# University of Pennsylvania
## Three-Year Academic Calendar, 2020-2021 through 2022-2023

### Fall 2020
- **Fall Term 2020**: August 25
- **Fall Term 2021**: August 24

### Move-in for First Year Students
- **More info**: click here
- **August 25**

### New Student Orientation
- **August 24-31**
- **August 24-29**

### Opening Exercises and Freshman Convocation
- **August 31**
- **August 30**
- **August 29**

### First day of classes
- **September 1**
- **August 31**
- **August 30**

### Labor Day (no classes)
- **September 7**
- **August 26-29**
- **September 5**

### Course Selection Period ends
- **September 15**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Fall Term Break
- **Cancelled**
- **October 14-17**
- **October 6-9**

### Drop Period ends
- **October 12**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Classes resume
- **N/A**
- **October 18**
- **October 10**

### Grade Type Change Deadline
- **October 30**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Family Weekend
- **October 16-18**
- **October 29-31** (Brown)
- **November 11-13** (Harvard)

### Advance Registration for Spring Term
- **November 30-December 7**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Last day to withdraw from a course
- **November 9**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Homecoming
- **November 14**
- **November 6 (Cornell)**
- **October 22 (Yale)**

### Thur-Fri class schedule on Tue-Wed
- **November 24-25**
- **November 23-24**
- **November 22-23**

### Thanksgiving Break
- **November 26-29**
- **November 25-28**
- **November 24-27**

### Classes resume
- **November 30**
- **November 29**
- **November 28**

### Last day of classes
- **December 10 (Monday classes)**
- **December 10**
- **December 12**

### Reading Days
- **November 24-25**
- **November 23-24**
- **November 22-23**

### Advance Registration for Spring Term & Summer Sessions
- **March 22-April 4**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Last day to withdraw from a course
- **March 29**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Spring 2021
- **Spring Term 2021**: January 13
- **Spring Term 2022**: January 12
- **Spring Term 2023**: January 11

### First day of classes (Monday classes)
- **January 13**
- **January 12**
- **January 11**

### MLK, Jr. Day observed (no classes)
- **January 18**
- **January 17**
- **January 16**

### Course Selection Period ends
- **January 26**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Drop Period ends
- **February 22**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Spring Term Break
- **March 6-14**
- **March 5-13**
- **March 4-12**

### Classes resume
- **March 15**
- **March 14**
- **March 13**

### Grade Type Change Deadline
- **March 19**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Advance Registration for Fall Term & Summer Sessions
- **March 22-April 4**
- **(to be decided)**
- **(to be decided)**

### Last day to withdraw from a course
- **April 28**
- **April 27**
- **April 26**

### Reading Days
- **April 29-May 2**
- **April 28-May 1**
- **April 27-30**

### Final Examinations
- **May 3-11**
- **May 2-10**
- **May 1-9**

### Spring Term ends
- **May 11**
- **May 10**
- **May 9**

### Alumni Day
- **May 15**
- **May 14**
- **May 13**

### Baccalaureate
- **May 16**
- **May 15**
- **May 14**

### Commencement
- **May 17**
- **May 16**
- **May 15**

### Summer 2021
- **Summer Term**: May 24
- **Summer Term**: May 23
- **Summer Term**: May 22

### 11-Week Session classes begin
- **May 24**
- **May 23**
- **May 22**

### Session I classes begin
- **May 24**
- **May 23**
- **May 22**

### Memorial Day observed (no classes)
- **May 31**
- **May 30**
- **May 29**

### Session I classes end
- **June 30**
- **June 29**
- **June 28**

### Session II classes begin
- **July 1**
- **June 30**
- **June 29**

### Independence Day observed (no classes)
- **July 5**
- **July 4**
- **July 4**

### Session II & 11-Week Session classes end
- **August 6**
- **August 5**
- **August 4**

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**Notes:**
- Graduate and professional programs may follow their own calendars; check the website for each School or program.
- Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, the first two days of Passover and Good Friday are religious holidays that affect large numbers of University community members and that fall during the academic year. To view the University’s policy regarding these and other holidays, please visit [https://catalog.upenn.edu/pennbook/secular-religious-holidays/](https://catalog.upenn.edu/pennbook/secular-religious-holidays/)
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