

2019 - 2020 FIVE COLLEGE ACADEMIC CALENDAR
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Event	AMHERST [^]	HAMPSHIRE	MOUNT HOLYOKE [#]	SMITH [†]	UNIVERSITY [%]
Classes Begin	Tu, Sep 3	W, Sep 4	W, Sep 4	Th, Sep 5	Tu, Sep 3
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	Th, Sep 12	F, Sep 13	Tu, Sep 17	W, Sep 11	M, Sep 16
No Classes		Th, Sep 26; W, Oct 9; Th, Oct 24; W, Oct 30	Mountain Day TBA*	Mountain Day TBA*; Otelia Cromwell Day: Th, Nov 7*	Columbus Day: M, Oct 14; Veterans Day: M, Nov 11
Mid-Semester Break	Sa, Oct 12 – Tu, Oct 15	Sa, Oct 12 – Tu, Oct 15	Sa, Oct 12 – Tu, Oct 15	Sa, Oct 12 – Tu, Oct 15	
Five College Course Request Period for Spring	M, Nov 4 – F, Nov 8	M, Nov 4 – F, Nov 15	M, Nov 4 – F, Nov 15	M, Nov 4 – F, Nov 15	M, Nov 4 - F, Nov 15
Thanksgiving Vacation	Sa, Nov 23 – Su, Dec 1	W, Nov 27 – Su, Dec 1	W, Nov 27 – Su, Dec 1	W, Nov 27 – Su, Dec 1	Su, Nov 24 – Su, Dec 1
Last Day of Classes	W, Dec 11	F, Dec 13	Tu, Dec 10	Th, Dec 12	W, Dec 11
Reading/Study Period	Th, Dec 12 – Su, Dec 15		W, Dec 11 – F, Dec 13 at 7pm	F, Dec 13 – M, Dec 16	Th, Dec 12; S, Dec 14
Examination Period	M, Dec 16 – F, Dec 20		F, Dec 13 at 7pm – Tu, Dec 17 at noon	Tu, Dec 17 – F, Dec 20	F, Dec 13 – Th, Dec 19
Grades Due	Th, Jan 2	Th, Jan 2	Th, Jan 2 at 11pm	W, Jan 8	Th, Jan 2 at midnight
January Term	Sun, Jan 5 – Sun, Jan 26		Th, Jan 2 – F, Jan 17	M, Jan 6 – F, Jan 24	Th, Dec 26 – Sa, Jan 18
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	M, Jan 20	M, Jan 20	M, Jan 20	M, Jan 20	M, Jan 20
Classes Begin	M, Jan 27	W, Jan 22	Tu, Jan 21	M, Jan 27	Tu, Jan 21
Deadline for Adding Interchange Courses	Th, Feb 6	F, Jan 31	M, Feb 3	F, Feb 7	M, Feb 3
No Classes		Th, Feb 13		Rally Day: Th, Feb 20*	Presidents' Day: M, Feb 17; Patriot's Day: M, Apr 20
Spring Recess	Su, Mar 15 – Su, Mar 22	Sa, Mar 14 – Su, Mar 29	Sa, Mar 14 – Su, Mar 29	Sa, Mar 14 – Su, Mar 29	Su, Mar 15 – Su, Mar 22
Five College Course Request Period for Fall	M, Apr 20 – F, Apr 24	M, Apr 13 – F, Apr 24	M, Apr 13 – F, Apr 24	M, Apr 13 – F, Apr 24	W, Apr 8 – F, Apr 24
Last Day of Classes	Tu, May 5	F, May 1	Tu, Apr 28	F, May 1	W, Apr 29
Reading/Study Period	W, May 6 – Fr, May 8		W, April 29 – F, May 1 at 2pm	S, May 2 – M, May 4	Th, Apr 30; Sa, May 2
Examination Period	M, May 11 – F, May 15		F, May 1 at 2pm – Tu, May 5 at noon	Tu, May 5 – F, May 8	F, May 1 – Th, May 7
Senior Grades Due (tentative)	M, May 18 at 9am	M, May 11	Th, May 7 at noon	M, May 11	
Other Grades Due (tentative)	W, May 20		Tu, May 19 at 11pm	M, May 18	Tu, May 12 at midnight
Commencement (tentative)	Su, May 24	Sa, May 16	Su, May 17	TBA	TBA

[^]AC: W, Oct 16: Monday class schedule. M, May 4: Thursday class schedule. Tu, May 5: Friday 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 7, afternoon and evening classes canceled. Rally Day: Th, Feb 20, only afternoon classes are canceled; morning and evening classes still meet as scheduled
[%]UM: Tu, Oct 15, W, Nov 13, Tu, Feb 18 and W, Apr 22 Monday class schedule