

Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law

Academic Calendar

Fall Semester 2017

Monday – Friday, July 24 - 28	Early Interview Week
Thursday - Friday, August 17 - 18	1L Orientation and first Elements class
Monday, August 21 – Friday, August 25	Elements classes and additional Orientation activities for 1L students
Thursday, August 24	Last day for August-entry 1L students to drop fall classes with a full tuition refund
Monday, August 28	First day of classes for continuing students
Monday, September 4	Labor Day, no classes, <i>building closed</i>
Tuesday, September 5	Last day to add fall classes; Last day for LLM and continuing JD students to drop fall classes with a full tuition refund
Tuesday, September 12	Last day to drop courses without a "W" being recorded on the student's transcript
Monday, September 18	<i>Thursday schedule</i>
Wednesday, September 20	<i>Friday schedule; offices close early</i>
Thursday/Friday, September 21 & 22	Rosh Hashanah, no classes, <i>building closed</i>
Monday, September 25	Last day to apply for a January 2017 degree

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Friday, September 29	<i>Offices close early</i>
Tuesday, October 3	<i>Wednesday schedule</i>
Wednesday, October 4	<i>Friday schedule; offices close early</i>
Thursday/Friday, October 5 & 6	Sukkot, no classes, <i>building closed</i>
Wednesday, October 11	Last day of Elements classes; <i>no classes after 4:00 PM; offices close early</i>
Thursday, October 12	Shemini Atzeret, no classes, <i>building closed</i>
Friday, October 13	Simchat Torah, no classes, <i>building closed</i>
Friday, October 20	Elements of Law exam for 1Ls; no 1L classes
Monday, October 23	Contracts begins (1Ls only)
Tuesday, November 21	<i>Thursday schedule</i>
Wednesday, November 22	<i>Friday schedule</i>
Thursday, November 23	Thanksgiving, no classes, <i>building closed</i>
Friday, November 24	No classes
Thursday, December 7	Last day of classes for upper-level students
Friday, December 8	Last day of classes for 1L students
Monday, December 11 – Thursday, December 21	Examinations

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