### Spring 2020 Academic Calendar

**W Jan 1**  
**Degree Applications for May 2020 due** For more information, click this link: [https://www.newpaltz.edu/registrar/graduation.html](https://www.newpaltz.edu/registrar/graduation.html)  
All students who wish to have a degree or certificate conferred, must apply (undergraduate, graduate degrees and certificates of advanced study)

**Jan 6 - Jan 13**  
**Registration moratorium:** Continuing undergraduates cannot add and drop classes

**T Jan 14**  
**Non-matriculated and visiting student undergraduate registration begins**  
Link for policy and registration information  
Cross-Registered registration begins Information link  
Exchange student registration begins Information for exchange students

**U Jan 19**  
Returning Residents may Check into Residence Halls after 10am

**T Jan 21**  
**OFFICIAL FIRST DAY OF CLASSES**

**Jan 21 - Jan 27**  
**Add/Drop Courses** Policy and Form  
Policy Update: *First-semester students who have not transferred in, do not have web access to change their schedules. They must have advisor's signature and must process add/drop during Academic Advising business hours*

**M Jan 27**  
Martin Luther King Jr. Day Observed - Classes in session

**Jan 28 - Feb 3**  
**Late Registration/Course Drop:** Course Add requires electronic permission from the instructor. $40 late registration fee for first time registration and $20 course change fee for course add.

**Feb 4 - Mar 30**  
**Course Withdrawal Period:** A student may withdraw from a course that started at the beginning of the semester ($20 course withdrawal fee)  
Policy and procedure and Students elect course withdrawal here

**M Feb 17**  
President's Day - Classes in Session

**M Feb 17**  
**Deregistration for non-payment Spring 2020** Student Accounts website

**M Feb 17**  
**Enrollment census reporting due** The census date is set by SUNY System Administration and typically marks the end of the add/drop period.  
On this day, New Paltz takes a "snapshot" of all students' enrollment which becomes the "official enrollment" that is used for required State reporting and determining financial aid eligibility  
Faculty are required to report student non-attendance in Starfish, accessible in my.newpaltz.edu and Blackboard

**F Feb 28**  
Last day for student to submit work due for course graded "I" (incomplete) for Fall 2019 and Winter 2020

**U Mar 1**  
**Study Abroad:** Deadline for Summer semester applications at 11:59 pm EST Information

**T Mar 10**  
**Mid-Point of Spring 2020 semester**

**F Mar 13**  
**Last day for instructor to submit grade change for an “I” (incomplete) for Fall 2019 and Winter 2020**

**U Mar 15**  
**Degree Applications for August 2020** conferral due in the Office of Records and Registration - WH 115 for students who wish to participate in the MAY 2020 commencement ceremony More information including application  
All students who wish to have a degree or certificate conferred, even if they do not intend to participate in graduation, must apply (undergraduate, graduate degrees and certificates of advanced study)

**Mar 16 - Mar 20**  
Spring Break - No classes

**T Mar 24**  
**Thursday classes meet. Tuesday classes do not meet this day.**

**M Mar 30**  
**Last day for Course Withdrawal** Faculty see update to the academic integrity policies affecting course withdrawal and Students elect course withdrawal here

**W Apr 1**  
**Study Abroad:** Deadline for Fall semester and Academic Year applications at 11:59 pm EDT Information

**F Apr 3**  
**Last day for student elected Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory option** Policy and Students elect S/U here

**W Apr 8**  
Passover begins - No classes after 3 p.m.

**Apr 9 - Apr 10**  
Passover/Good Friday - No Classes

**M Apr 13**  
**Summer Session 2020 registration begins More information**

**Apr 13 - Aug 18**  
**Advance Registration for Fall 2020 Schedule of classes**  
**April 15** - Matriculated Graduate student registration begins  
**April 22** - Matriculated Undergraduate student registration begins  
**April 29** - Non-Matriculated Graduate student registration begins (REGISTRATION FOR GRADUATE COURSES ONLY)  
**August 19** - Non-matriculated, Cross-Registered, and Visiting Undergraduate registration begins

**W Apr 15**  
**Friday classes meet. Wednesday classes do not meet this day**

**Apr 27 - May 1**  
**Student Evaluation of Instruction (SEI) administration**

**F May 1**  
**Degree Applications for August 2019** conferral due in the Office of Records and Registration - WH 115 More information and application  
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**May 1 - Oct 1**  
**Study Abroad:** Applications open for Intersession semester, Spring semester and Calendar Year Information

**T May 5**  
Undergraduates: Last day to take a leave of absence or withdraw from College Form

**W May 6**  
Last day of classes for Spring 2020

**R May 7**  
Study Day/Make-up Class Day

**F May 8**  
Common Exam Day

**May 11 - May 15**  
Final Examinations Final exam calendar

**F May 15**  
Graduate Commencement Ceremony, SUNY New Paltz, 6 pm-7:30 pm

**F May 15**  
**End of Spring 2020 semester**

**S May 16**  
Residence Halls close 10 am, Students who are graduating can stay until after their Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony

**S May 16**  
Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony (College of Liberal Arts and Sciences), SUNY New Paltz, 10 am
| U | May 17 | Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony (Schools of Business, Education, Fine & Performing Arts, Science & Engineering), SUNY New Paltz, 10 am |
| W | May 20 | Last day for faculty to submit final grades (due by 2pm) Information about grades |
| T | Sep 1 | Degree Applications for December 2019 due in the Office of Records and Registration (Students participate in May 2020 ceremony) More information and application |