



# CALIFORNIA

## 2021–2022 Academic Calendar

### First Semester

Aug 18	Wednesday	Residence halls open for freshmen
Aug 19	Thursday	Freshman Orientation begins
Aug 21	Saturday	Residence halls open for returning students
Aug 23	Monday	Convocation Day – First semester begins with junior and senior seminars
Aug 24	Tuesday	Tutorials begin; freshman and sophomore seminars begin
Oct 11	Monday	Columbus Day – no classes, office holiday
Oct 19–21	Tue–Thu	Don Rags – evening classes only
Nov 1	Monday	Feast of All Saints – no classes, office holiday
Nov 25	Thursday	Thanksgiving Day – no classes, office holiday
Nov 26	Friday	Day after Thanksgiving – no classes, office holiday
Nov 29	Monday	Classes resume
Dec 8	Wednesday	Feast of the Immaculate Conception – no classes, office holiday
Dec 11–17	Sat–Fri	First semester examinations
Dec 17	Friday	First semester ends
Dec 18	Saturday	Residence halls close

### Second Semester

Jan 8	Saturday	Residence halls re-open at 12 noon (first meal served: dinner)
Jan 10	Monday	Second semester classes begin
Jan 28	Friday	Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas – no classes
Feb 21	Monday	Presidents' Day – no classes, office holiday
Mar 1–3	Tue–Thu	Don Rags – evening classes only
Apr 14	Thursday	Easter break begins
Apr 15	Friday	Good Friday – office holiday
Apr 18	Monday	Easter Monday – office holiday
Apr 21	Thursday	Classes resume
May 7–13	Sat–Fri	Second semester examinations
May 13	Friday	Second semester ends
May 14	Saturday	Commencement
May 16	Monday	Residence halls close at 12 noon