Academic Calendar 2015-2016

**Fall Semester**

- Residences open for new students; orientation begins: **August 20**
- Residence Halls open for returning students: **August 23**
- Classes begin; Drop/Add period begins: **August 25**
- Last day audit and Individual Study; Drop/Add period ends: **September 2**
- Homecoming, Hall of Fame, Alumni Council, Reunion planning, KFEC: **September 23-24**
- Last day to change from/to Pass/D/Fail: **September 21**
- Last day to add course with a late fee: **October 5**
- October Break: **October 6-7**
- Family Weekend; Parents Advisory Council: **October 14-16**
- Last day to withdraw passing from a course with a late fee: **October 21**
- Founders' Day; Matriculation: **October 27**
- Fall meeting of the Board of Trustees: **October 27-28**
- Thanksgiving vacation begins; student residences close at noon: **November 19**
- Student residences open at 5 p.m.: **November 26**
- Classes resume: **November 28**
- Last day of classes; Withdrawal Late deadline: **December 9**
- Reading days: **December 10-12**
- Examinations: **December 12-16**
- Semester ends at 4:30 p.m.: **December 16**
- Student residences close at noon: **December 17**
- Fall semester grades due before 10 a.m.: **December 27**
Spring Semester

Student residences open at 5 p.m. January 14
Classes begin; Drop/Add begins January 16
Martin Luther King Jr. Day January 16
Last day audit and Individual Study; Drop/Add period ends January 24
Winter meeting of the Board of Trustees February 2-3
Last day to change course to/from Pass/D/Fail February 10
Last day to add course with a late fee February 24
Winter Weekend: Alumni Council; Greek Alumni Leadership Council; Kenyon Fund Executive Committee February 24-25
Spring vacation begins; student residences close at noon March 4
Student residences open at 5 p.m. March 18
Classes resume March 20
Last day to withdraw passing from course with late fee March 24
Parents Advisory Council March 31-April 1
Honors Day April 11
Post 50th Reunion April 26-28
Spring meeting of the Board of Trustees A April 20-21
Last day of classes; Withdrawal Late deadline May 5
Reading Days May 6-8
Examinations May 8-12
Semester ends at 4:30 p.m. May 12
Residences close at noon (except for seniors) May 13
Senior grades due 10 a.m. May 15
189th Commencement May 20
Residence halls close for seniors at 7 p.m. May 20
Grades Due 10 a.m. May 23
Alumni Reunion Weekend; Alumni Council May 25-28