

2018 - 2019 FIVE COLLEGE ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Event	AMHERST [^]	HAMPSHIRE	MOUNT HOLYOKE [#]	SMITH [†]	UNIVERSITY [%]
Classes Begin	Tu, Sep 4	W, Sep 5	W, Sep 5	Th, Sep 6	Tu, Sep 4
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	Th, Sep 13	F, Sep 14	Tu, Sep 18	W, Sep 19	M, Sep 17
No Classes		Th, Sep 27; T, Oct 23; W, Oct 31	Mountain Day TBA*	Mountain Day TBA*; Otelia Cromwell Day: Th, Nov 1*	Columbus Day: M, Oct 8; Veterans Day: M, Nov 12
Mid-Semester Break	Sa, Oct 6 – Tu, Oct 9	Sa, Oct 6 – Tu, Oct 9	Sa, Oct 6 – Tu, Oct 9	Sa, Oct 6 – Tu, Oct 9	
Five College Course Request Period for Spring	M, Nov 5 – F, Nov 9	M, Nov 5 – F, Nov 16	M, Nov 5 – F, Nov 16	M, Nov 5 – F, Nov 16	M, Nov 5 (begins)
Thanksgiving Vacation	Sa, Nov 17 – Su, Nov 25	W, Nov 21 – Su, Nov 25	W, Nov 21 – Su, Nov 25	W, Nov 21 – Su, Nov 25	Su, Nov 18 – Su, Nov 25
Last Day of Classes	W, Dec 12	Th, Dec 13	Tu, Dec 11	Th, Dec 13	W, Dec 12
Reading/Study Period	Th, Dec 13 – Su, Dec 16		W, Dec 12 – F, Dec 14 at 7pm	F, Dec 14 – M, Dec 17	Th, Dec 13; Sa, Dec 15
Examination Period	M, Dec 17 – F, Dec 21		F, Dec 14 at 7pm – Tu, Dec 18 at noon	Tu, Dec 18 – F, Dec 21	F, Dec 14 – Th, Dec 20
Grades Due	W, Jan 2	W, Jan 2	W, Jan 2 at 11pm	Tu, Jan 8	W, Jan 2 at noon
January Term	Tu, Jan 7 – F, Jan 25		W, Jan 2 – F, Jan 18	Th, Jan 3 – W, Jan 23	W, Dec 26 – Sa, Jan 19
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	M, Jan 21	M, Jan 21	M, Jan 21	M, Jan 21	M, Jan 21
Classes Begin	M, Jan 28	W, Jan 23	Tu, Jan 22	Th, Jan 24	Tu, Jan 22
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	W, Feb 6	F, Feb 1	M, Feb 4	W, Feb 6	M, Feb 4
No Classes		Th, Feb 14 and W, Mar 27	Tu, Apr 9	Rally Day: W, Feb 20* Diversity and Inclusion Conference: W, Apr 10	Presidents' Day: M, Feb 18; Patriot's Day: M, Apr 15
Spring Recess	Sa, Mar 9 – Su, Mar 17	Sa, Mar 9 – Su, Mar 17	Sa, Mar 9 – Su, Mar 17	Sa, Mar 9 – Su, Mar 17	Su, Mar 10 – Su, Mar 17
Five College Course Request Period for Fall	M, Apr 1 – F, Apr 5	M, Apr 1 – F, Apr 12	M, Apr 1 – F, Apr 12	M, Apr 1 – F, Apr 12	M, Apr 1 (begins)
Last Day of Classes	F, May 3	Th, May 2	Tu, Apr 30	Th, May 2	W, May 1
Reading/Study Period	Th, May 9 – Su, May 12		W, May 1 – F, May 3 at 2pm	F, May 3 – M, May 6	Th, May 2; Sa, May 4
Examination Period	M, May 13 – F, May 17		F, May 3 at 2pm – Tu, May 7 at noon	Tu, May 7 – F, May 10	F, May 3 – Th, May 9
Senior Grades Due	M, May 20 at 9am	M, May 13	Th, May 9 at noon	M, May 13	
Other Grades Due	W, May 22		Tu, May 21 at 11pm	M, May 20	Tu, May 14 at midnight
Commencement	Su, May 26	Sa, May 18	Su, May 19	Su, May 19	F, May 10

[^]AC: W, Oct 10: Monday class schedule. [#]MHC: Mountain Day (classes starting before 4 p.m. canceled) is not known until the President makes the announcement.
[†]SC: Mountain Day (morning and afternoon classes canceled) is not known until the President makes the announcement. Otelia Cromwell Day: Th, Nov 1, afternoon and evening classes canceled. Rally Day: W, Feb 20, only afternoon classes are canceled; morning and evening classes still meet as scheduled. Diversity and Inclusion Conference: W, April 10 (all classes canceled)
[%]UM: Tu, Oct 9, W, Nov 14 and W, Apr 17 Monday class schedule