



# The Taft School

## 2020-2021 Calendar

Friday, Sept. 4	Preseason athletes arrive after 12:00 PM (by invitation only)
Sunday, Sept. 6	All monitors arrive for training
Tuesday, Sept. 8	International students, sponsors, and new seniors arrive
Wednesday, Sept. 9	New and returning students arrive
Thursday, Sept. 10	First Semester Begins
Saturday, Sept. 12	ACT examinations (anticipated)
Monday, Sept. 28	No Classes
Saturday, Oct. 3	SAT examinations (anticipated)
Wednesday, Oct. 14	PSAT examinations for middlers and upper middlers
Monday, Oct. 19	Community Service Day (required for all students)
Friday, Oct. 23	College program for parents of upper middlers at 3 PM
Saturday, Oct. 24	ACT examinations (anticipated)
Saturday, Oct. 24	Fall Family Day
Saturday, Oct. 24	Fall long weekend begins after student's last commitment
Tuesday, Oct. 27	Students return from long weekend by 7:30 PM
Saturday, Nov. 7	SAT examinations (anticipated)
Saturday, Nov. 14	Hotchkiss Day (all games played at Taft)
Saturday, Nov. 21	Thanksgiving vacation begins after student's last class
Monday, Nov. 30	Students return from Thanksgiving vacation by 7:30 PM
Saturday, Dec. 5	SAT examinations (anticipated)
Thursday, Dec. 10	First semester examinations begin
Tuesday, Dec. 15	Service of Lessons and Carols
Wednesday, Dec. 16	Winter vacation begins at noon
Monday, Jan. 4	Students return from winter vacation by 7:30 PM
Tuesday, Jan. 5	Second semester begins
Monday, Jan. 18	Martin Luther King Jr. celebration (required for all students)
Friday, Feb. 5	Winter long weekend begins after student's last class
Saturday, Feb. 6	ACT examinations (anticipated)
Tuesday, Feb. 9	Students return from long weekend by 7:30 PM
Saturday, Feb. 20	Winter Family Day
Monday, Feb. 22	No Classes—the Winter Formal is Sunday, Feb. 21
Wednesday, Mar. 10	Spring vacation begins after student's last class
Sunday, Mar. 28	Students return from spring vacation by 7:30 PM
Monday, Mar. 29	Second semester continues
Saturday, Apr. 10	ACT examinations (anticipated)
Monday, Apr. 19	No Classes
Wednesday, Apr. 28	Grandparents' Day
Friday, May 7	Spring long weekend begins after student's last commitment
Saturday, May 8	SAT examinations (anticipated)
Monday, May 10	Students return from long weekend by 7:30 PM
Saturday, May 15	Alumni Day
Sunday, May 30	Graduation
Wednesday, June 2	Second semester ends at noon

The following weekends are closed, meaning all boarding students must remain on campus: September 12, October 17, November 14, December 5, December 12, January 9, January 16, February 13, May 22, and May 29.

***Please check the Taft School web site for the most up-to-date calendar information***