

Academic Calendar

Fall Term 2005

August 12

Fall tuition and fees due.

August 22

Residence halls and apartments open for upperclass and new graduate students.

August 26

Dining halls open with breakfast.

August 28

Class of 2009 Convocation.

August 29

Classes begin.

September 5

Labor Day. No classes. Staff Holiday.

September 12

Last day for graduate and undergraduate students to add courses or change sections without appeal or to put courses on audit. Last day for completion of "NE" grade requirements for spring 2005 courses.

September 23

Last day to file degree applications with Registrar's Office for December 31, 2005 graduation.

October 7

Midterm break begins after last class.

October 10

No classes.

October 11

Classes resume. Follow Monday class schedule.

October 14

Honors Convocation.

October 14–16

Family Weekend.

October 15

Rensselaer Legacy Reception.

October 21

Last day for undergraduate and graduate students to drop a course without appeal.

October 24–28

Consultation Week. Advisement for spring registration. Students should consult their faculty advisers.

October 31–November 14

Registration for all currently enrolled students for the spring semester.

November 22

Last day for undergraduates to add or remove Pass/No Credit designation.

Thanksgiving recess begins after last class.

Dining halls close after dinner.

November 23

Master's theses and engineering projects due to advisers. Doctoral theses due to thesis professors.

November 23–25

No classes.

November 24–25

Staff Holidays.

November 27

Dining halls open with dinner.

November 28

Classes resume.

December 9

Master's theses and engineering project records of completion due in the Office of Graduate Education. Last day for final examinations for doctoral theses.

Classes end after last evening class.

December 12

Add/Drop reopens for spring 2006.

December 12–13

No classes. Study-Review Days.

December 14–16 and 19–20

Final examinations.

December 16

Doctoral dissertations due in the Office of Graduate Education.

December 20

Dining halls close after dinner.

December 21

Winter recess begins. All students, whether or not returning for spring term must vacate residence halls by noon.

December 25–26

Staff Holiday.

December 30

Official date of December graduation; diplomas mailed to students after final clearance is completed in January. Degree recipients may take part in the May 2006 Commencement ceremony.

January 2

Staff Holiday.

January 6

Spring tuition and fees due.

Spring Term 2006

January 11

Residence halls and apartments open for spring term at noon.

January 15

Dining halls open with dinner.

January 16

Martin Luther King Jr. Day. No classes. Staff Holiday.

January 17

Classes begin.

January 27

Last day to file degree applications with Registrar's Office for May 2006 graduation.

Last day for graduate and undergraduate students to add courses or change sections without appeal or to put courses on Audit.

February 20

No classes. Staff Holiday.

February 21

Classes resume. Follow Monday class schedule.

March 10

Last day for undergraduates to drop a course. Last day for graduate students to drop courses without appeal.

Spring recess begins after last class. Contract dining halls close after dinner.

March 13–17

Spring Break.

March 19

Contract dining halls open with dinner.

March 20

Classes resume.

March 20–24

Consultation Week. Advisement for summer and fall registration. Students should consult their faculty advisers.

March 27–April 10

Registration for all currently enrolled students for summer and fall semesters.

March 31–April 7

Grand Marshal Week. (Student Government Elections).

April 5

No Classes.

April 21

Last day for Undergraduates to add or remove Pass/No Credit designation.

Master's theses and engineering projects due to advisers. Doctoral theses due to thesis professors.

April 28

Master's theses and engineering projects records of completion due in Office of Graduate Education.

May 3

Classes end after last evening class.

May 4

Graduation status check and post-graduation career plans.

May 4–5

No classes. Study-Review Days.

May 5

Doctoral Dissertations due in Office of Graduate Education.

May 8

Add/Drop reopens for fall 2006.

May 8–12

Final examinations.

May 12

All contract dining halls close after dinner. Deadline for completion of "NE" grade requirements for fall 2005.

May 13

Residence halls and apartments close for all students not participating in Commencement at noon.

May 19

ROTC Commissioning Ceremony.

May 20

Commencement.

May 21

All residence halls close by 11 am.

Summer Session 2006**March 27–April 10**

Currently enrolled Rensselaer students register for summer session.

May 21

Residence halls and apartments open for summer.

May 22

Final registration for summer term.

Classes begin. Courses will be scheduled for varying lengths of time during the summer session. See the class hour schedule for specific information.

May 29

No classes. Staff Holiday.

June 8–11

Reunion 2006.

June 9

Last day to file degree application with Registrar's Office for August 31, 2006 graduation.

July 4

Staff Holiday. No classes.

July 14

Master's theses and engineering projects due to advisers.

July 21

Doctoral theses due to thesis professors.

July 28

Master's theses and engineering project records of completion due in Office of Graduate Education. Last day for final examinations for doctoral theses.

August 4

Doctoral dissertations due in Office of Graduate Education.

August 11

Final exams must be complete.

August 12

Residence halls and apartments close for summer.

August 31

Official date of August graduation; diplomas mailed to students after final clearance is completed in early September.

Fall Term 2006**August 11**

Fall tuition and fees due.

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