Regents policy: http://www.usg.edu/policymanual/section3/C339/#

Note: each "week" is a 150 minute instructional period or equivalent, per Regents Policy. Example is presented for classes that meet one day per week, but this can be extrapolated to all classes that meet 150 minutes per week.

Regents policy requires 15 weeks X 150 minutes = 2250 minutes.

Week 16 is extra instructional time not required by Regents policy.

These are the proposed dates for Fall 2017 and Spring 2018 based on the faculty petition

Start Date F17	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14 Week 15	Week 16
Monday	8/21	1 8/28	9/11	9/18	9/25	10/2	10/9	10/16	10/23	10/30	11/6	11/13	11/27	**11/30 finals	X
Tuesday	8/22	2 8/29	9/5	9/12	9/19	9/26	10/3	10/10	10/17	10/24	10/31	11/7	11/14	11/28 finals	X
Wednesday	8/23	3 8/30	9/6	9/13	9/20	9/27	10/4	10/11	10/18	10/25	11/1	11/8	11/15	11/29 finals	X
Thursday	8/17	7 8/24	8/31	9/7	9/14	9/21	9/28	10/5	10/12	10/19	10/26	11/2	11/9	11/16 finals	X
Friday	8/18	8/25	5 9/1	9/8	9/15	9/22	9/29	10/6	10/13	10/20	11/3	11/10	11/17	7 12/1 finals	X
Start Date S18	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14 Week 15	Week 16
Monday	1/22	2 1/29	2/5	2/12	2/19	2/26	3/5	3/19	3/26	4/2	4/9	4/16	4/23	**4/26 finals	X
Tuesday	1/16	5 1/23	3 1/30	2/6	2/13	2/20	2/27	3/6	3/20	3/27	4/3	4/10	4/17	4/24 finals	X
Wednesday	1/17	7 1/24	1/31	2/7	2/14	2/21	2/28	3/7	3/21	3/28	4/4	4/11	4/18	4/25 finals	X
Thursday	1/11	1 1/18	3 1/25	2/1	2/8	2/15	2/22	3/1	3/8	3/22	3/29	4/5	4/12	2 4/19 finals	X
Friday	1/12	2 1/19	9 1/26	3 2/2	2/9	2/16	2/23	3/2	3/9	3/23	3/30	4/6	4/13	4/20 finals	X

For comparison: Georgia State Academic Calendar:

http://registrar.gsu.edu/files/2013/05/2017-2018-At-A-Glance-Semester-Calendars.pdf

Georgia Tech: http://www.registrar.gatech.edu/calendar/

**11/30 and 4/26 each would have to be a Thursday counting as a Monday