

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2015-2016*

SEMESTER I (FALL 2015)

Wednesday, August 26	First year and transfer students arrive
Saturday, August 29	Residence Halls open for returning students
Monday, August 31	Classes begin at Haverford, Bryn Mawr, and Swarthmore Registration begins
Friday, September 4	Last day to uncover Pass/Fail courses from previous semester
Monday, September 7	Labor Day – Classes not in session
Wednesday, September 9	Final academic verification at Haverford and Bryn Mawr Registration ends
Friday, September 18	Last day to request Pass/Fail, First Quarter courses only Last day to drop a credit at Haverford and Bryn Mawr
Friday, October 9	Last day to request Pass/Fail, Full Semester courses only Fall break begins at 4:00 p.m.
Monday, October 19	Classes resume at 8:30 a.m.
Friday, October 23	First quarter classes end
Monday, October 26	Second quarter class begin
Friday, October 30	Faculty reports of concern to CSSP due Petitions to CSSP due
Friday, October 30 - Sunday, November 1	Family and Friends Weekend
Monday, November 2	Pre-Registration for spring semester begins
Wednesday, November 4	Last day to drop second quarter class
Friday, November 13	Last day to request Pass/Fail, second quarter courses only Pre-Registration for spring semester ends
Wednesday, November 25	Thanksgiving break begins at 4:00 p.m.
Monday, November 30	Classes resume at 8:30 a.m.
Friday, December 11	Classes end at Haverford; optional Reading Day All papers (except those in lieu of exams) due
Saturday, December 12 - Sunday, December 13	Reading Period
Monday, December 14- Friday, December 18	Final Examination Period
Friday, December 18	Semester ends at 12:00 noon Final examinations due at 12:00 noon
Monday, January 4	Final grades due in Registrar's Office by 12:00 noon

SEMESTER II (SPRING 2016)

Monday, January 18	Martin Luther King Day, Classes begin at Swarthmore
Tuesday, January 19	Classes begin at Haverford and Bryn Mawr Registration begins
Friday, January 22	Last day to uncover Pass/Fail courses from previous semester
Wednesday, January 27	Final academic verification at Haverford and Bryn Mawr Registration ends
Friday, February 5	Last day to request Pass/Fail, First Quarter courses only Last day to drop a credit at Haverford and Bryn Mawr
Friday, February 26	Last day to request Pass/Fail, Full Semester courses only
Friday, March 4	First quarter classes end Spring break begins at 4:00 p.m.
Monday, March 14	Classes resume at 8:30 a.m. Second quarter classes begin
Friday, March 18	Faculty reports of concern to CSSP due Petitions to CSSP due
Wednesday, March 23	Last day to drop second quarter class
Friday, April 1	Last day to request Pass/Fail, Second Quarter courses only
Monday, April 4	Pre-Registration for fall semester begins
Friday, April 15	Pre-Registration for fall semester ends Major Declaration Forms due in Registrar's Office Returning students' Financial Aid Applications due
Friday, April 29	Classes end at Haverford and Bryn Mawr All papers (except those in lieu of exams) and lab notebooks due
Saturday, April 30 - Tuesday, May 3	Reading Period
Monday, May 2 - Wednesday, May 4	Senior Comprehensive Examinations
Wednesday, May 4	Final Examination Period begins
Saturday, May 7	Final examinations for Seniors due at 5:00 p.m.
Monday, May 9	Senior Grades due in Registrar's Office by 5:00 p.m.
Friday, May 13	Semester II ends at noon Final examinations for Underclassmen due at noon
Saturday, May 14	Commencement at Haverford College – 10:00 a.m.* Commencement at Bryn Mawr College
Friday, May 20	Final grades due in the Registrar's Office by 12:00 noon
Friday, May 27 - Sunday, May 29	Alumni Weekend

*Subject to change