

2014 - 2015 FIVE COLLEGE ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Event	AMHERST*	HAMPSHIRE	MOUNT HOLYOKE#	SMITH+	UNIVERSITY%
Classes Begin	Tu, Sept 2	W, Sept 3	W, Sept 3	Th, Sept 4	Tu, Sept 2
End of Interchange Registration	W, Sept 10	Tu, Sept 16	Tu, Sept 16	W, Sept 17	M, Sept 15
No Classes		Advising Days: Th, Sept 18; W Nov 5	Mountain Day TBA;	Mountain Day TBA; Otelia Cromwell Day, TBA	Columbus Day M, Oct 13; Veterans Day Tu, Nov 11
Mid-Semester Break	Sat, Oct 11 – Tu, Oct 14	Sat, Oct 11 – Tu, Oct 14	Sat, Oct 11 – Tu, Oct 14	Sat, Oct 11 – Tu, Oct 14	
Five College Course Request Period for Spring	M, Nov 10 – F, Nov 14	M, Nov 10 – F, Nov 21	M, Nov 10 – F, Nov 21	M, Nov 10 – F, Nov 21	W, Nov 12 – F, Nov 21
Thanksgiving Vacation	Sat, Nov 22 – Sun, Nov 30	W, Nov 26 – Sun, Nov 30	W, Nov 26 – Sun, Nov 30	W, Nov 26 – Sun, Nov 30	W, Nov 26 – Sun, Nov 30
Last Day of Classes	W, Dec 10	F, Dec 12	Tu, Dec 9	Th, Dec 11	F, Dec 5
Reading/Study Period	Th, Dec 11 – Sun, Dec 14		W, Dec 10 – F, Dec 12 at 7pm	F, Dec 12 – M, Dec 15	Sat, Dec 6 – Sun, Dec 7
Examination Period	M, Dec 15 – F, Dec 19		F, Dec 12 at 7pm – Tu, Dec 16 at noon	Tu, Dec 16 – F, Dec 19	M, Dec 8 – Sat, Dec 13
Grades Due	M, Jan 5	M, Jan 5	M, Jan 5	Th, Jan 8	M, Dec 22 at midnight
January Term	M, Jan 5 – W, Jan 21	M, Jan 5 – Th, Jan 15	M, Jan 5 – F, Jan 16	M, Jan 5 – F, Jan 23	M, Dec 15 – Sat, Jan 17
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	M, Jan 19	M, Jan 19	M, Jan 19	M, Jan 19	M, Jan 19
Classes Begin	Th, Jan 22	W, Jan 21	Tu, Jan 20	M, Jan 26	Tu, Jan 20
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	F, Jan 30	Tu, Feb 3	M, Feb 2	F, Feb 6	M, Feb 2
No Classes		Advising Days: Th, Feb 12; W, Apr 1		Rally Day W, Feb 18	Presidents' Day M, Feb 16; Patriot's Day M, Apr 20
Spring Recess	Sat, Mar 14 – Sun, Mar 22	Sat, Mar 14 – Sun, Mar 22	Sat, Mar 14 – Sun, Mar 22	Sat, Mar 14 – Sun, Mar 22	Sat, Mar 14 – Sun, Mar 22
Five College Course Request Period for Fall	M, Apr 6 – F, Apr 10	M, Apr 6 – F, Apr 17	M, Apr 6 – F, Apr 17	M, Apr 6 – F Apr 17	M, Mar 30 – F, Apr 17
Last Day of Classes	W, May 6	F, May 1	M, Apr 27	F, May 1	Th, Apr 30
Reading/Study Period	Th, May 7 – Su, May 10		Tu, Apr 28 – Th, Apr 30 at 7pm	Sat, May 2 – M, May 4	Sat, May 2 – Sun, May 3
Examination Period	M, May 11 – F, May 15		Th, Apr 30 at 7pm – M, May 4 at noon	Tu, May 5 – F, May 8	M, May 4 – Th, May 7
Senior Grades Due	M, May 18 at 9:00am	M, May 11	W, May 6 at noon	M, May 11	
Other Grades Due	W, May 20		Tu, May 19	M, May 18	Tu, May 12 midnight
Commencement	Sun, May 24	Sat, May 16	Sun, May 17	Sun, May 17	F, May 8

*AC: W, Sept 3: Monday class schedule; #MHC: Mountain Day (classes starting before 4 p.m. cancelled) is not known until the President makes the announcement; +SC: Mountain Day (morning and afternoon classes cancelled) and Otelia Cromwell Day (afternoon and evening classes cancelled) are two separate days with abbreviated class schedules. Mountain Day is not known until the President makes the announcement; %UM: Tu, Oct 14; Tu Feb 17; W, Apr 22 and Th, Apr 30: Monday class schedule, W, Nov 12: Tuesday class schedule