

WESTERN NEW ENGLAND UNIVERSITY
School of Law
Springfield, MA 01119

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2018-2019 (Revised 1.24.2019)

2018

Sunday, August 19	Annual Orientation Welcome Event
Monday - Thursday, August 20-23	First-Year Introduction to the Law Class**
Monday, August 27	Classes Begin
Monday, September 3	Labor Day - No Classes
Tuesday, September 4	Monday Classes meet this day
Tuesday, September 4	Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
Monday, October 8	Columbus Day – No Classes
Wednesday-Friday, November 21-23	Thanksgiving Recess
November 30	Last Day to Withdraw- Last Day of Classes
Friday, December 1-4	Study Period
Wednesday, December 5-15	Final Examinations (Schedule TBA)

2019

Monday-Thursday, January 7-10	First-Year Introduction to the Law Class**
Monday, January 14	Classes Begin
Monday, January 21	Martin Luther King Day - No Classes*
Tuesday, January 22	Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
Monday-Friday, March 18-22	Spring Recess
Monday, April 22	Last Day of Classes
April 23-April 26	Study Period
Monday, April 29-May 10	Final Examinations (Schedule TBA)
Sunday, May 19	Commencement

SUMMER SESSION 2019

Monday, May 20	Classes Begin
Wednesday May 22	Last Day for Applying for Degrees to be awarded in August
Friday, May 24	Last Day to Add/Drop Classes
Monday, May 27	Memorial Day Observed -No Classes
Thursday, July 4	Independence Day - No Classes
Wednesday, July 10	Thursday classes meet this day
Wednesday, July 10	Last Day to Withdraw - Last Day of Classes
July 11-14	Study Period
July 15 & 17	Final Examinations

*The Law School administrative offices remain open. The Law School does not close but classes are canceled on this day.

**Required courses for all First-Year students.