

BROWN UNIVERSITY Year at a Glance

August

1 Mon	Term I Tuition due.
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September

7 Wed	Classes of the first semester begin.
20 Tue	Last day to add a course without a fee
28 Wed	Last day to change meal plan type for fall 2011; last day to drop meal plan for 2011-12

October

4 Tue	Last day to add a course (with a fee), change from audit to credit, or change a grade option declaration
10 Mon	Long weekend. No classes; administrative offices closed; residence halls, dining open
14-16 Fri-Sun	Family Weekend http://brown.edu/familyweekend

November

1-8 Tue-Tue	Registration period for spring 2012 courses
23-27 Wed-Sun	Thanksgiving Recess begins Wed at noon. Residence halls remain open; dining closed until Sunday dinner.
28 Mon	Classes resume.

December

1 Thur	Deadline to declare a leave for spring 2012
8-12 Thur-Mon	Reading period (optional and at the discretion of the instructor)
12 Mon	Classes end for courses not observing reading period. Last day to drop a course or to file for an incomplete
13-21 Tue-Wed	Final Examination Period The last Final Exam ends at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, December 21. Each course already has an <i>assigned</i> exam date/time; students must consult the online Course Scheduler for course-specific information before planning travel.
22 Thu	9AM. Residence halls close and lock for Winter Break. Students for whom international residence or circumstance prohibits leaving campus during Winter Break should contact Residential Life.

Fall 2011

January

1 Sun	Term II Tuition due.
25 Wed	Classes of the second semester begin.

February

7 Tue	Last day to add a course without a fee
15 Wed	Last day to change meal plan type for spring 2012
18-21 Sat-Tue	Long weekend. No classes; administrative offices, residence halls and dining open
22 Wed	Last day to add a course (with a fee), change from audit to credit, or change a grade option declaration

March

24-1 April Sat-Sun	Spring Recess Residence halls remain open; dining closed until Sunday dinner.
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April

2 Mon	Classes resume.
17-24 Tue-Tue	Registration period for fall 2012 courses
27-May 8 Fri-Tue	Reading period (optional and at the discretion of the instructor)

May

1 Tue	Deadline to declare a leave for fall 2012
8 Tue	Classes end for courses not observing reading period. Last day to drop a course or to file for an incomplete
9-18 Wed-Fri	Final Examination Period The last final exam ends at 5 p.m. on Friday, May 18. Each course has an <i>assigned</i> exam date/time; students must consult the online Course Scheduler for course-specific information before planning travel.
19 Sat	NOON. Residence halls close
27 Sun	Commencement

The full academic calendar for this year and several years into the future is on the University Registrar's website (<http://www.brown.edu/Administration/Registrar/>).

University Contacts

DEANS AND ADMINISTRATORS

During business hours:

Academic issues – Office of the Dean of the College (401) 863-9800
Other issues – Office of Student Life (401) 863-3145

For emergencies after business hours, seven days a week:
Administrator on Call through Brown Public Safety (401) 863-3322

BROWN UNIVERSITY PUBLIC SAFETY

Non-emergency number (401) 863-3322
Emergencies – Police/fire/medical dispatch (401) 863-4111
24 hours/day for students and others on campus

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Dean of the College
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