

Alfred University Academic Calendar 2009-10

Fall Semester

	Day(s)	Date(s)
Orientation for New International Students	Sunday-Tuesday	Aug 16-18
New Student Check-in/Move-in Day	Wednesday	Aug 19
Orientation for New Students	Wednesday-Saturday	Aug 19-22
Residence Halls Open for Returning Students	Saturday	Aug 22
Classes Begin	Monday	Aug 24
Last Day to Add courses, Last Day to Drop or select Pass/Fail in "A" Block courses	Friday	Aug 28
Last Day to Drop, select Pass/Fail in a full-semester course	Friday	Sep 4
* <i>Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Sep 18</i>
Last Day to Withdraw, cancel Pass/Fail in "A" Block	Friday	Sep 18
Homecoming Weekend	Friday-Sunday	Sep 18-20
Family Weekend	Friday-Sunday	Sep 25-27
* <i>Yom Kippur begins at sundown</i>	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Sep 27</i>
Last Day to apply for Study Abroad in Spring Semester	Thursday	Oct 1
Last Day of "A" Block	Friday	Oct 9
Mid-Term Break - no classes (Mid-Term grades due by 12:00 noon Monday)	Monday-Tuesday	Oct 12-13
Last Day to Add/Drop or Select Pass/Fail option in "B" Block courses	Friday	Oct 16
Last Day to Withdraw, cancel Pass/Fail in a full-semester course	Tuesday	Oct 20
Advisement Week for Spring 2010 Registration	Monday-Friday	Oct 26-30
Registration for Spring Semester Begins (by class year)	Monday	Nov 2
Last Day to Withdraw, cancel Pass/Fail in "B" Block	Tuesday	Nov 10
Thanksgiving recess begins after last class	Tuesday	Nov 24
Classes Resume	Monday	Nov 30
* <i>Hanukkah begins at sundown</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Dec 11</i>
Classes End (after last class meeting)	Friday	Dec 4
Final Exams begin (grades due within 48 hours)	Monday	Dec 7
Fall Semester ends after last Final Exam	Friday	Dec 11
Final Grades due by 10:00 a.m.	Monday	Dec 14

Spring Semester

Orientation for New International Students	Sunday-Monday	Jan 17-18
Residence Halls open 10:00 a.m.	Sunday	Jan 17
Classes Begin	Tuesday	Jan 19
Last Day to Add courses, Last Day to Drop or select Pass/Fail in "A" Block courses	Monday	Jan 25
Last Day to Drop, select Pass/Fail in a full-semester course	Monday	Feb 1
Last Day to Withdraw, cancel Pass/Fail in "A" Block	Monday	Feb 15
* <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Feb 17</i>
Last Day to Apply for Study Abroad in Fall Semester	Monday	Mar 1
Last Day of "A" Block, Spring Break begins after last class	Friday	Mar 5
Mid-Term Grades due by 12:00 noon	Monday	Mar 8
Classes Resume; Summer School Registration Begins	Monday	Mar 15
Last Day Add/Drop or Select Pass/Fail option in "B" Block courses	Wednesday	Mar 17
Last Day to Withdraw, cancel Pass/Fail in a full-semester course	Monday	Mar 22
* <i>Passover begins at sundown</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Mar 29</i>
Advisement Week for Fall 2010 Registration	Monday-Friday	Mar 29-Apr 2
* <i>Good Friday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Apr 2</i>
Registration for Fall Semester Begins (by class year)	Monday	Apr 5
Last Day to Withdraw, cancel Pass/Fail in "B" Block	Monday	Apr 12
Honors Convocation	Friday	Apr 23
Spring Family Weekend/Hot Dog Day Weekend	Friday-Sunday	Apr 23-25
Last Day to Defend a Graduate Thesis/Project	Friday	Apr 23
Classes End (after last class meeting)	Monday	May 3
Final Exams begin (grades due within 48 hours) (exams on Wed, Thur, Fri, Sat, Mon)	Wednesday	May 5
Spring Semester ends after last Final Exam	Monday	May 10
Commencement	Saturday	May 15
* <i>Religious observances occurring during semesters. Scheduled classes are in session.</i>		

Summer Sessions

First Session	Monday-Friday	May 17-Jun 25
Second Session	Monday-Friday	Jun 28-Aug 6