

CALENDAR FOR THE 2020-21 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST SEMESTER - 2020

August 15 (Saturday 8 a.m.)	Residence halls open for new students
Aug. 15-Aug. 23 (Saturday-Sunday)	New Student Week
August 20 (Thursday)	College Fall Conference
August 22 (Saturday 8 a.m.)	Residence halls open for returning students
August 24 (Monday)	Instruction begins: Block 1 (10:30 a.m.)
August 24 (Monday (9 a.m.) (10:30 a.m.))	Opening Convocation
September 16 (Wednesday)	Classes
September 21 (Monday)	End of Block 1
September 21-October 2 (Mon.-Fri.)	Beginning of Block 2
September 25-27 (Friday-Sunday)	New student registration for Blocks 3-8
October 9-11 (Friday-Sunday)	Family Weekend
October 14 (Wednesday)	Homecoming Weekend
October 19 (Monday)	End of Block 2
November 11 (Wednesday)	Beginning of Block 3
November 16 (Monday)	End of Block 3
November 23-27	Beginning of Block 4 (one week occurs before fall break)
December 16	Fall Break including Thanksgiving
	End of Block 4 at noon;
	Beginning of Winter Break
December 17 (Thursday)	Residence halls close at noon

SECOND SEMESTER - 2021

January 3 (Sunday, 8 a.m.)	Residence Halls open
January 4-14 (Monday-Thursday)	Half-block
January 9 (Saturday)	Winter-starts move in residence halls
January 9-16 (Saturday-Saturday)	Winter-start orientation
January 18 (Monday)	Registration for all students
January 18 (Monday)	Beginning of Block 5
February 10 (Wednesday)	End of Block 5
February 15 (Monday)	Beginning of Block 6
March 10 (Wednesday)	End of Block 6
March 11 (Thursday)	Beginning of Spring Break
	Residence halls close at noon
March 21 (Sunday, 8 a.m.)	Residence halls open
March 22 (Monday)	Beginning of Block 7
March 22-April 2 (Monday-Friday)	Preregistration for all students
April 14 (Wednesday)	End of Block 7
April 19 (Monday)	Beginning of Block 8
May 4 (Tuesday)	Honors Convocation
May 12 (Wednesday)	End of Block 8
May 13 (Thursday)	Residence halls close at 5pm
May 15 (Saturday)	Baccalaureate
May 16 (Sunday)	Commencement