



St. Margaret's School
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2016–2017 Academic Calendar

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Friday	August 5	Administrators on Campus
Monday-Tuesday	August 8-9	New Faculty & Staff Orientation/Workshop
Wednesday	August 10	CPR & Coaches Meeting
Thursday- Friday	August 11-12	Residence Halls Staff Orientation
Saturday	August 13	MAT Training for all new hall staff
Monday	August 15	Opening Chapel & Meetings for all Faculty & Staff
Tuesday	August 16	Professional Development Day for all Faculty & Staff
Wednesday	August 17	Leaders arrive by 3:00pm
Saturday	August 20	Fall Pre-season student-athletes arrive
Sunday-Wednesday	August 21-31	Pre-season for fall student-athletes
Saturday	August 27	AP Calculus students return by 2:00pm
Monday	August 29	New international students arrive
Thursday	September 1	OPENING DAY- Opening of School & opening chapel Remaining students arrive
Friday-Sunday	September 2-4	Orientation for all students
Monday	September 5	First day of classes/Labor Day
Friday-Sunday	September 9-11	Closed Weekend
Friday-Sunday	September 16-18	Closed Weekend
Saturday	October 1	SATs
Thursday-Friday	October 6-7	Board of Governors Fall Meeting
Friday	October 7	End of interim assessment period
Friday-Sunday	October 14-16	FALL FAMILY WEEKEND
Monday	October 17	Faculty Professional Day Student-athletes return by 3:00pm Leaders return by 6:15pm Boarding students return by 7:00pm
Tuesday	October 18	Classes Begin
Saturday-Sunday	October 22-23	Student Leadership Retreat
Wednesday-Friday	October 26-28	VAIS Interim Accreditation Visit
Saturday	November 5	SATs
Friday-Sunday	November 11-13	Closed weekend for exam review
Saturday	November 12	St. Margaret's Day
Monday-Friday	November 14-18	First trimester exams
Friday	November 18	Morning exams/Thanksgiving travel

Saturday	November 19	Airport & train shuttles depart at 12:30pm
Friday-Monday	November 18-28	Residence halls close at 12:00pm
Monday	November 28	THANKSGIVING BREAK
		Faculty Professional Day
		Student-athletes return by 3:00pm
Tuesday	November 29	Boarding students return by 7:00pm
		Second trimester begins
Friday-Sunday	December 2-4	Closed Weekend
Saturday	December 3	SATs
Friday	December 16	Morning Classes/Christmas Vacation Travel
		Airport & train shuttles depart at 12:30pm
Friday-Monday	December 16-January 2	CHRISTMAS VACATION
Saturday	December 17	Residence halls close at 12:00pm

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Monday	January 2	Student-athletes return by 3:00pm
		Boarding students return by 7:00pm
Tuesday	January 3	Classes begin
Friday	January 6	End of interim assessment period
Friday-Sunday	January 6-8	Closed Weekend
Saturday	January 7	SNOW BALL
Saturday	January 21	SATs
Thursday	January 26	Morning Classes/Long weekend travel
		Airport & train shuttles depart at 12:30pm
Thursday-Sunday	January 26-29	Long Weekend
Sunday	January 29	Student-athletes return by 3:00pm
		Boarding students return by 7:00pm
Monday	January 30	Classes Begin
Thursday-Friday	February 2-3	Board of Governors Meeting
Sunday	February 5	Lantern Celebration
Thursday	February 9	Second trimester classes end
Friday-Sunday	February 10-12	Closed Weekend for exam review
Monday-Friday	February 13-17	Second trimester exams
Monday-Friday	February 20-March 3	MINIMESTER
Friday	March 3	Morning Minimester Classes/Spring Break Travel
		Airport & train shuttles depart at 12:30pm
Friday-Sunday	March 3-19	SPRING BREAK
Saturday	March 4	Residence halls close at 12:00pm
Sunday	March 19	Student-athletes return by 3:00pm
		Boarding students return by 7:00pm
Monday	March 20	Third trimester classes begin
Wednesday	March 22	75 Days to Graduation Celebration
Friday-Sunday	March 24-26	Closed Weekend

Thursday	April 13	Morning Classes/Easter Travel Airport and train shuttles depart at 12:30pm
Thursday-Monday	April 13-17	EASTER BREAK
Monday	April 17	Student-athletes return by 3:00pm Leaders return by 6:15pm Boarding students return by 7:00pm
Tuesday	April 18	Classes Begin
Thursday-Friday	April 20-21	Board of Governors Meeting
Friday	April 21	End of interim assessment period
Friday-Sunday	April 21-23	Closed Weekend
Friday-Sunday	April 28-30	SPRING FAMILY WEEKEND
Saturday	April 29	MAY BALL
Friday-Sunday	May 5-6	Closed Weekend
Saturday	May 6	SATs
Saturday-Sunday	May 13-14	Student Leadership Retreat
Friday-Sunday	May 26-28	Closed Weekend for exam review
Monday-Friday	May 29-June 2	Third trimester exams
Friday	June 2	BACCALAUREATE Academic Awards Banquet
Saturday	June 3	COMMENCEMENT at 9:30am Airport & train shuttles depart at 12:30pm
Monday-Wednesday	June 5-7	Faculty Professional Days
Friday-Sunday	June 9-11	Alumnae Reunion Weekend
Saturday	June 17	RivahFest

Additional events will be communicated as they are scheduled. Student-athletes should verify required participation prior to making travel plans. Minimester courses may have additional requirements and timing.

International and domestic flights should depart at 5pm or later on the first travel day if departing from the greater Washington, D.C. area. If traveling domestically from Richmond, flights should depart at 3pm or later on the first travel day. If transportation arrival time is after 6:30pm, students and families are required to secure their own transportation to campus.

Closed Weekends - All boarding students are required to spend these weekend nights on campus. Additional weekends may be closed for either the whole school or for specific groups and will be announced in advance. On closed weekends, day leaves and overnight guests in the residence halls are not permitted.