Academic Calendar



University of Pittsburgh

ACADEMIC CALENDAR • 2019-20

Dates highlighted in yellow apply to all schools, on all University campuses. Those in blue apply only to the Pittsburgh campus.

Official dates for degrees awarded apply to all schools, on all University campuses. Specific dates affecting the professional programs in the Schools of Dental Medicine, Law, Medicine, Pharmacy, and Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business, as well as graduate programs with specialized accreditation requirements may be obtained from the appropriate Dean's Office.

* Employees covered by the collective bargaining agreements will be governed by the terms of those agreements.

NOTE: THE UNIVERSITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MAKE SUCH CALENDAR CHANGES AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY

All Campus	WIP	Main Campus WIP			Mi	x-in: All, None
July 2019						
Begins		Date		Ends		Campus
7/4/2019	Thursday	Independence Day (University closed)		7/4/2019	Thursday	All Campuses
7/10/2019	Wednesday	Fall Term deadline for continuing students to r	register	7/10/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
7/17/2019	Wednesday	Staff Council		7/17/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus

August 2019

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Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
8/12/2019	Monday	Office of International Services (OIS) Graduate and Professional Student Orientation	8/12/2019	Monday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/17/2019	Saturday	International Undergraduate Student Orientation	8/19/2019	Monday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/19/2019	Monday	New and Transfer Undergraduate Student Orientation	8/25/2019	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/19/2019	Monday	Residence halls open	8/19/2019	Monday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/20/2019	Tuesday	New Graduate and Professional Student Orientation	8/20/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus

8/21/2019	Wednesday	New and Transfer Undergraduate Student Convocation	8/21/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/21/2019	Wednesday	Staff Council	8/21/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/22/2019	Thursday	New Faculty Orientation	8/22/2019	Thursday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/23/2019	Friday	New Teaching Assistant Orientation	8/23/2019	Friday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/26/2019	Monday	Fall Term classes begin	8/26/2019	Monday	All Campuses
8/26/2019	Monday	Fall Term enrollment period ends for all students	8/26/2019	Monday	All Campuses

September 2019

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
9/2/2019	Monday	Labor Day (University closed)	9/2/2019	Monday	All Campuses
9/6/2019	Friday	Fall Term add/drop period ends	9/6/2019	Friday	All Campuses
9/7/2019	Saturday	Fall Term extended drop period begins (Undergraduate Students Only)	9/7/2019	Saturday	All Campuses (Guidelines
9/10/2019	Tuesday	Faculty Assembly	9/10/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus
9/13/2019	Friday	Fall Term extended drop period ends (Undergraduate Students Only)	9/13/2019	Friday	All Campuses
9/17/2019	Tuesday	Constitution Day	9/17/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus
9/18/2019	Wednesday	Senate Council	9/18/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
9/27/2019	Friday	Family Weekend	9/28/2019	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus

October 2019

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
10/8/2019	Tuesday	Faculty Assembly	10/8/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus
10/16/2019	Wednesday	Senate Council	10/16/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
10/25/2019	Friday	Homecoming Activities	10/27/2019	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
10/25/2019	Friday	Fall Term deadline for students to submit Monitored	10/25/2019	Friday	

		Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office			All Campuses
10/25/2019	Friday	Final Exam Conflict Form Submission Deadline	10/25/2019	Friday	All Campuses (Guidelines)
10/25/2019	Friday	Spring Term enrollment appointments begin (Veteran Students)	10/25/2019	Friday	All Campuses
10/28/2019	Monday	Spring Term enrollment appointments begin (Non-Veteran Students)	10/28/2019	Monday	All Campuses
November	2019				

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
11/5/2019	Tuesday	Faculty Assembly	11/5/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus
11/8/2019	Friday	Last day for Spring Term enrollment appointments	11/8/2019	Friday	All Campuses
11/9/2019	Saturday	Spring Term open enrollment begins	11/9/2019	Saturday	All Campuses
11/13/2019	Wednesday	Senate Council	11/13/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
11/24/2019	Sunday	Thanksgiving Recess for students (no classes), all schools	12/1/2019	Sunday	All Campuses
11/28/2019	Thursday	Thanksgiving Recess for faculty and staff (University closed)	11/29/2019	Friday	All Campuses

December 2019

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
11/24/2019	Sunday	Thanksgiving Recess for students (no classes), all schools	<mark>12/1/2019</mark>	Sunday	All Campuses
12/2/2019	Monday	Classes resume (all schools)	12/2/2019	Monday	All Campuses
12/3/2019	Tuesday	Faculty Assembly	12/3/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/6/2019	Friday	Fall Term: Last day for undergraduate day classes	<mark>12/6/2019</mark>	Friday	All Campuses
12/6/2019	Friday	Spring Term deadline for continuing students to register	12/6/2019	Friday	All Campuses
12/7/2019	Saturday	CGS, Saturday Only, graduate, and evening classes meet during this period; final exams held during last scheduled class	12/14/2019	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/7/2019	Saturday	Reading Day	<mark>12/7/2019</mark>	Saturday	All Campuses
12/9/2019	Monday	Final examination period for undergraduate day classes	12/14/2019	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/11/2019	Wednesday	Senate Council	12/11/2019	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus

12/14/2019	Saturday	Fall Term Ends: Official date for degrees awarded in Fall Term	12/14/2019	Saturday	All Campuses
12/15/2019	Sunday	Residence halls close	12/15/2019	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/15/2019	Sunday	Winter Recess for students (no classes), all schools	1/5/2020	Sunday	All Campuses
12/17/2019	Tuesday	Fall Term grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	12/17/2019	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/23/2019	Monday	Winter Recess for faculty, staff, & designated offices. Responsibility centers & research projects staffed as necessary*	1/1/2020	Wednesday	All Campuses

January 2020									
Begins		Date	Ends		Campus				
12/15/2019	Sunday	Winter Recess for students (no classes), all schools	1/5/2020	Sunday	All Campuses				
12/23/2019	Monday	Winter Recess for faculty, staff, & designated offices. Responsibility centers & research projects staffed as necessary*	1/1/2020	Wednesday	All Campuses				
1/2/2020	Thursday	All University offices and buildings reopen	1/2/2020	Thursday	All Campuses				
1/4/2020	Saturday	Residence halls reopen	1/4/2020	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus				
1/6/2020	Monday	Spring Term classes begin	1/6/2020	Monday	All Campuses				
1/6/2020	Monday	Spring Term enrollment period ends for all students	1/6/2020	Monday	All Campuses				
1/17/2020	Friday	Spring Term add/drop period ends	1/17/2020	Friday	All Campuses				
1/18/2020	Saturday	Spring Term extended drop period begins (Undergraduate Students Only)	1/18/2020	Saturday	All Campuses (Guidelines)				
1/20/2020	Monday	Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday observance (University closed)	1/20/2020	Monday	All Campuses				
1/24/2020	Friday	Spring Term extended drop period ends (Undergraduate Students Only)	1/24/2020	Friday	All Campuses				

February 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
2/7/2020	Friday	Summer Term enrollment appointments begin (Veteran Students)	2/7/2020	Friday	All Campuses
2/10/2020	Monday	Summer Term enrollment appointments begin (Non-Veteran Students)	2/10/2020	Monday	All Campuses
2/28/2020	Friday	Honors Convocation	2/28/2020	Friday	All Campuses

March 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
3/6/2020	Friday	Final Exam Conflict Form Submission Deadline	<mark>3/6/2020</mark>	Friday	

					All Campuses (Guidelines)
3/6/2020	Friday	Spring Term deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	3/6/2020	Friday	All Campuses
3/8/2020	Sunday	Spring Recess for students (no classes); offices and buildings remain open, except on Friday, Spring Holiday	3/15/2020	Sunday	All Campuses
3/13/2020	Friday	University's observance of Spring Holiday (University closed)	3/13/2020	Friday	All Campuses
3/20/2020	Friday	Fall Term enrollment appointments begin (Veteran Students)	3/20/2020	Friday	All Campuses
3/23/2020	Monday	Fall Term enrollment appointments begin (Non-Veteran Students)	3/23/2020	Monday	All Campuses

April 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
4/3/2020	Friday	Last day for Fall Term enrollment appointments	4/3/2020	Friday	All Campuse
4/4/2020	Saturday	Fall Term open enrollment period begins	4/4/2020	Saturday	All Campuse
4/17/2020	Friday	Spring Term: Last day for undergraduate day classes	4/17/2020	Friday	All Campuse
4/18/2020	Saturday	CGS, Saturday Only, graduate, and evening classes meet during this period; final exams held during last scheduled class	4/25/2020	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus
4/18/2020	Saturday	Reading Day	4/18/2020	Saturday	All Campus
4/20/2020	Monday	Final examination period for undergraduate day classes	4/25/2020	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus
4/23/2020	Thursday	Annual Graduate Commencement Convocation	4/23/2020	Thursday	Pittsburgh Campus
4/25/2020	Saturday	Spring Term Ends: Official date for degrees awarded in Spring Term	4/25/2020	Saturday	All Campus
4/26/2020	Sunday	Annual Undergraduate Commencement Convocation	4/26/2020	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
4/26/2020	Sunday	Residence halls close (except for graduating seniors)	4/26/2020	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
4/29/2020	Wednesday	Spring Term grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	4/29/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus

May 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
5/3/2020	Sunday	Summer Term: Residence halls open	5/3/2020	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
5/4/2020	Monday	Summer Term enrollment period ends and classes begin	5/4/2020	Monday	All Campuses

5/11/2020	Monday	Summer 12-WEEK, 6-WEEK-1, 4-WEEK-1 sessions enrollment period ends and classes begin	5/11/2020	Monday	All Campuses
5/13/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-1 and 6-WEEK-1 sessions add/drop period ends	5/13/2020	Wednesday	All Campuses
5/15/2020	Friday	Summer Term add/drop period ends	5/15/2020	Friday	All Campuses
5/18/2020	Monday	Summer 12-WEEK session add/drop period ends	5/18/2020	Monday	All Campuses
5/23/2020	Saturday	Official date for degrees awarded in the School of Law and School of Dental Medicine	5/23/2020	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus
5/25/2020	Monday	Memorial Day (University closed)	5/25/2020	Monday	All Campuses
5/27/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-1 session deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	5/27/2020	Wednesday	All Campuses

June 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
6/5/2020	Friday	Summer 6-WEEK-1 session deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	6/5/2020	Friday	All Campuses
6/6/2020	Saturday	Summer 4-WEEK-1 session ends: Final examinations scheduled during last class meeting	6/6/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
6/8/2020	Monday	Summer 4-WEEK-2 session enrollment period ends and classes begin	6/8/2020	Monday	All Campuses
6/10/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-1 session grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	6/10/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
6/10/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-2 session add/drop period ends	6/10/2020	Wednesday	All Campuse
6/20/2020	Saturday	Official date for awarding of degrees	6/20/2020	Saturday	All Campuse
6/20/2020	Saturday	Summer 6-WEEK-1 session ends: Final examinations scheduled during last class meeting	6/20/2020	Saturday	All Campuse
6/22/2020	Monday	Summer 6-WEEK-2 session enrollment period ends and classes begin	6/22/2020	Monday	All Campuse
6/24/2020	Wednesday	Summer 6-WEEK-1 session grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	6/24/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
6/24/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-2 session deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	6/24/2020	Wednesday	All Campuse
6/24/2020	Wednesday	Summer 6-WEEK-2 session add/drop period ends	6/24/2020	Wednesday	All Campuse

July 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
7/2/2020	Thursday	Summer 4-WEEK-2 session ends: Final examinations scheduled during last class meeting	7/2/2020	Thursday	All Campuses
7/2/2020	Thursday	Summer Term and 12-WEEK session deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	7/2/2020	Thursday	All Campuses

7/3/2020	Friday	Independence Day (University Closed)	7/4/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
7/6/2020	Monday	Summer 4-WEEK-3 session enrollment period ends and classes begin	7/6/2020	Monday	All Campuses
7/8/2020	Wednesday	Fall Term deadline for continuing students to register	7/8/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
7/8/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-2 session grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	7/8/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
7/8/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-3 session add/drop period ends	7/8/2020	Wednesday	All Campuses
7/17/2020	Friday	Summer 6-WEEK-2 session deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	7/17/2020	Friday	All Campuses
7/22/2020	Wednesday	Summer 4-WEEK-3 session deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	7/22/2020	Wednesday	All Campuses

August 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
8/1/2020	Saturday	Summer 12-WEEK, 6-WEEK-2, 4-WEEK-3 sessions end: Final examinations scheduled during last class meeting	8/1/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
8/5/2020	Wednesday	Summer 12-WEEK, 6-WEEK-2, 4-WEEK-3 sessions grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	8/5/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/8/2020	Saturday	Official date for awarding degrees	8/8/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
8/8/2020	Saturday	Summer Term Ends: Final examinations scheduled during last class meeting	8/8/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
8/9/2020	Sunday	Residence halls close	8/9/2020	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/12/2020	Wednesday	Summer Term grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m	8/12/2020	Wednesday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/17/2020	Monday	Residence halls open	8/17/2020	Monday	Pittsburgh Campus
8/24/2020	Monday	Fall Term classes begin	8/24/2020	Monday	All Campuses
8/24/2020	Monday	Fall Term enrollment period ends for all students	8/24/2020	Monday	All Campuses

September 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
9/4/2020	Friday	Fall Term add/drop period ends	9/4/2020	Friday	All Campuses
9/5/2020	Saturday	Fall Term extended drop period begins (Undergraduate Students Only)	9/5/2020	Saturday	All Campuses (Guidelines)
9/7/2020	Monday	Labor Day (University closed)	9/7/2020	Monday	All Campuses

9/11/2020	Friday	Fall Term extended drop period ends (Undergraduate Students Only)	9/11/2020	Friday	All Campuses
9/17/2020	Thursday	Constitution Day	9/17/2020	Thursday	Pittsburgh Campus

October 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
10/23/2020	Friday	Fall Term deadline for students to submit Monitored Withdrawal forms to Dean's Office	10/23/2020	Friday	All Campuses
10/23/2020	Friday	Final Exam Conflict Form Submission Deadline	10/23/2020	Friday	All Campuses (Guidelines)
10/23/2020	Friday	Spring Term enrollment appointments begin (Veteran Students)	10/23/2020	Friday	All Campuses
10/26/2020	Monday	Spring Term enrollment appointments begin (Non-Veteran Students)	10/26/2020	Monday	All Campuses

November 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
11/6/2020	Friday	Last day for Spring Term enrollment appointments	11/6/2020	Friday	All Campuses
11/7/2020	Saturday	Spring Term open enrollment period begins	11/7/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
11/22/2020	Sunday	Thanksgiving Recess for students (no classes), all schools	11/29/2020	Sunday	All Campuses
11/26/2020	Thursday	Thanksgiving Recess for faculty and staff (University closed)	11/27/2020	Friday	All Campuses
11/30/2020	Monday	Classes resume (all schools)	11/30/2020	Monday	All Campuses

December 2020

Begins		Date	Ends		Campus
12/4/2020	Friday	Spring Term deadline for continuing students to register	12/4/2020	Friday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/4/2020	Friday	Fall Term: Last day for undergraduate day classes	12/4/2020	Friday	All Campuses
12/5/2020	Saturday	CGS, Saturday Only, graduate, and evening classes meet during this period; final exams held during last scheduled class	12/12/2020	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus
12/5/2020	Saturday	Reading Day	12/5/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
12/7/2020	Monday	Final examination period for undergraduate day classes	12/12/2020	Saturday	Pittsburgh Calendar
12/12/2020	Saturday	Fall Term Ends: Official date for degrees awarded in Fall Term	12/12/2020	Saturday	All Campuses
12/13/2020	Sunday	Residence halls close	12/13/2020	Sunday	Pittsburgh Campus

12/13/2020	Sunday	Winter Recess for students (no classes), all schools	1/10/2021	Sunday	All Campuses				
12/15/2020	Tuesday	Fall Term grades must be approved by instructors by 11:59 p.m.	12/15/2020	Tuesday	Pittsburgh Campus				
12/24/2020	Thursday	Winter Recess for faculty, staff, & designated offices. Responsibility centers & research projects staffed as necessary*	1/3/2021	Sunday	All Campuses				
January 2021									
Begins		Date	Ends		Campus				
12/13/2020	Sunday	Winter Recess for students (no classes), all schools	1/10/2021	Sunday	All Campuses				
12/24/2020	Thursday	Winter Recess for faculty, staff, & designated offices. Responsibility centers & research projects staffed as necessary*	1/3/2021	Sunday	All Campuses				
1/4/2021	Monday	All University offices and buildings reopen	1/4/2021	Monday	All Campuses				
1/9/2021	Saturday	Residence halls open	1/9/2021	Saturday	Pittsburgh Campus				
1/11/2021	Monday	Spring Term classes begin	1/11/2021	Monday	All Campuses				

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