School of Visual Arts

Academic and Administrative Calendar 2024-2025

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Thursday, August 22, 2024	All-Staff Meeting; SVA Theatre	Admin
Sunday, August 25, 2024	Check-in SVA residence halls for new students	Both
Sunday, August 25 - Sunday, September 1, 2024	Welcome Week for new students accepted for the Fall 2024 semester	Both
Friday, August 30, 2024	College offices close at 1:00 PM for Labor Day holiday	Admin
Saturday, August 31, 2024	Check-in SVA residence halls for returning students	Both
Monday, September 2, 2024	Labor Day; College closed	Both
Tuesday, September 3, 2024	Fall 2024 undergraduate and graduate classes begin	Both
Tuesday, September 3 - Tuesday, September 10, 2024	Course adjustment period for Fall 2024 and Spring 2025 semesters	Both
Tuesday, September 10, 2024	Last day to register for Fall 2024 courses, including independent study	Both
Sunday, September 15, 2024	Application deadline for SVA students wishing to participate in International Exchange for Spring 2025	Both
Saturday, September 14, 2024	Fall 2024 Pre-College program begins	Both
Monday, September 30, 2024	Spring 2025 Pre-College online registration begins	Admin
Tuesday, September 24, 2024	Fall 2024 Continuing Education program begins	Both
Monday, September 30, 2024	401(k) new enrollees and changes for fourth quarter 2024 due to Human Resources	Admin
Tuesday, October 1, 2024	Recommended application deadline for international students applying for the Spring 2025 semester	Admin
Tuesday, October 1, 2024	2025-2026 FAFSA filing for new and returning students	Both
Tuesday, October 1, 2024	SVA-sponsored student Health Insurance Fee waiver deadline for Fall 2024	Both
Tuesday, October 1, 2024	Budget Committee meets to discuss FY25-26 Tuition & Fees	Admin
Thursday, October 3, 2024	SEVIS registration deadline for all F/J international students	Both
Monday, October 7, 2024	Online registration for Spring 2025 and Summer 2025 opens for students accepted for the Spring 2025 semester	Both
Saturday, October 12, 2024	Undergraduate Open House 1	Admin
Monday, October 14, 2024	Columbus Day; no incoming or outgoing mail	Admin

Friday, October 25, 2024	Optimal date to resolve Incomplete grades from the Summer 2024 semester	Both
Saturday, October 19, 2024	Undergraduate Open House 2	Admin
Monday, October 21, 2024	Last day to officially drop Fall 2024 undergraduate and graduate courses without a grade. Academic progress and financial liability may be affected.	Both
Tuesday, October 22 - Monday, December 2, 2024	Students may drop Fall 2024 undergraduate and graduate courses with a grade of "W". Academic progress and financial liability may be affected. International students must receive approval from the International Students Office to drop below full-time status.	Both
Wednesday, October 23, 2024	Administrative withdrawal from Spring 2025 courses for students without financial clearance for the Fall 2024 semester	Both
Friday, November 1, 2024	Merit Scholarship deadline for all incoming Spring 2025 applicants	Admin
Friday, November 1, 2024	Benefits Open Enrollment begins	Admin
Friday, November 1, 2024	All requisitions for leased technology due in Purchasing	Admin
Saturday, November 2, 2024	Undergraduate Open House 3	Admin
Saturday, November 2, 2024	Travel and Expenses reports and Model invoices due to Accounts Payable for processing before Thanksgiving recess	Admin
Friday, November 8, 2024	Veterans Day (observed); no incoming or outgoing mail	Admin
Saturday, November 16, 2024	Fall 2024 Pre-College program ends	Both
Monday, November 18, 2024	Accounts Payable early check run	Admin
Monday, November 18 - Wednesday, November 20, 2024	Course adjustment period for Spring 2025 schedules	Both
Wednesday, November 27 - Friday, November 29, 2024	No Accounts Payable Check Processing During Week of Thanksgiving	Admin
Wednesday, November 27, 2024	College offices close at 1PM for Thanksgiving recess	Admin
Wednesday, November 27, 2024	Online registration for Spring 2025 and Summer 2025 ends for students accepted for the Spring 2026 semester	Both
Wednesday, November 27 - Sunday, December 1, 2024	Thanksgiving holiday, no Continuing Education classes	Both
Thursday, November 28 - Sunday, December 1, 2024	Thanksgiving holiday, College closed	Both
Saturday, November 30, 2024	Benefits Open Enrollment decisions/changes for 2025 due to Human Resources	Admin
Sunday, December 1, 2024	Recommended application deadline for Spring 2025 semester undergraduate programs	Admin
Sunday, December 1, 2024	Application deadline for Fall 2025 Early Action admission	Admin

Sunday, December 1, 2024		Financial aid deadline for submitting all loan applications for students registered for Fall 2024 only	Both
Sunday, December 1, 2024		Due date for Spring 2025 semester tuition (students not on a pre-approved payment plan)	Both
Sunday, December 1, 2024		Deadline for Check Requests, Guest Lecturer, Travel and Expense reports and Model invoices to Accounts Payable for processing before Winter recess	Admin
Monday, December 2, 2024		Deadline for OPT application and program extension request for international students in their final semester of study	Both
Monday, December 2, 2024		Registration for Spring 2025 and Summer 2025 for students accepted for the Spring 2025 semester continues by appointment with departmental advisors	Both
Monday, December 2, 2024		Spring 2025 Continuing Education program registration begins	Both
Monday, December 9, 2024		Summer 2025 Pre-College online registration begins	Admin
Monday, December 2, 2024		Last day to officially drop Fall 20243 undergraduate and graduate courses with a "W" grade. Academic progress and financial liability may be affected.	Both
Tuesday, December 10, 2024		Tuesday undergraduate and graduate classes end	Both
Tuesday, December 10, 2024		Timesheets for week ending 12/12/2024 due by 12:00 PM	Admin
Wednesday, December 11, 2024		Wednesday undergraduate and graduate classes end	Both
Friday, December 13, 2024		SVA Annual party	Admin
Monday, December 16, 2024		Monday undergraduate and graduate classes end	Both
Monday, December 16, 2024		Accounts Payable Final Check Processing for 2024	Admin
Tuesday, December 17, 2024		Thursday undergraduate and graduate classes end	Both
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		Friday/Saturday/Sunday undergraduate and graduate classes end	Both
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		Undergraduate and graduate classes end; last day that the Registrar's Office will accept grade changes for the Spring 2024 and Summer 2024 semesters	Both
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		Due date for Fall 2024 semester grades	Both
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		Check-out SVA residence halls for non-returning students	Both
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		Payroll distribution of December 31 pay due to holiday closing; next pay will be January 15, 2025; no advances will be given	Admin
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		Accounts Payable Final Check Distribution for 2024	Admin
Wednesday, December 18, 2024		401(k) new enrollee and changes for first quarter 2025 due to Human Resources	Admin

Thursday, December 19, 2024 - Wednesday, January 1, 2025	Winter Recess; College closed	Both
Wednesday, January 1, 2025	Due date for Spring 2025 tuition for students on a pre-approved payment plan	Both
Thursday, January 2, 2025	Timesheets due for weeks ending 12/15/24, 12/22/24 & 1229/24	Admin
Friday, January 3, 2025	Students without financial clearance for Spring 2025 to be flagged by Student Accounts	Admin
Friday, January 3, 2025	Optimal filing date for submitting 2025-2026 FAFSA forms for early action for Fall 2025	Both
Wednesday, January 8, 2025	Check-in SVA residence halls for new students	Both
Thursday, January 9 - Friday, January 10, 2025	Welcome Week for new students accepted for the Spring 2025 semester	Both
Wednesday, January 15, 2025	Graduate Application deadline for Summer 2025 and Fall 2025 programs	Admin
Monday, January 13, 2025	Spring 2025 undergraduate and graduate classes begin	Both
Monday, January 13 - Monday, January 20, 2025	Course adjustment period for Spring 2025 and Summer 2025 schedules	Both
Saturday, January 18, 2025	Spring 2025 Pre-College program begins	Both
Monday, January 20, 2025	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; College closed	Both
Monday, January 20, 2025	Last day to register for Spring 2025 courses, including independent study	Both
Monday, January 27, 2025	Spring 2025 Continuing Education program begins	Both
Friday, January 31, 2025	Deadline for distribution of 2024 W-2 and 1099 statements	Admin
Saturday, February 1, 2025	Optimal filing date for new students to submit financial aid FAFSA forms to central processor for 2025-2026 financial aid	Both
Saturday, February 1, 2025	Merit Scholarship postmark deadline for freshmen applicants for Fall 2025	Admin
Monday, February 3, 2025	Administrative withdrawal from Summer 2025 courses for students without financial clearance for the Spring 2025 semester	Both
Monday, February 3 - Monday, February 10, 2025	Residence hall room selection for returning students	Both
Monday, February 3, 2025	SVA-sponsored student Health Insurance Fee waiver deadline for Spring 2025	Both
Wednesday, February 12, 2025	SEVIS registration deadline for all F/J international students	Both
Saturday, February 15, 2025	Honors Program application deadline (new incoming students)	Admin
Monday, February 17, 2025	Presidents Day; no incoming or outgoing mail	Admin

Monday, February 17, 2025		Optimal date to resolve Incomplete grades from the Fall 2024 semester	Both
Saturday, March 1, 2025		Optimal financial aid date for returning students to submit 2025-2026 FAFSA application	Both
Saturday, March 1, 2025		Merit Scholarship postmark deadline for transfer applicants for Fall 2025	Admin
Monday, March 3, 2025		Fall 2025 registration begins for early decision students (online and by appointment with departmental advisors)	Admin
Monday, March 3 - Sunday, March 9, 2025		Spring break; no classes	Both
Monday, March 3, 2025		Last day to officially drop Spring 2025 undergraduate and graduate courses without a grade. Academic progress and financial liability may be affected.	Both
Tuesday, March 4 - Monday, April 21, 2025		Students may drop Spring 2025 undergraduate and graduate courses with a grade of "W". Academic progress and financial liability may be affected. International students must receive approval from the International Students Office to drop below full-time status.	Both
Friday, March 7, 2025		Staff holiday; College closed	Both
Monday, March 10 - Friday, March 21, 2025		Online registration for all currently enrolled undergraduate and graduate students for the 2025-2026 academic year (by appointment only)	Both
Saturday, March 15, 2025		Application deadline for SVA students wishing to participate in International Exchange for Fall 2025	Both
Saturday, March 15, 2025		Graduate Admissions notification date (for applicants that submitted applications by the January 15th deadline).	Admin
Saturday, March 29, 2025		Spring 2025 Pre-College program ends	Both
Monday, March 31, 2025		401(k) new enrollees and changes for second quarter 2025 due to Human Resources	Admin
Friday, April 4, 2025		Deadline for OPT application and program extension request for international students in their final semester of study	Both
Saturday, April 5, 2025		Accepted Students Day (tentative)	Admin
Monday, April 7, 2025		Financial aid deadline for submitting all loan applications for Fall/Spring or Spring-only students	Both
Sunday, April 13 - Saturday, April 19, 2025		Passover, no Continuing Education classes	Both
Tuesday, April 15, 2025		Reply date for Fall 2025 accepted graduate students (Enrollment Fee payments are processed on a first-come, first-serve basis as space remains available in each program).	Admin
Tuesday, April 15 , 2025		FY 24-25 budgets distributed to departments	Admin
Friday, April 18, 2025		Summer 2025 vacation requests due to Human Resources	Admin

Monday, April 21, 2025	Last day to officially drop Spring 2025 undergraduate and graduate courses with a "W" grade. Academic progress and financial liability may be affected.	Both
Thursday, May 1, 2025	Undergraduate Uniform Reply Date (Enrollment Fee payment priority for Fall 2025 accepted undergraduate students)	Admin
Thursday, May 1, 2025	Recommended application deadline for international students applying for Fall 2025 semester	Admin
Thursday May 1, 2025	Due date for Summer 2025 tuition	Both
Monday, May 5, 2025	Undergraduate and graduate classes end; last day that the Registrar's Office will accept grade changes for the Fall 2024 semester	Both
Monday, May 5, 2025	Due date for Spring 2025 grades	Both
Tuesday, May 6, 2025	Summer 2025 semester begins	Both
Tuesday, May 6, 2025	Check-out SVA residence halls for non-graduating students	Both
Monday, May 12, 2025	Summer 2025 Foundation program begins	Both
Thursday, May 15, 2025	FY 25-26 budget due back from departments	Admin
Sunday, May 18, 2025	Commencement, class of 2025 (tentative)	Both
Monday, May 19, 2025	Check-out SVA residence halls for graduating students (tentative)	Both
Monday, May 19, 2025	Fall 2025 Pre-College online registration begins	Admin
Friday, May 23, 2025	College offices close at 1 PM for Memorial Day holiday	Admin
Monday, May 26, 2025	Memorial Day; College closed	Both
Monday, June 2, 2025	Summer 2025 Continuing Education program begins	Both
Friday, May 30 - Friday, August 8, 2025	College offices closed each Friday	Admin
Friday, June 6, 2025	Budget Committee approves the college's overall budget	Admin
Friday, June 6, 2025	Deadline for Check Requests, Guest Lecturer, Travel and Expense reports and Model invoices to Accounts Payable for processing before Independence Day holiday	Admin
Wednesday, June 11, 2025	Summer 2025 English and the Visual Arts program housing check-in	Both
Thursday, June 12 - Friday, June 13, 2025	Summer 2025 English and the Visual Arts program orientation and registration	Both
Monday, June 16, 2025	Summer 2025 English and the Visual Arts program begins	Both
Thursday, June 19, 2025	Juneteenth holiday; College closed	Both
Monday, June 30, 2025	401(k) new enrollees and changes for third quarter 2025 due to Human Resources	Admin

Monday, June 30, 2025	Financial aid deadline for submitting 2024-2025 FAFSA application	Both
Monday, June 30, 2025	Financial aid deadline for submitting 2024-2025 TAP application	Both
Monday, June 30, 2025	Optimal date to resolve Incomplete grades from the Spring 2025 semester	Both
Friday, July 4, 2025	Independence Day holiday; College closed	Both
Sunday, July 6, 2025	Check-in for Summer 2025 Pre-College program housing students	Both
Monday, July 7, 2025	Orientation for Summer 2025 Pre-College program	Both
Monday, July 7, 2025	Summer 2025 Pre-College program begins	Both
Monday, July 7, 2025	Summer 2025 Culture, Design and Fine Arts in New York (CDFNY) program begins	Both
Friday, July 18, 2025	Summer 2025 Foundation program ends	Both
Friday, July 25, 2025	Summer 2025 Pre-College program ends	Both
Friday, July 25, 2025	Summer 2025 Culture, Design and Fine Arts in New York (CDFNY) program ends	Both
Friday, August 1, 2025	Due date for Fall 2025 semester tuition	Both
Wednesday, July 30 - Thursday, July 31, 2025	Course adjustment period for Fall 2025 and Spring 2026 semesters	Both
Sunday, August 2, 2025	Check-out SVA residence halls for Summer 2025 students	Both
Saturday, August 9, 2025	Summer 2025 English and the Visual Arts program ends	Both
Thursday, August 21, 2025	All-Staff Meeting; SVA Theatre	Admin
Sunday, August 24, 2025	Check-in SVA residence halls for new students	Both
Monday, August 25, 2025	Summer 2025 semester ends	Both
Sunday, August 24 - Sunday, August 31, 2025	Welcome Week for new students accepted for the Fall 2025 semester	Both
Friday, August 29, 2025	College offices close at 1:00 PM for Labor Day holiday	Admin
Saturday, August 30, 2025	Check-in SVA residence halls for returning students	Both
Monday, September 1, 2025	Labor Day; College closed	Both
Tuesday, September 2, 2025	Fall 2025 undergraduate and graduate classes begin	Both