

Academic Calendar

Director/Dean

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Academic Calendar - 2018-2019: Fall Semester

Monday, August 6	E-Z Arts opens for late registration and schedule changes
Thursday, August 9	New High School students arrive for orientation
Saturday, August 11	Returning High School students arrive for orientation
Monday, August 13	High School classes begin
Tuesday, August 14	New College students arrive for orientation
Wednesday, August 15	High School academic classes held
Thursday, August 16	Returning College students arrive for orientation
Friday, August 17	Students check in at their Art School
Monday, August 20	College classes begin; Special Student registration
Friday, August 24	Last day to add or drop a class
Friday, August 31	Census
Monday, September 3	Labor Day; no classes held; offices closed
Wednesday, October 3	Mid-semester
Friday, October 5	Last day to withdraw from a class (with a grade of "W")
Saturday-Tuesday, October 6-9	Fall Break; no classes held; offices remain open Monday and Tuesday
Wednesday, October 10	Classes resume
Monday-Friday, October 22-26	Spring semester course planning
Friday, October 26	Deadline to apply for Spring graduation
Monday-Friday, October 29-Nov. 9	Online registration for Spring classes
Wednesday-Sunday, November 21-25	Thanksgiving Holiday; no classes held; offices remain open Wednesday
Tuesday, November 27	Last day of all classes
Wednesday-Saturday, November 28-Dec. 1	Exam period (Liberal Arts, High School and Arts classes)
Monday-Friday, December 3-14*	Intensive Arts; *Nutcracker students follow production schedule

High School and College Residence Halls close at noon on Sunday, December 16 (Apartments remain open over break).

Academic Calendar - 2018-2019: Spring Semester

Wednesday, January 2	E-Z Arts opens for late registration and schedule changes
Sunday, January 6	High School and College Residence Halls open at noon
Monday, January 7	Classes begin; Special Student registration
Monday-Tuesday, January 7-8	Students check in at their Art Schools
Friday, January 11	Last day to add or drop a class
Friday, January 18	Census
Monday, January 21	Martin Luther King Jr. Day; No classes held; offices closed
Friday, February 22	Last day to withdraw from a class (with a grade of "W")
Wednesday, February 27	Midterm (HS)
Saturday-Sunday, March 2-10	Spring Break; no classes held; offices remain open Monday-Friday

High School and College Residence Halls close at noon on Saturday, March 2, and reopen at noon on Sunday, March 10 (Apartments remain open).

Monday, March 11	Classes resume
Monday-Friday, March 25-29	Fall semester course planning
Monday-Friday, April 1-12	Online Registration
Monday, April 29	College classes end
Tuesday-Thursday, April 30-May 2	College Arts exam period
Wednesday, May 1	High School academic classes held
Saturday, May 4	Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement at 10 a.m.

*College Residence Halls/Apartments close at 6 p.m. on May 4 (non-graduating).
College Residence Halls/Apartments close at noon on May 5 (graduating students).*

Friday, May 10	High School academic classes end
Thursday, May 10	High School academic exam review day
Monday-Wednesday, May 13-15	High School final exam period
Thursday, May 16	High School exam makeup day
Friday, May 18	High School Commencement at 10 a.m.

*For non-graduating high school students, the High School Residence Halls close at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, May 16.
For graduating high school students, the High School Residence Halls close at 4 p.m. on Friday, May 18 .*