



NEW ENGLAND

2020–2021 Academic Calendar

First Semester

Aug 20	Thursday	Residence halls open for freshmen at noon
Aug 21	Friday	Freshman Orientation begins; residence halls open for returning students
Aug 22	Saturday	Convocation Day
Aug 24	Monday	First semester begins with junior seminars
Aug 25	Tuesday	Tutorials begin; freshman and sophomore seminars begin
Oct 12	Monday	Columbus Day – no classes, office holiday
Oct 20–22	Tue–Thu	Don Rags – evening classes only
Nov 26	Thursday	Thanksgiving Day – no classes, office holiday
Nov 27	Friday	Day after Thanksgiving – no classes, office holiday
Nov 30	Monday	Classes resume
Dec 8	Tuesday	Feast of the Immaculate Conception – no classes, office holiday
Dec 4–11	Sat–Fri	First semester examinations
Dec 11	Friday	First semester ends
Dec 12	Saturday	Residence halls close

Second Semester

Jan 9	Saturday	Residence halls re-open at 12 noon (first meal served: dinner)
Jan 11	Monday	Second semester classes begin
Jan 28	Thursday	Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas – no classes
Feb 15	Monday	Presidents' Day – no classes, office holiday
Mar 2–4	Tue–Thu	Don Rags – evening classes only
Apr 1	Thursday	Easter break begins
Apr 2	Friday	Good Friday – office holiday
Apr 5	Monday	Easter Monday – office holiday
Apr 8	Thursday	Classes resume
May 8–14	Sat–Fri	Second semester examinations
May 13	Thursday	Ascension Thursday – examinations continue, office holiday
May 14	Friday	Second semester ends
May 17	Monday	Residence halls close at 12 noon