

Rhode Island School of Design
Academic Calendar Basic Dates: 2019/20

Summer	2019 – 2020	
Summer Foundation Courses Begin	6/17/2019	Monday
Continuing Education Summer Studies Begin	6/24/2019	Monday
Independence Day (Courses Held in Foundation Studies, Offices Closed)	7/4/2019	Thursday
Summer Foundation Courses End	7/26/2019	Friday
Continuing Education Summer Studies End	8/2/2019	Friday

Fall	2019 – 2020	
Fall Courses Begin	9/5/19	Thursday
Indigenous People's Day (Courses Held, Offices Open)	10/14/2019	Monday
Veterans Day (Courses Held, Offices Open)	11/11/2019	Monday
Thanksgiving Break for Students (No Courses Held)	11/23/19 - 12/1/19	Saturday - Sunday
Last Day of Fall Courses	12/4/2019	Wednesday
Reading/Preparation/Study Day (No Exams/Crits Held)	12/5/2019	Thursday
Liberal Arts & Grad Commons Exams	12/6/2019	Friday
Studio Review Days ('Crits')	12/09/19 - 12/13/19	Monday - Friday
Last Day of Fall Semester	12/13/2019	Friday
College Closed for Break	12/24/19 - 1/1/20	Tuesday - Wednesday

Wintersession	2019 – 2020	
Wintersession Courses Begin	1/3/2020	Friday
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No Courses Held, Offices Closed)	1/20/2020	Monday
Wintersession Courses End	2/6/2020	Thursday
Break (Offices Open)	2/7/20 - 2/12/20	Friday - Wednesday

Spring	2019 – 2020	
Spring Courses Begin	2/13/2020	Thursday
Presidents Day (Courses Held, Offices Open)	2/17/2020	Monday
Spring Break (Offices Open)	3/21/20 - 3/29/20	Saturday - Sunday
Last Day of Spring Courses	5/13/2020	Wednesday
Reading/Preparation/Study Day (No Exams/Crits Held)	5/14/2020	Thursday
Liberal Arts & Grad Commons Exams	5/15/2020	Friday
Studio Review Days ('Crits')	5/18/20 - 5/22/20	Monday - Friday
Last Day of Spring Semester	5/22/2020	Friday
Memorial Day (Offices Closed)	5/25/2020	Monday

Commencement	2019 – 2020	
	5/30/2020	Saturday