## ACADEMIC CALENDAR

*See Yale College Programs of Study Calendar for information regarding academic dates & deadlines*

- Fall 2019
- Spring 2020

### First-year Student Preorientation Programs 2019

**August 17, Saturday**  
Cultural Connections program begins

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FOCUS program begins

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FOOT 6-day program begins

**August 17, Saturday**  
Harvest program begins

**August 17, Saturday**  
Orientation for International Students (OIS) program begins

**August 19, Monday**  
FOOT 4-day program begins

### Fall 2019

**August 21, Wednesday**  
Residences open to upperclassmen, 9 a.m.

**August 23, Friday**  
Residences open to first-year students, 9 a.m.

**August 23, Friday**  
First-year student registration

**August 27, Tuesday**  
Upperclass registration

**August 28, Wednesday**  
Fall-term classes begin, 8.20 a.m.

**August 30, Friday**  
Friday classes do not meet; Monday classes meet instead

**September 2, Monday**  
Labor Day; classes do not meet

**October 4-6, Friday-Sunday**  
Family Weekend

**October 15, Tuesday**  
October recess begins, 11 p.m.

**October 21, Monday**  
Classes resume, 8.20 a.m.

**October 25, Friday**  
Midterm

**November 22, Friday**  
November recess begins, 5:30 p.m.

**November 23, Saturday**  
Yale/Harvard Football Game

**December 2, Monday**  
Classes resume, 8.20 a.m.

**December 6, Friday**  
Classes end, 5.30 p.m.; Reading Period begins

**December 12, Thursday**  
Final examinations begin, 7 p.m.

**December 18, Wednesday**  
Examinations end, 5.30 p.m.; Winter recess begins

### Spring 2020

**January 8, Wednesday**  
Undergraduate residences open

**January 12, Sunday**  
First-year student registration

**January 13, Monday**  
Upperclass Registration

**January 13, Monday**  
Spring term classes begin, 8.20 a.m.

**January 17, Friday**  
Friday classes do not meet; Monday classes meet instead

**January 20, Monday**  
Martin Luther King Jr. Day; classes do not meet.

**March 6, Friday**  
Midterm

**March 6, Friday**  
Spring recess begins, 5:30 p.m.

**March 23, Monday**  
Classes resume, 8.20 a.m.

**April 24, Friday**  
Classes end, 5:30 p.m.; Reading period begins

**April 30, Thursday**  
Final examinations begin, 7 p.m.

**May 6, Wednesday**  
Examinations end, 5:30 p.m.

**May 18, Monday**  
University Commencement