 Grades Due .................................................................................... Monday, March 6

8W2 (Eight Week Second) Session

Classes Begin ........................................................................................ Monday, March 13
Last Day to Add Classes without Faculty Permission ...................... Wednesday, March 15
Last Day to Add Classes with Faculty Permission, Change from Audit to Credit, Change from Credit to Audit, Drop with a Refund, or Change Class Sections ....................... Monday, March 20
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without Grade Penalty .............. Thursday, April 13
Classes End .......................................................................................... Friday, May 5
8W2 Grades Due .................................................................................... Friday, May 12
Definitions and Summary Information
Fall Semester 2022 - Spring Semester 2023

The following designations and definitions have been used in the development of MECC’s academic calendar for fall semester 2022 through spring semester 2023:

**Faculty/Staff In-service Days** - In-service days are scheduled work days with structured activities to be determined by needs identified by the president, the vice president of academic and student services, academic deans, and the Professional Development Committee. Unless otherwise indicated as needs are considered, in-service day activities will be held on campus with attendance expected.

**Enrollment/Advisement Days** - Faculty advisors should be available from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on these days.

**Professional Development Days** – Faculty are expected to use these days to attend meetings, conferences, seminars, etc. that may be used for professional development.

### COMPARISON OF MECC CALENDAR TO VCCS POLICY

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