

Hollins University Academic Calendar 2026-2027

(1/9/2026, subject to revision)

Fall Term

International Student Arrival

New Students Check-In

New Student Orientation

Returning Students Arrive

Opening Convocation

Fall Classes Begin

Session 1 dates

Labor Day (classes in session)

Last Day to Add a Full-Term Class

Last Day to Drop Full-term Class w/out W grade / Last Day to Declare Audit*

Last Day to Declare Pass/Fail

Fall Graduation Date

Fall Break (no classes)

Session 2 dates

Board of Trustees Meeting

Last day to Withdraw from a Full-Term Class

Family Weekend

Short/Spring Term Advising (undergraduate)

Short/Spring Term Registration (undergrad & grad)

Thanksgiving Recess (no classes)

Last Day of Fall Classes

Reading Day

Fall Term Examinations

Winter Break Begins

Grades Due

Short Term

Short Term Begins

Last Day to Add

Last Day to Drop

Martin L. King Jr. Day (classes in session)

Last Day to Withdraw

Short Term Ends

Grades due for short term seminars

Grades due for internships, ind. studies

Thu: Aug 27
Sat: Aug 29
Sat-Tue: Aug 29-Sept 1
Sun-Mon: Aug 30-31
Tue: Sept 1
Wed: Sept 2
Wed-Tue: Sept 2-Oct 20
Mon: Sept 7
Tue: Sept 8
Tue: Sept 29
Thu: Oct 1
Thu-Fri: Oct 15-16
Wed-Thu: Oct 21-Dec10
TBA
Wed: Oct 28
Fri-Sun: Oct 9-11
Mon-Fri: Nov 2-6
Begins Mon: Nov 9
Mon-Fri: Nov 23-27
Thu: Dec 10
Fri: Dec 11
Sat-Wed: Dec 12-16
Thu: Dec 17
Sat: Dec 19

Mon: Jan 4
Mon: Jan 4
Tue: Jan 5
Mon: Jan 18
Fri: Jan 22
Fri: Jan 29
Fri: Feb 5
Mon: Feb 22

Spring Term

Classes Begin
Session 1 Dates
Last Day to Add a Full-Term Class*
Presidents Day (classes in session)
Hollins Day
Board of Trustees Meeting
Last Day to Drop Full-term Class w/out W grade / Last Day to Declare Audit*
Last Day to Declare Pass/Fail
Spring Recess (no classes)
Session 2 Dates
Last day to Withdraw from a Full-Term Class*
Fall Term Advising (undergraduate)
Fall Term Registration (undergrad & grad)
Honors Convocation
Last Day of Classes
Reading Day
Spring Term Examinations
Grades Due for Graduating Students
Commencement
Grades Due for Non-Graduating Students
Memorial Day
Board of Trustees Meeting
Reunion

Summer Term

Summer Term Begins
Last Day to Add a Full-Term Class
Last Day to Drop a Full-Term Class w/out W Grade
Independence Day
Last Day to Withdraw from a Class
Summer Term Ends
Grades Due

Wed: Feb 3
Wed-Fri: Feb 3-Mar 19
Tue: Feb 9
Mon: Feb 15
Thu: Feb 18
TBA
Tue: Feb 16
Tue: Mar 2
Mon-Fri: Mar 22-26
Mon-Tue: Mar 29-May11
Wed: Apr 7
Mon-Fri: Apr 19-23
Begins Mon: Apr 26
Tue: May 4
Tue: May 11
Wed: May 12
Thu-Mon: May 13-17
Tue: May 18
Sun: May 23
Thu: May 20
Mon: May 31
TBA
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Mon: Jun 21
Wed: Jun 23
Fri: Jun 25
Sun: Jul 4
Fri: Jul 16
Fri: Jul 30
Mon: Aug 9

*See Important Deadlines on the Registrar's Office website for partial term course deadlines