## Fall 2021 Academic Calendar

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<td><strong>Sunday, August 19</strong></td>
<td>First-semester freshmen and first-semester transfer students check into residence halls 10am-5pm</td>
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<td><strong>Friday, August 20</strong></td>
<td>New Student Convocation</td>
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<td>Returning Residents may check into Residence Halls on Sunday from 10am-5pm and 8:30pm-10pm</td>
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<td><strong>Monday, August 23</strong></td>
<td>OFFICIAL FIRST DAY OF CLASSES</td>
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### Add/Drop Courses Policy and Form
- **Policy Update:** First-semester students who have not transferred in, do not have web access to change their schedules. They must have advisor's signature and must process add/drop during Academic Advising business hours.

**August 30 - September 5**
- **Late Registration/Course Drop:** Course Add requires electronic permission from the instructor. $40 late registration fee for first time registration and $20 course change fee for course add.

**September 1**
- **Degree Applications for December 2021 due** in the Office of Records and Registration, WH 115. More information including application.
- All students who wish to have a degree or certificate conferred, must apply (undergraduate, graduate degrees and certificates of advanced study)

**September 5**
- **FALL 2021 REGISTRATION ENDS**

**September 6**
- Labor Day – No Classes

**September 6 - November 5**
- **Course Withdrawal Period:** A student may withdraw from a course that started at the beginning of the semester ($20 course withdrawal fee) Policy and procedure and Students elect course withdrawal here

**September 7 - September 8**
- Rosh Hashana - Classes in session

**September 16**
- Yom Kippur - Classes in session

**September 27**
- Deregistration for non-payment Fall 2021 Student Accounts website

**October 1**
- Last day for student to submit work due for course graded "I" (incomplete) for Spring and Summer 2018 Incomplete grading policy

**October 1**
- Study Abroad: Deadline for Intersession semester, Spring semester and Calendar Year Information

**October 1 - March 1**
- Study Abroad: Applications open for the Summer semester Information

**October 8**
- Mid-Point of Fall 2021 semester.

**October 11**
- Columbus Day - No classes

**October 12**
- Fall break - No classes

**October 15**
- Last day for instructor to submit grade change for an “I” (incomplete) for spring and summer 2021 Incomplete grading policy

**October 29**
- Last day for Course Withdrawal Faculty see update to the academic integrity policies affecting course withdrawal and Students elect course withdrawal here

**November 1**
- Black Solidarity Day - Classes in session

**November 1 - April 1**
- Study Abroad: Applications open for Fall semester and Academic Year Information

**November 5**
- Last day for student elected Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory option Policy and Students elect S/U here

**November 8 - January 17**
- Spring 2022 Registration Schedule of classes
  - Nov. 5 Matriculated Graduate Student registration begins
  - Nov. 12 Matriculated Undergraduate Student registration begins
  - Nov. 19 Non-matriculated Graduate Student registration begins (REGISTRATION FOR GRADUATE COURSES ONLY)
  - Jan 16 Non-matriculated, Cross-Registered, and Visiting Undergraduate registration begins

**November 24 - November 26**
- Thanksgiving Recess - No classes

**November 24 - December 8**
- Student Evaluation of Instruction (SEI) administration

**December 6**
- Undergraduates: Last day to take a leave of absence or withdraw from College Form

**December 6**
- Last day of classes

**December 7 - December 8**
- Study Day/Make-up Class Day

**December 9**
- Common Exam Day

**December 10 - December 16**
- Final examinations

**R December 16**
- End of Fall 2021 semester

**December 17**
- Residence Halls close 10 am

**December 21**
- Last day for faculty to submit final grades (due by 2pm) Information about grades

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[1] Important information regarding refund periods.
[2] The $40 late registration fee and $20 course change/withdrawal fee are in addition to course tuition. Please visit the Student Accounts web page for additional tuition information.
[3] Instructors are asked to avoid the scheduling of examinations on this day and to permit students who will be unable to attend classes to make up assignments missed.
The New York State Education Law, Chapter 161, Section 224 stipulates that: “Any student who is unable, because of religious beliefs, to attend classes on a particular day or days, shall be excused from any examination, study, or work requirements. It shall be the responsibility of the faculty and the administrative officials to make available to each student an equivalent opportunity to make up any examination, study, or work requirements which he or she may have missed because of such absence on a particular day or days”. This applies to all religious observances, specified or not specified on the calendar.