**American University**
**The International Gateway Program**
**Important Dates**
**2012-2013**

**2012**
**Fall Semester**

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| August 17 | Students move into residence halls |
| August 18-19 | Orientation begins |
| August 20-24 | Orientation Week |
| August 27 | Fall classes begin |
| September 3 | Labor Day; no classes, university offices closed |
| November 20 | Tuesday classes cancelled; Friday classes meet. |
| November 21–25 | Thanksgiving holiday; no classes; university offices closed Thursday and Friday |
| December 7 | Fall classes end |
| December 10-17 | Fall Final Examinations |
| December 12 | Fall study day; no classes |
| December 13–20 | Fall final grades due |
| December 18 | Students must move out of Tenley residence halls by 12:00 noon. |
| Dec 22 – Jan 1 | Winter break; university offices closed |

**2013**
**Spring Semester**

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| January 6-7 | International Students arrive and move into residence halls; **Tenley residence halls open at 12:00 noon on Sunday, January 6 for check-in**. |
| January 8-9 | International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS) Orientation; mandatory for all international students; includes Kansas English Assessment Test on Tuesday, January 8 at 9am. |
| January 10 | IGP Orientation (10am – 2pm) – lunch included |
| January 10–13 | Spring Welcome Week – various orientation activities on Tenley and main campus |
| January 14 | Spring classes begin |
| January 20 | Inauguration Day; no classes, university offices closed |
| January 21 | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; no classes, university offices closed |
| March 10–17 | Spring break; no classes, university offices open Monday-Friday |
| April 29 | Spring classes end |
| April 30 | Spring study day; no classes |
| May 1–7 | Spring final examinations |
| May 4–10 | Spring final grades due |
| May 8 | Students must move out of Tenley residence halls by 12:00 noon |