



CALIFORNIA

2019–2020 Academic Calendar

First Semester

August 21, 2019	Wednesday	Residence halls open for freshmen
August 22	Thursday	Freshman Orientation begins
August 24	Saturday	Residence halls open for returning students
August 26	Monday	Convocation Day – Junior and Senior seminars begin
August 27	Tuesday	Tutorials begin
October 14	Monday	Columbus Day – no classes, office holiday
October 22–24	Tue–Thu	Don Rags – evening classes only
November 1	Friday	Feast of All Saints – no classes, office holiday
November 27	Wednesday	Thanksgiving recess begins after classes
December 2	Monday	Classes resume
December 8	Sunday	Feast of the Immaculate Conception
December 14–20	Sat–Fri	First semester examinations
December 20	Friday	First semester ends
December 21	Saturday	Residence halls close
December 24	Tuesday	Christmas Eve – office holiday
December 25	Wednesday	Christmas Day – office holiday
December 31	Tuesday	New Year's Eve – half-day office holiday
January 1, 2020	Wednesday	New Year's Day – office holiday

Second Semester

January 12	Sunday	Residence halls re-open
January 13	Monday	Second semester classes begin
January 28	Tuesday	Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas – no classes
February 17	Monday	Presidents' Day – no classes, office holiday
Mar 3–5	Tue–Thu	Don Rags – evening classes only
April 8	Wednesday	Easter recess begins after classes
April 10	Friday	Good Friday – office holiday
April 16	Thursday	Classes resume
May 9–15	Sat–Fri	Second semester examinations
May 15	Friday	Second semester ends
May 16	Saturday	Commencement
May 18	Monday	Residence halls close at 12 noon