

2018 Fall Semester

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| New Faculty Orientation | Mon-Tues, August 20-21 |
| Arrival of Non-Registered New Students (freshmen & transfers in residence) | Thursday, August 23 |
| Orientation, Advisement & Registration for Non-Registered New Students | Friday, August 24 |
| New Student Arrival (all freshmen/transfers in residence who attend summer orientation) | Friday, August 24 |
| Opening Picnic & Torchlight Ceremony | Friday, August 24 |
| Opening Events | Fri-Mon, Aug. 24-Sept. 3 |
| Arrival of Returning Students in Residence | Sunday, August 26 |
| President's Opening Breakfast Meeting | Monday, August 27 |
| Instruction Begins: Semester & Q-1 Courses | Monday, August 27 |
| Registration Changes (Add/Drop Period Begins) | Monday, August 27 |
| Final Date to Add a Q-1 Course | Thursday, August 30 |
| Final Date to Select Pass/Fail Option for Q-1 Course | Thursday, August 30 |
| Labor Day (No Classes/Residence Halls Remain Open) | Monday, September 3 |
| Q-1 Student Teaching Begins | Tuesday, September 4 |
| Final Date to Drop a Q-1 Course | Thursday, September 6 |
| Final Date to Add an Undergraduate or Graduate Semester Course | Thursday, September 6 |
| Final Date to Select Pass/Fail Option for Semester Course | Thursday, September 6 |
| Rosh Hashanah (No Classes) | Mon-Tues., Sept. 10-11 |
| Final Date to Drop an Undergraduate or Graduate Semester Course | Thursday, September 20 |
| Course Withdrawal Period (WP, WF, WN) in Effect | September 21 – October 26 |
| Yom Kippur (No Evening Classes--all classes will end by 4:00 pm) | Tues., September 18 |
| Yom Kippur (No Classes) | Wed., September 19 |
| Final Date for FACULTY to Remove Incompletes and Other Grade Changes | Friday, October 5 |
| Columbus Day Open House | Monday, October 8 |
| Final Exams: Q-1 Courses | Mon-Thurs, October 15-18 |
| End of Q-1 Student Teaching | Thursday, October 18 |
| Fall Break (No Classes) | Friday, October 19 |
| Mid Term Grades Posted | Friday, October 19 |
| Q-2 Student Teaching Begins | Monday, October 22 |
| Instruction Begins: Q-2 Courses | Monday, October 22 |
| Final Date to Add a Q-2 Course | Thursday, October 25 |
| Final Date to Select Pass/Fail Option for Q-2 Course | Thursday, October 25 |
| Family & Friends Weekend | Fri-Sun, October 26-28 |
| Documented Late Withdrawal Period (WP, WF, WN) in Effect | October 29-December 7 |
| Final Date to Drop a Q-2 Course | Wednesday, October 31 |
| Veteran's Day Open House | Monday, November 12 |
| Thanksgiving Recess | Wed-Sun, November 21-25 |
| All Non-break Residence Halls Close | Wed, November 21 (noon) |
| All Residence Halls Reopen | Sun, November 25 (noon) |
| Classes Resume | Monday, November 26 |
| Last Day of Classes | Friday, December 7 |
| Reading Days | Sat-Sun, December 8-9 |
| Common Finals | Monday, December 10 |
| Final Exams: Semester & Q-2 Courses | Mon-Fri, December 10-14 |
| End of Q-2 Student Teaching | Thursday, December 13 |
| All Non-break Residence Halls Close | Sat, December 15 (10 am) |
| December Graduation | Saturday, December 15 |
| Winter Recess Begins | |