

Hollins University Academic Calendar 2026-2027

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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

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 15
 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

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

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

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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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

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