

2023 - 2024 FIVE COLLEGE ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Event	AMHERST [^]	HAMPSHIRE	MOUNT HOLYOKE#	SMITH†	UNIVERSITY%
Fall Classes Begin	Tu, Sep 5	W, Sep 6	W, Sep 6	Th, Sep 7	Tu, Sep 5
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	Th, Sep 14	F, Sep 15	Tu, Sep 19	W, Sep 20	M, Sep 11
No Classes		Yom Kippur: M, Sep 25; Advising Days: F, Sep 29; W, Nov 1; Community Days of Learning: Th, Oct 19; Th, Nov 16	Mountain Day TBA#	Mountain Day TBA†; Cromwell Day: Th, Nov 2†	Indigenous Peoples' Day: M, Oct 9%
Mid-Semester Break	Sa, Oct 7 - Tu, Oct 10 [^]	Sa, Oct 7 – Tu, Oct 10	Sa, Oct 7 – Tu, Oct 10	Sa, Oct 7 – Tu, Oct 10	
Five College Course Request Period for Spring 2024	M, Oct 30 - F, Nov 3; M, Nov 13 - F, Nov 17	M, Nov 6 – F, Nov 17	M, Nov 6 – F, Nov 17	M, Nov 6 – F, Nov 17	M, Nov 6 – 17
Thanksgiving Vacation	M, Nov 20 - S, Nov 26	W, Nov 22 – Su, Nov 26	W, Nov 22 – Su, Nov 26	W, Nov 22 – Su, Nov 26	W, Nov 22 – Su, Nov 26
Last Day of Classes	W, Dec 13	Th, Dec 14	Tu, Dec 12	Th, Dec 14	F, Dec 8
Reading/Study Period	Th, Dec 14 - F, Dec 15	F, Dec 15 – Tu, Dec 19	W, Dec 13 – F, Dec 15 at 7:00pm	F, Dec 15 – Su, Dec 17	Sa, Dec 9
Examination Period	Sa, Dec 16; M, Dec 18 - Th, Dec 21		F, Dec 15 at 7pm – Tu, Dec 19 at noon	M, Dec 18 – Th, Dec 21	M, Dec 11 – F, Dec 15
Grades Due	Tu, Jan 2	Tu, Jan 2 for Five College Students	W, Jan 3 at 11pm	F, Jan 5 at noon	Th, Dec 21
January Term			(for graduate classes only)	W, Jan 3 – Tu, Jan 23	M, Dec 18 – W, Jan 31
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	M, Jan 15	M, Jan 15	M, Jan 15	M, Jan 15	M, Jan 15
Spring Classes Begin	M, Jan 29	W, Jan 24	Tu, Jan 23	Th, Jan 25	Th, Feb 1
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	W, Feb 7	F, Feb 2	M, Feb 5	W, Feb 7	W, Feb 7
No Classes	April Break: M, Apr 15 - Tu, Apr 16	Advising Days: Th, Feb 15; F, Mar 29; Day of Community Education: W, Feb 21; Th, Apr 4	Community Day: Tu, Apr 9	Rally Day: Th, Feb 22†	Presidents' Day: M, Feb 19%; Patriot's Day Holiday: M, Apr 15
Spring Recess	Sa, Mar 16 - Su, Mar 24	Sa, Mar 16 – Su, Mar 24	Sa, Mar 16 – Su, Mar 24	Sa, Mar 16 – Su, Mar 24	Sa, Mar 16 – Su, Mar 24
Five College Course Request Period for Fall 2024	M, Apr 8 - F, Apr 12; M, Apr 22 - F, Apr 26	M, Apr 1 – F, Apr 12	M, Apr 8 – F, Apr 19	M, Apr 8 – F, Apr 19	M, Apr 8 - F, Apr 19
Last Day of Classes	Tu, May 7	F, May 3	Tu, Apr 30	Th, May 2	F, May 10
Reading/Study Period	W, May 8 - Th, May 9	Sa, May 4 - F, May 10	W, May 1 - F, May 3 at 2pm	F, May 3 – M, May 6	Sa, May 11
Examination Period	F, May 10 - Sa, May 11; Mon, May 13 - W, May 15		F, May 3 at 2pm – Tu, May 7 at noon#	Tu, May 7 – F, May 10	M, May 13 – F, May 17
Senior Grades Due	Mon, May 20, at 9am		Th, May 9 at 4pm	M, May 13 at noon	Th, May 23
Other Grades Due			Tu, May 21 at 11pm	M, May 20 at noon	Th, May 23
Commencement	Su, May 26	Sa, May 18	Su, May 19	Su, May 19	F, May 17 – Su, May 19

[^]AC: W, Oct 11: Monday schedule observed.

#MHC: Mountain Day (all classes which start before 4pm are canceled) is not known until the President makes the announcement. Spring Examination Period ends M, May 6 at noon for seniors only.

†SC: Mountain Day (all classes which start before 7pm are canceled) is not known until the President makes the announcement. Cromwell Day: Th, Nov 2, all classes canceled. Rally Day: Th, Feb 22, afternoon classes canceled.

%UM: Tu: Oct 10: Monday schedule observed. Th, Feb 22: Monday schedule observed. F, April 12: Monday schedule observed.