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JULY - DECEMBER

	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
BUDGET	New budgets and fiscal year begin		Current fiscal year budget reconciled and approved by the Board of Trustees			Mid-year budget review
STAFF PRIORITIZATION			Staff Prioritization takes place Staff Prioritization results shared with Budget Subcommittee, College Planning Council, and Superintendent/President			
FACULTY PRIORITIZATION, STAFF PRIORITIZATION, AND EQUIPMENT/TECHNOLOGY PRIORITIZATION			Faculty and staff positions announced for recruitment Funded equipment/technology requests announced for purchase			
SUMMER SCHEDULE † FALL SCHEDULE †					Program planning FTES projections	First drafts
WINTER SCHEDULE † SPRING SCHEDULE †		Second drafts		Third drafts	Schedules published Registration opens	

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JANUARY - JUNE

	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	
BUDGET	Governor's budget announced	Budget review		New department budgets submitted to Fiscal Services	Purchasing deadlines May revise announced		
ANNUAL PROGRAM REVIEW*			PEP-Ups due/PRUs due				
Program Review Updates (PRUs)							
Program Enhancement Plan Updates			Documents posted on				
(PEP-Ups)			portal				
PROGRAM ENHANCEMENT PLANS			PEPs due				
(PEPs)							
5-Year Comprehensive Planning Review			Documents posted on				
			portal				
FACULTY PRIORITIZATION	Recruitments and Hirings						
FACULTY PRIORITIZATION AND EQUIPMENT/TECHNOLOGY PRIORITIZATION				Faculty Prioritiza Equipment/Technology Mid- to I Faculty Prioritization and Prioritization results Subcommittee, College Superintende			
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