

International Student Services Division of Student Success Center

2017-2018 Returning Student Travel Guidelines & Dates

DSU International Student Services provides complimentary travel to/from the Memphis International Airport for DSU international students at pre-scheduled dates/times at the beginning and end of each fall and spring semesters. Students interested in reserving a space on a DSU van should contact DSU International Student Services for details.

Travel Guidelines:

- Travel arrangements must be scheduled with International Student Services, <u>international@deltastate.edu</u>, no less than one week prior to travel date.
- DSU van will pick up/drop off at Memphis International Airport once per day on the dates indicated below.
- For "Beginning of Semester" trips, pick up time is determined by the <u>latest flight arrival time</u> for that day during the approved times: <u>between 10am-6pm</u>.
 - o If flight arrives **after 6pm**, DSU cannot guarantee pick up, so student will be responsible for making alternate arrangements.
- For, End of the Semester" trips, drop off time is determined by the <u>earliest flight departure time</u> for that day during the approved times: <u>between 12pm-8pm</u>.
 - If flight departs before 12pm, DSU cannot guarantee drop off, so student will be responsible for making alternate arrangements.

| Fall 2017 Semester Travel Dates and Information Beginning of Semester – August 2017 | Spring 2018 Semester Travel Dates and Information Beginning of Semester – January 2018 |
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| Van Travel Dates: Thursday, August 17 Friday, August 18 Saturday, August 19 Sunday, August 20 | Van Travel Dates: Thursday, January 4 Friday, January 5 Saturday, January 6 Sunday, January 7 |
| Residence Halls Open* Sunday, August 20, 1pm | Residence Halls Open* Sunday, January 7, 1pm |
| <u>Classes Begin</u> Monday, August 21 | <u>Classes Begin</u> Monday, January 8 |
| <u>Thanksgiving Break</u> November 20 – 24 Drop-Off- Friday, November 17 Pick-Up- Sunday, November 26 | <u>Spring Break</u> March 12 – 16 Drop-Off- Friday, March 9 Pick-Up- Sunday, March 18 |
| End of Semester – December 2017 | End of Semester – May 2018 |
| Van Travel Dates: Thursday, December 7 Friday, December 8 Saturday, December 9 Sunday, December 10 | Van Travel Dates: Thursday, May 3 Friday, May 4 Saturday, May 5 Sunday, May 6 |
| Exams End & Residence Halls Close | Exams End & Residence Halls Close |
| Friday, December 8, 5pm | Friday, May 4, 5pm |
| <u>Graduation</u> Saturday, December 9 | <u>Graduation</u> Saturday, May 5 |

^{*} Please let International Student Services know if need to move into residence hall prior to official opening date.