

2014-2015 Undergraduate Calendar

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Email Address

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The University undertakes to protect the privacy of each student and the confidentiality of his or her record. To this end the University shall refuse to disclose personal information to any person other than the individual to whom the information relates where disclosure would constitute an unjustified invasion of the personal privacy of that person or of any other individual. All members of the University community must respect the confidential nature of the student information which they acquire in the course of their work.

Complete policy at <http://www.uoguelph.ca/policies/pdf/ORSInfoReleasePolicy060610.pdf>.

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III. Schedule of Dates

The dates for the 2014-2015 academic year are listed by semester below as follows:

Summer Semester 2014

Fall Semester 2014

Winter Semester 2015

Summer Semester 2014 (12 Week Format)

Tuesday, April 22

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration - 3rd meeting

Thursday, May 1

- Last day for applications for external and internal program transfer to Fall Semester 2014 for all programs except D.V.M.

Wednesday, May 7

- Add period begins

Thursday, May 8

- Class commences

Friday, May 9

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--1st meeting
- Last day to submit co-op work performance evaluations for Winter Semester 2014

Wednesday, May 14

- Last day to submit co-op work semester reports for Winter Semester 2014

Friday, May 16

- Add period ends
- Last day to drop two-semester courses (W14/S14)
- Last day for clearance to graduate for Summer 2014 Convocation

Monday, May 19

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED--classes rescheduled to Thursday, July 31

Thursday, May 29

- Kemptville Campus Convocation

Friday, May 30

- Alfred Campus Convocation

Monday, June 2

- Course selection period for Fall Semester 2014 begins--In-course students (F'14 freshmen can continue to add & drop)

Thursday, June 5

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--2nd meeting

Friday, June 6

- Course selection period for Fall Semester 2014 ends--In-course students (F'14 freshmen can continue to add & drop)
- Ridgetown Campus Convocation

Monday, June 9

- Summer 2014 Convocation
- Deferred examinations for Winter 2014 courses commence

Tuesday, June 10

- Summer 2014 Convocation

Wednesday, June 11

- Summer 2014 Convocation

Thursday, June 12

- Summer 2014 Convocation

Friday, June 13

- Summer 2014 Convocation
- Deferred examinations for Winter 2014 courses conclude

Thursday, June 19

- Last day to apply to graduate at Fall 2014 Convocation without application late fee

Tuesday, July 1

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED--classes rescheduled to Friday, August 1

Wednesday, July 2

- Last day for Fall 2014 new student course selection

Friday, July 4

- Fortieth class day--Last day to drop one semester courses
- Last day to apply to graduate at Fall 2014 Convocation

Wednesday, July 30

- Last day for regularly scheduled classes

Thursday, July 31

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, May 19, Monday schedule in effect

Friday, August 1

- Classes rescheduled from Tuesday, July 1, Tuesday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude

Monday, August 4

- Holiday

Thursday, August 7

- Examinations commence

Saturday, August 9

- Examinations scheduled

Friday, August 15

- Examinations conclude

Monday, August 18

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--3rd meeting
- Add period for Fall Semester 2014 begins

Summer Session 2014 (6 Week Format)

Wednesday, May 7

- Add period begins

Thursday, May 8

- Class commences

Monday, May 12

- Last day to add Summer Session courses

Monday, May 19

- Holiday--NO COURSES SCHEDULED--classes rescheduled to Thursday, June 19

Thursday, June 5

- Last day to drop Summer Session courses

Wednesday, June 18

- Last day for regularly scheduled classes

Thursday, June 19

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, May 19, Monday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude

Monday, June 23

- Examinations Commence

Friday, June 27

- Examinations conclude

Fall Semester 2014

Monday, August 18

- Add period for Fall Semester 2014 begins
- Last day to submit Request for Academic Consideration -- 3rd meeting

Monday, September 1

- Holiday

Thursday, September 4

- Class commences

Friday, September 5

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--1st meeting
- Last day to submit co-op work performance evaluations for Summer Semester 2014

Wednesday, September 10

- Last day to submit co-op work semester reports for Summer Semester 2014

Friday, September 12

- Add period ends
- Last day to drop two-semester courses (S14/F14)

Friday, September 19

- Last day for clearance to graduate for Fall 2014 Convocation

Wednesday, October 1

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--2nd meeting

Monday, October 6

- Course selection period for Winter Semester 2015 begins--In-course students
- Deferred examinations for Summer 2014 courses commence

Friday, October 10

- Deferred examinations for Summer 2014 courses conclude

Monday, October 13

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED -- classes rescheduled to Friday, November 28

Tuesday, October 14

- Fall Study Break Day - NO CLASSES SCHEDULED -- classes rescheduled to Thursday, November 27

Friday, October 17

- Last day for applications to graduate at Winter 2015 Convocation without application late fee

Saturday, October 18

- Fall 2014 Convocation

Thursday, October 30

- Course selection period for Winter Semester 2015 ends--In-course students

Friday, October 31

- Fortieth class day--Last day to drop one semester courses
- Last day to apply to graduate at Winter 2015 Convocation

Saturday, November 15

- Last day for external and internal applications for admission to Winter Semester 2015 for all programs with Winter entry

Wednesday, November 26

- Last day for regularly scheduled classes

Thursday, November 27

- Classes rescheduled from Tuesday, October 14, Tuesday schedule in effect

Friday, November 28

- Classes rescheduled from Monday, October 13, Monday schedule in effect
- Classes conclude
- Last day for applications from in-course students for admission into the Co-op option of B.A. (Psychology), B.Sc.(Applied Math & Stats, Biochemistry, Biological & Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Chemistry, Toxicology), B.Sc.(Env.) for Winter Semester 2015

Monday, December 1

- Examinations commence

Saturday, December 6

- Examinations scheduled

Monday, December 8

- Add period for Winter Semester 2015 begins

Friday, December 12

- Examinations conclude

Monday, December 15

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--3rd meeting

D.V.M. Fall Semester 2014**Monday, September 1**

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Summer rotations with case-care responsibilities continue (Phase 4)

Tuesday, September 2

- Classes commence (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Rotations commence (Phase 4)

Monday, October 13

- Holiday--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Rotations with case-care responsibilities continue (Phase 4)

Tuesday, October 14

- Fall Study Break Day - NO CLASSES SCHEDULED (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Rotations begin or continue as scheduled (Phase 4)

Friday, December 12

- Classes conclude (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Rotations continue (Phase 4)

Friday, December 19

- Rotation conclude (Phase 4)

Winter Semester 2015**Monday, December 8**

- Add period for Winter Semester 2015 begins

Thursday, January 1

- Last day for applications to D.V.M. for Fall 2015 (Canadian applicants)

Monday, January 5

- Class commence

Tuesday, January 6

- Last day to submit co-op work performance evaluations for Fall Semester 2014

Friday, January 9

- Add period ends
- Last day to drop two-semester courses (F14/W15)
- Last day to submit co-op work semester reports for Fall Semester 2014
- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--1st meeting

Friday, January 16

- Last day for clearance to graduate at Winter 2015 Convocation

Friday, January 23

- Last day to apply for international exchange programs departing in Summer Semester 2015, Fall 2015 or Winter 2016

Friday, January 30

- Last day to submit Request for Academic Consideration--2nd meeting

Monday, February 2

- Deferred examinations for Fall 2014 courses commence

Friday, February 6

- Deferred examinations for Fall 2014 conclude

Friday, February 13

- Last day for apply to graduate at Summer 2015 Convocation without application late fee

Monday, February 16

- Winter Break begins--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED THIS WEEK
- Holiday

Tuesday, February 17

- Winter 2015 Convocation

Wednesday, February 18

- Winter 2015 Convocation

Thursday, February 19

- Winter 2015 Convocation

Friday, February 20

- Winter Break ends
- Winter 2015 Convocation

Monday, February 23

- Classes resume

Monday, March 2

- Course selection period for Summer Semester 2015 and Fall Semester 2015 begins--In-course students

Friday, March 6

- Fortieth class day--Last day to drop one semester courses
- Last day to apply to graduate at Summer 2015 Convocation

Sunday, March 15

- Last day for external and internal applications for admission to Summer Semester 2015 for all programs with summer entry

Monday, March 23

- Course selection period for Summer Semester 2015 and Fall Semester 2015 ends--In-course students

Thursday, April 2

- Classes conclude
- Last day for applications from in-course students for admission into the Co-op option of B.A. (Economics & Mathematical Economics), B.A.Sc., B.Comm., B.Comp., B.Eng., B.Sc. (Biological and Medical Physics, Chemical Physics, Food Science, Microbiology, Nanoscience, Physics) for Fall Semester 2015.

Friday, April 3

- Holiday

Monday, April 6

- Examinations commence

Saturday, April 11

- Examinations scheduled

Friday, April 17

- Examinations conclude

Monday, April 20

- Last day to submit Requests for Academic Consideration--3rd meeting

D.V.M. Winter Semester 2015**Monday, January 5**

- Classes commence (Phases 1, 2, 3)

- Rotations commence (Phase 4)

Monday, February 16

- Holiday -- NO CLASSES SCHEDULED (Phases 1, 2, 3,)
- Rotations with case-care responsibilities continue this week (Phase 4)
- Winter Break begins--NO CLASSES SCHEDULED THIS WEEK (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Rotations continue this week (Phase 4)

Friday, February 20

- Winter Break ends (Phases 1, 2, 3)

Monday, February 23

- Classes resume (Phases 1, 2, 3)

Thursday, April 2

- Classes conclude (Phases 1, 2, 3)

Friday, April 3

- Holiday
- Rotations with case-care responsibilities continue (Phase 4)

Monday, April 6

- Laboratory evaluations commence (Phases 1, 2, 3)

Friday, April 10

- Laboratory evaluations conclude (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Rotation conclude (Phase 4)

Monday, April 13

- Final examinations commence (Phases 1, 2, 3)
- Summative examinations commence (Phase 4)

Friday, April 17

- Summative examinations conclude (Phase 4)

Saturday, April 18

- Examinations scheduled (Phases 1, 2, 3)

Friday, April 24

- Final examinations conclude (Phases 1, 2, 3)

Monday, May 11

- Externship begins (OVC-2016 Phase 4)