

# The 2019-2020 Academic Calendar

All dates are inclusive. A more detailed Academic Calendar is published by the Registrar's Office in August of each academic year.

## Fall Semester, 2019

August 29, Thursday	Residence halls open at 9 a.m. for new students. Check-in is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
August 30, Friday	Residence halls open at 9 a.m. for all students.
September 3, Tuesday	Fall semester classes begin.
September 13, Friday	Last day to add classes.
October 10-11	Midsemester break; no classes.
October 16, Wednesday	Last day to drop from classes or the college without record.
October 25-27	Family Weekend.
November 7-12	Preregistration period for the spring semester 2020.
November 8, Friday	Final day to withdraw from classes or the college with W grades. Close of P-D-F registration period.
November 22, Friday	Thanksgiving vacation begins at 6 p.m., Friday and ends at 8 a.m., Monday, December 2. All residence halls remain open.
December 13, Friday	Last day of classes, fall semester. Honors theses due in library for Fall thesis candidates.
December 16-20	Final examination period.
December 20, Friday	Fall semester ends. All residence halls close at noon Saturday, December 21.

## Spring Semester, 2020

January 16, Thursday	Orientation for new students begins at 2:30pm.
January 19, Sunday	Residence halls open at 9 a.m. for returning students.
January 20, Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; no classes.
January 21, Tuesday	Spring semester classes begin
January 31, Friday	Last day to add classes.
February 17, Monday	President's Day; no classes.
February 20, Thursday	Power and Privilege Symposium; no classes.
February 28, Friday	Last day to drop from classes or the college without record.
March 13, Friday	Spring vacation begins at 6 p.m., Friday (all residence halls close at 9 a.m., Saturday, March 14) and ends at 8 a.m., Monday, March 30 (all residence halls open at noon, Sunday, March 29).
April 10, Friday	Final day to withdraw from classes or the college with W grades. Close of P-D-F registration period.
April 7, Tuesday	Whitman Undergraduate Conference; no classes.
April 24-28	Preregistration period for the fall semester 2020.
May 11, Monday	Last day of classes, spring semester.
May 12-13	Reading days; no classes.
May 13, Wednesday	Honors theses due in library for Spring thesis candidates.
May 14-19	Final examination period.
May 19, Tuesday	Spring semester ends.
May 21, Thursday	Residence halls close at 5 p.m.

May 24, Sunday

Commencement.