Academic Calendar 2026-2027

FALL SEMESTER 2026

Sunday, August 30 NEC Orientation Begins Friday, September 4 New Student Registration

Monday, September 7 Labor Day

Tuesday, September 8 First Day Instruction (NEC and Tufts)

Wednesday, September 9 Convocation

Monday-Tues Oct 12-13 Fall Break including Indigenous Peoples Day

Wed-Sun, Nov 25-29 Thanksgiving Break

Monday, December 14 Last Day Instruction (Tufts)

Friday, December 18 Last Day Instruction (NEC)

Sunday-Monday, Dec. 20-21 Examination Period

Monday, January 4 Fall grades due (Grades due Dec. 23 for graduating students)

Residence Hall Closes

SPRING SEMESTER 2027

Tuesday, Dec. 22

Monday, January 11First Day Instruction (NEC)Monday, January 18Martin Luther King DayWednesday, January 20First Day Instruction (Tufts)Mon-Wed, Feb 15-16Presidents' Day Recess

Sat-Sun, March 20-28 Spring Vacation (NEC/Tufts)

Thursday, April 29 Last Day of Instruction (NEC), follows Monday schedule

Friday, May 1 Potential snow day make-up Monday, May 3 Last Day Instruction (Tufts)

Mon-Wed, May 3-5 Examination Period
Thurs-Sun, May 6-9 Pre-Promotional Period

Friday, May 7 Spring semester grades due (except for promotionals)

Mon-Fri, May 10-14 Promotionals

Saturday, May 15

Sunday, May 16

Monday, May 17

Sunday, May 23

Commencement Concert

N.E.C. Commencement

Residence Hall Closes

Tufts Commencement

Monday, May 31 Memorial Day