

Alternative Certification Program - Calendar of Events for Fall 2009

Two important resources that will make your life much easier:		••Check your email daily ••Read and use the ACP Website
Important Dates	Action to be taken	Resource
Upon employment	I Have a Job...Now What?	<a href="#">Click here for instructions and forms.</a>
Upon employment	Apply for Probationary Teacher Certificate (Only if you have a job.)	<a href="#">Click here for instructions and to apply.</a>
Fall	I Do Not Have a Job..What Do I Do?	• Continue taking classes (except Internship) • Take the TExES Content Test • Substitute teach if possible • Get a head start on the next hiring season
Fri, July 17	TExES Computer Test (CAT) Given - Texarkana (Check TExES website for other dates and locations.)	<a href="#">Click here to register for TExES test.</a>
Monday, July 20, 2009	Fall Pre-Registration for Returning Students 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	See "Course Requirements" on ACP Website for specific classes related to your area and level of certification. To register online, see Fall Regular Registration below.
Fri, July 31	TExES Computer Test (CAT) Given - Texarkana (Check TExES website for other dates and locations.)	<a href="#">Click here to register for TExES test.</a>
Fri, Aug. 6	Last class day of Summer II	
Wed., Aug. 11	Final Grades	<a href="#">Final grades will NOT be mailed. Access "Web for Students-Enter Student Services" to view.</a>
Aug. 20, 21, 24 (R,F,M)	Fall Regular Registration 8:30-5 (Fri.)	<a href="#">See hard copy of Fall 2009 Schedule of Classes or click to access online.</a>
Wed., August 27	First class day for Fall	Fall Semester: August 27 to December 16, 2009
Sat., Aug. 29	TExES Paper Testing (Limited Test Sites)	<a href="#">Not available in Texarkana. Click here to register.</a>
Mon., Sept. 7	Holiday	No classes (University Closed)
Sat., Sept. 12 - Room Quad 129 Aikin Bldg.	Orientation for ACP Interns, Mentors and Liaisons ( <b>Interns are those that have teaching jobs.</b> )	To be held at A&M-Texarkana campus. <b>Only those that have teaching jobs should attend.</b> Additional Information will be sent later.
Thurs.- Fri. Nov. 26-28	Thanksgiving Holiday	No classes (University Closed)
Mon., Dec.16	Last class day for Fall	
Mon., Dec. 21	Final Grades	<a href="#">Final grades will NOT be mailed. Access "Web for Students-Enter Student Services" to view.</a>
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