

**The Fall Semester 2020**

August	18-19	Tuesday-Wednesday	New Faculty Orientation
	24	Monday	Fall Conference for Faculty and Staff
	27	Thursday	Residence halls open for first year and transfer students only
	28	Friday	<b>**Opening Convocation, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m.</b>
	28-30	Friday - Sunday	Residence halls and Knollcrest East apartments open for returning students
September	1	Tuesday	Fall semester classes begin; Fall 1 8-week session begins
	7	Monday	Labor Day – CLASSES IN SESSION
October	8	Thursday	Academic Advising – no classes
	Various dates in mid-Oct		Half semester courses end/begin; consult <a href="http://selfservice.calvin.edu">selfservice.calvin.edu</a>
	21	Wednesday	Academic Advising – no classes
	23	Friday	Fall 1 8-week session ends
	26	Monday	Fall 2 8-week session begins
November	3	Tuesday	Academic Advising – no classes
	24	Tuesday	Last day of in-person instruction
	25-27	Wednesday-Friday	Thanksgiving break – no classes
	30	Monday	Online instruction begins
December	7	Monday	<b>Wednesday class schedule in effect</b>
	8	Tuesday	<b>Thursday class schedule in effect</b>
	9	Wednesday	Study day – no classes
	9	Wednesday	Full Faculty Assembly – <b>7:00 – 9:00 p.m. faculty attendance required</b>
	10	Thursday	Examinations begin 9:00 a.m.
	16	Wednesday	Examinations end and Christmas vacation begins 10:00 p.m.
	18	Friday	Fall 2 8-week session ends

**The Interim 2021**

January	5	Tuesday	Winter 1 8-week session begins
	6	Wednesday	Interim term begins 8:30 a.m.
	26	Tuesday	Interim term ends 5:00 p.m.
	27-29	Wednesday–Friday	Interim break – no classes

**The Spring Semester 2021**

February	1	Monday	Safe return day
	2	Tuesday	Spring semester classes begin; half semester courses begin
	26	Friday	Winter 1 8-week session ends
March	1	Monday	Winter 2 8-week session begins
	4	Thursday	Academic Advising – no classes
	19	Friday	First half-semester courses end
	22	Monday	Second half-semester courses begin
	23	Tuesday	Academic Advising – no classes
April	2-5	Friday-Monday	Good Friday, Easter Monday – classes in session
	14	Wednesday	Academic Advising – no classes
	17	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>**2020 Commencement ceremony</b>
	23	Friday	Winter 2 8-week session ends
May	7	Friday	Study day – no classes
	7	Friday	Examinations begin 6:30 p.m.
	13	Thursday	Examinations end 4:30 p.m.
	14	Friday	<b>**Honors Convocation 7:00 p.m.</b>
	15	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>**2021 Commencement ceremony 2:00 p.m.</b>

**\*\*Indicates events at which faculty attendance is expected in full academic regalia.**

**FALL 2020 SEMESTER**

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Month
Prep Week	24 - Fall Conference	25	26	27	28 - Opening Convocation	AUGUST
Week 1	31	1	2	3	4	SEPTEMBER
Fall 1.1	31	1	2	3	4	
Week 2	7 - Labor Day	8	9	10	11	
Fall 1.2	7 - Labor Day	8	9	10	11	
Week 3	14	15	16	17	18	
Fall 1.3	14	15	16	17	18	
Week 4	21	22	23	24	25	
Fall 1.4	21	22	23	24	25	
Week 5	28	29	30	1	2	OCTOBER
Fall 1.5	28	29	30	1	2	
Week 6	5	6	7	8	9	
Fall 1.6	5	6	7	8	9	
Week 7	12	13	14	15	16	
Fall 1.7	12	13	14	15	16	
Week 8	19	20	21	22	23	
Fall 1.8	19	20	21	22	23	
Week 9	26	27	28	29	30	NOVEMBER
Fall 2.1	26	27	28	29	30	
Week 10	2	3	4	5	6	
Fall 2.2	2	3	4	5	6	
Week 11	9	10	11	12	13	
Fall 2.3	9	10	11	12	13	
Week 12	16	17	18	19	20	
Fall 2.4	16	17	18	19	20	
Week 13	23	24	25	26 - Thanksgiving	27	DECEMBER
Fall 2.5	23	24	25	26 - Thanksgiving	27	
Week 14	30	1	2	3	4	
Fall 2.6	30	1	2	3	4	
Week 15	7 - Wed schedule	8 - Thurs sched	9	10	11	
Fall 2.7	7	8	9	10	11	
Week 16	14	15	16	17	18	
Fall 2.8	14	15	16	17	18	
BREAK	21	22	23	24	25	
	28	29	30	31	1	

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CLASS – 2 <sup>nd</sup> eight-week session	Fall Session 2 – 8 weeks	October 26 – December 18
Interim	Interim – 4 weeks	January 6-26
NO CLASS	Winter/Spring Semester – 16 weeks	February 2– May 15
16-Week Exams	Winter Session 1 – 8 weeks	January 5 – February 26
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**WINTER/SPRING 2021 SEMESTER**

8-week session runs with January interim

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Month
Interim 1		5	6	7	8	JANUARY
Winter 1.1	4	5	6	7	8	
Interim 2	11	12	13	14	15	
Winter 1.2	11	12	13	14	15	
Interim 3	18	19	20	21	22	
Winter 1.3	18	19	20	21	22	
Interim 4	25	26	27 - Interim Break	28	29	
Winter 1.4	25	26	27	28	29	
Week 1	1 – Safe Return	2	3	4	5	FEBRUARY
Winter 1.5	1	2	3	4	5	
Week 2	8	9	10	11	12	
Winter 1.6	8	9	10	11	12	
Week 3	15	16	17	18	19	
Winter 1.7	15	16	17	18	19	
Week 4	22	23	24	25	26	FEBRUARY
Winter 1.8	22	23	24	25	26	
Week 5	1	2	3	4	5	MARCH
Winter 2.1	1	2	3	Advising/no class	5	
Week 6	8	9	10	11	12	
Winter 2.2	8	9	10	11	12	
Week 7	15	16	17	18	19	
Winter 2.3	15	16	17	18	19	
Week 8	22	23	24	25	26	
Winter 2.4	22	Advising/no class	24	25	26	
Week 9	29	30	31	1	2 - Good Friday	APRIL
Winter 2.5	29	30	31	1	2	
Week 10	5	6	7	8	9	
Winter 2.6	5	6	7	8	9	
Week 11	12	13	14	15	16	
Winter 2.7	12	13	Advising/no class	15	16	
Week 12	19	20	21	22	23	APRIL
Winter 2.8	19	20	21	22	23	
Week 13	26	27	28	29	30	MAY
	26	27	28	29	30	
Week 14	3	4	5	6	7 - Study	8 - Exams
	3	4	5	6	7	
Week 15	10 - Exams	11 - Exams	12 - Exams	13 - Exams	14	15 Commencement
	10	11	12	13		

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