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The Department of Plant Biology offers Undergraduate and Graduate degrees for students interested in the scientific study of plants. The faculty maintains expertise in plant anatomy, biodiversity, conservation, ecology, evolution, morphology, phylogeny, physiology, phytochemistry, and systematics.

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Fall 2019 Semester:

Classes Begin: Aug 19th

Labor Day Holiday: Sept 2nd

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Thanksgiving Vacation: Nov 23rd-
Dec 1st

Final Exams: Dec 9th-13th

Commencement: Dec 14th



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