

WEILL CORNELL GRADUATE SCHOOL OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
2023 - 2024 Academic Calendar *

Fall 2023

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| Monday, August 14 – Friday, August 18, 2023 | New Student Orientation |
| Monday, August 21, 2023 | Fall Session 1 Begins |
| Monday, August 21 – Friday, September 1, 2023 | Drop/Add Period (2 weeks) for Fall semester and Fall Session 1 courses |
| Monday, September 4, 2023 | Labor Day– no classes |
| Friday, September 8, 2023 | Last Day to Withdraw or declare an Audit for Fall semester and Session 1 courses |
| Friday, October 13, 2023 | Fall Session 1 Ends |
| Monday, October 16, 2023 | Fall Session 2 Begins |
| Monday, October 16 – Friday, October 27, 2023 | Drop/Add Period (2 weeks) for Fall Session 2 courses |
| Friday, November 3, 2023 | Last Day to Withdraw or declare an Audit for Fall Session 2 courses |
| Thursday, November 23 – Friday, November 24, 2023 | Thanksgiving Recess – no classes |
| Friday, December 1, 2023 | Dec. Degree Dissertation/Thesis Submission Deadline |
| Friday, December 8, 2023 | Fall Semester and Session 2 Ends |
| Monday, December 11 – Monday, January 1, 2024 | Winter Recess |
| Sunday, December 31, 2023 | December Degree Conferral |

Spring 2024

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| Tuesday, January 2, 2024 | Spring Session 1 Begins |
| Tuesday, January 2 – Friday, January 12, 2024 | Drop/Add Period (2 weeks) for Spring semester and Spring Session 1 courses |
| Monday, January 15, 2024 | Martin Luther King, Jr. – no classes |
| Friday, January 19, 2024 | Last Day to Withdraw or declare an Audit for Spring semester and Spring Session 1 courses |
| Monday, February 19, 2024 | Presidents' Day– no classes |
| Friday, February 23, 2024 | Spring Session 1 Ends |
| Monday, February 26 – Friday, March 1, 2024 | Spring Recess |
| Monday, March 4, 2024 | Spring Session 2 Begins |
| Monday, March 4 – Friday, March 15, 2024 | Drop/Add Period (2 weeks) for Session 2 courses |
| Friday, March 22, 2024 | Last Day to Withdraw or declare an Audit for Spring Session 2 courses |
| Friday, April 26, 2024 | Spring Session 2 Ends |
| Friday, May 3, 2024 | May/June Degree Dissertation/Thesis Submission Deadline |
| Wednesday, May 15, 2024 | Convocation Ceremony |
| Thursday, May 16, 2024 | Commencement Ceremony and Spring Degree Conferral |

Summer 2024

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| Monday, April 29, 2024 | Summer Session Begins |
| Monday, April 29– Friday, May 10, 2024 | Drop/Add Period (2 weeks) for summer session courses |
| Friday, May 17, 2024 | Last Day to Withdraw or declare an Audit for summer session courses |
| Monday, May 27, 2024 | Memorial Day – no classes |
| Wednesday, June 19, 2024 | Juneteenth – no classes |
| Thursday, July 4, 2024 | Independence Day – no classes |
| Friday, August 2, 2024 | August Degree Dissertation/Thesis Submission Deadline |
| Friday, August 16, 2024 | Summer Session Ends |
| Saturday, August 31, 2024 | Summer Degree Conferral |

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