

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2020-2021			
Princeton University			
Office of the Registrar			
FALL TERM			
September	1	Tuesday	Graduate Academic Year Sign-In begins at 7:00 a.m.
	1	Tuesday	Graduate students begin fall term course selection
	9	Wednesday	Undergraduate Academic Year Sign-In begins at 7:00 a.m.
	13	Sunday	Opening Exercises, University Chapel
	14	Monday	Graduate School Opening Address/Orientation
	16	Wednesday	Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
	29	Tuesday	Undergraduate deadline to add or drop courses without fee
October	5	Monday	First day of Ph.D. general examinations
	24	Saturday	Last day of Ph.D. general examinations
	26	Monday	First day of midterm test week
	30	Friday	Last day of midterm test week
	31	Saturday	Fall recess begins
November	8	Sunday	Fall recess ends
	9	Monday	Classes resume
	9	Monday	Undergraduate selection of P/D/F option begins
	9	Monday	Faculty deadline for reporting midterm grades
	24	Tuesday	Thanksgiving recess begins after last class
	29	Sunday	Thanksgiving recess ends
	30	Monday	Classes resume
	30	Monday	Undergraduate deadline to drop fall term courses or select P/D/F option
December	9-11	Wed-Fri	Senior spring course selection period
	11-15	Fri-Tues	Junior spring course selection period
	14-16	Mon-Wed	Sophomore spring course selection period
	16-18	Wed-Fri	Freshman spring course selection period
	18	Friday	Graduate student deadline for fall term course changes
	18	Friday	Winter recess begins after last class
January	3	Sunday	Winter recess ends
	4	Monday	First day of Ph.D. general examinations
	4	Monday	Reading Period begins
	5	Tuesday	Undergraduate deadline for submitting junior independent work
	12	Tuesday	Reading Period ends
	12	Tuesday	Dean's Date; deadline for student submission of written work
	13	Wednesday	Fall Term examinations begin
	18	Monday	Deadline for submission of take-home exercise
	18	Monday	Graduate students begin spring term course selection
	19	Tuesday	Faculty deadline for submission of grades for undergraduate courses with no scheduled final examination or take-home exercise
	20	Wednesday	Faculty deadline for submission of grades for junior independent work
	20	Wednesday	Faculty deadline for submission of grades for undergraduate courses with take-home exercise (fewer than 20 students)
	22	Friday	Faculty deadline for submission of grades for undergraduate courses with take-home exercise (20 or more students)
	22	Friday	Faculty deadline for submission of graduate course grades
	22	Friday	Last day of Ph.D. general examinations
	23	Saturday	Fall Term examinations end