

**University at Buffalo School of Law**  
**2023-2024 Academic Calendar**

<b><u>Summer 2023</u></b>	
Monday, May 22	Classes begin
Monday, May 29	<b>No Classes – Memorial Day</b>
Monday, June 19	<b>No Classes - Juneteenth</b>
Monday, July 3	Last Day of Class
Tuesday, July 4	Reading Day
Wednesday, July 5	Final Exams
<b><u>Fall 2023</u></b>	
Monday, August 21	First Year Orientation Begins- <b>Mandatory</b>
Tuesday, August 22	LAWR Classes Begin (1L and LLM)
Monday, August 28	All Upper Level and 1L Doctrinal Classes Begin
Monday, September 4	<b>No Classes- Labor Day</b>
Monday, September 25	Block 1 Ends
Tuesday, September 26	Block 2 Begins
Monday, October 9	<b>No Classes – Indigenous Peoples’ Day</b>
Tuesday, October 17 – Friday, October 20	<b>Make-up, Study and Review Week – No Regularly Scheduled Classes<sup>1</sup></b>
Monday, October 30	Block 2 Ends
Tuesday, October 31	Block 3 begins
Wednesday, November 22 – Friday, November 24	<b>Thanksgiving Break</b>
Friday, December 1	Block 3 Ends – Last Day of Classes
Saturday, December 2 – Sunday, December 3	Reading Days
Monday, December 4 - Friday, December 15	Final Exams
Saturday, December 16	Winter Recess Begins
Friday, January 12	Fall Grades Due

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<sup>1</sup> Students are required to be available during this week for academic and other obligations including, but not limited to, journals, clinics, practica, meetings with advisors, mandatory LAWR sessions, and other out-of-class sessions with professors. *Professors may schedule make-up classes on Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>.*

<b><u>BRIDGE 2024</u></b>	
Wednesday, January 3	Block 4 Courses Begin - <b>Upper Division Students</b>
Tuesday, January 9	<b>LAWR II Begins- First year students</b>
Monday, January 15	<b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day- No Classes</b>
Tuesday, January 30	Last Day of Bridge/Block 4 ends
Wednesday, January 31	Reading Day
Thursday, February 1 - Friday, February 2	Bridge Exams; LAWR II continues for first-year students
Friday, February 9	Bridge Grades Due
<b><u>SPRING 2024</u></b>	
Monday, February 5	All Spring Classes Begin/Block 5; Spring LAWR II schedule begins
Friday, March 1	Block 5 ends
Monday, March 4	Block 6 begins
Monday, March 18 - Friday March 22	<b>Spring Recess- No Classes</b>
Friday, April 5	Block 6 ends; <b>LAWR II ends for First year students</b>
Monday, April 8	Block 7 begins
Friday, May 3	Last Day of Classes – Block 7 ends
Saturday, May 4 – May 5	Reading Days
Monday, May 6 - Friday May 17	Final Exams
Friday, May 17 – Sunday, May 19	Commencement – Date/Time TBD
Wednesday, June 5	Spring Grades Due
<i>**Undergraduate students should follow the university <a href="#">academic calendar</a> **</i>	