

Academic Calendar
Class of 2018-2019

Program Calendar for the Clinical Year

Start Date: May 21, 2018

End Date: May 3, 2019

Orientation Days: May 21 & 22, 2018 – mandatory attendance

First Day of Class: May 23, 2018

Length of Program: 50 weeks (36 semester hours)

- Monday through Friday: 6:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- No holidays or weekends required

Phases of education at Methodist Hospital Pathology Center

1. Student Laboratory / Classroom – Theory and Practice Labs
 - 12 weeks total (including hemostasis, parasitology, & mycology)
2. Rotation I in Clinical Laboratory – Theory and Clinical Experience
 - 15 weeks total (5 rotation blocks-3 weeks each)
3. Rotation II in Clinical Laboratory – Theory and Clinical Experience
 - 20 weeks total (5 rotation blocks-4 weeks each)

Breaks

- Thanksgiving break – no class on Thursday & Friday of holiday week
- Semester break is two weeks: late December to early January
- Spring break is one week: mid or late March

Graduation Tea: Friday, May 3, 2019