

2025-2026 Yale School of Architecture Academic Calendar

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July	
1	Fall Course Waivers/ 21 Credit Forms due, 5:00 pm
4	Staff Holiday- Independence Day
14	1000c Foundations Course Begins (M.Arch I by invitation)
21	Fall Term Registration Period Begins (ARCH), 9:00 am

August	
4	1062c Course Begins (M.Arch II Required)
15	Registration Period Ends, 5:00 pm / Foundations ends
18	Drop/Add Begins, 9:00 am
18	New MArch I (non-Foundations) and MED Students Arrive
25	Orientation for All New Students Through 8/27
27	Core III Lottery/ Undergraduate Classes Begin
28	Mandatory Check-In for all non-PhD Students, 9-11 am
28	Advanced Studio Lottery, 11:00 am
28	Fall Term Graduate Studios begin, 2:00 pm
29	Monday seminars and studios meet/No Friday classes

September	
1	No Classes, Staff Holiday- Labor Day
11	Executive Committee Meeting (Faculty), 1:00 pm
12	Last Opportunity to Add Classes, 5:00 pm
18	Undergraduate Faculty Meeting, 11:30 am
18	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm
29	Advanced Studio Travel Week through Oct. 3

October	
6	Seminar Make-Up Day (All Studios Do Not Meet)
9	Executive Committee Meeting (Faculty), 1:00 pm
16	Undergraduate Faculty Meeting, 11:30 am
16	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm
17	Spring Course Waiver & 21 Credit Forms Due, 5:00pm
17	Last Day To Drop Course without "W", 5:00 pm
20	Midterm Reviews, 10/20-10/24
30	Fall Admissions Open House

November	
4	Spring Independent Study Requests Due, 5:00 pm
6	Executive Committee Meeting (Faculty), 1:00 pm
7	Summer Travel Lottery
13	Undergraduate Faculty Meeting, 11:30 am
13	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm
14	Spring Term Registration Opens, 9:00 am
24	No classes, Fall Recess (Students) through Nov. 28
27	Thanksgiving Holiday (Staff) through Nov. 28

December	
5	Last Day to Withdraw with a "W", 5:00 pm
5	Fall Term Classes End
8	Final Jury Week, 12/8-12/12
15	Graduate Non-Studio Exam Period, 12/15-12/19
18	Spring Term Registration Closes, 5:00 pm
19	Winter Recess (Students) Begins after last exam
22	Notify Registrar of any Student Receiving Failing Grade

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January	
5	Drop/Add Begins, 9:00 am
7	Core IV Lottery
8	Mandatory Check-In for all non-PhD Students, 9-11 am
8	Advanced Studio Lottery, 11:00 am
8	Spring Term Graduate Studios begin, 2:00 pm
9	Monday seminars and studios meet/No Friday classes
16	Last Day to Add Classes, 5:00 pm
19	No Classes, Staff Holiday- MLK Jr. Holiday
22	Executive Committee Meeting (Faculty), 1:00 pm
29	Undergraduate Faculty Meeting, 11:30 am
29	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm

February	
9	Advanced Studio Travel Week through Feb. 13
16	Seminar Make-Up Day (All Studios Do Not Meet)
19	Executive Committee Meeting (Faculty), 1:00 pm
23	Career Fair Reception
24	Career Fair Interviews
26	Undergraduate Faculty Meeting, 11:30 am
26	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm

March	
2	Midterm Reviews, 3/2-3/6
2	Last Day to Drop classes without "W", 5:00 pm
9	Spring Recess begins
20	Spring Recess concludes

April	
2	Spring Open House for accepted students
3	Fall Independent Study Requests Due, 5:00 pm
3	Staff Holiday
10	Early Registration for Non-Arch Classes begins, 9:00 am
16	Executive Committee Meeting (Faculty), 1:00 pm
23	Undergraduate Faculty Meeting, 11:30 am
23	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm
24	Last Day of Spring Term Classes
24	Last Day to Drop Classes with "W", 5:00 pm
24	Summer Visualization and Computation Lottery
27	Final Jury Week, 4/27-5/1

May	
4	Graduate Non-Studio Final Exam Period, 5/4-5/8
8	Notify Registrar of any Student Receiving Failing Grade
11	Portfolios due, 4:00 pm
13	Design Committee Portfolio Review
13	Feldman Jury/Award Committee Meeting
13	Faculty Meeting, 1:00 pm
15	Early Registration for Non-Arch Classes ends, 5:00 pm
17	Graduate Reception and Year End Exhibit
18	University and YSOA Commencement

June (Summer Term)	
	Summer Travel (dates to be announced)
	BP and Summer Visualization classes (May 18-June 26)
19	Staff Holiday