

LAKE FOREST ACADEMY  PRELIMINARY CALENDAR INFORMATION FOR 2020-2021

This calendar has been revised to reflect current COVID-19 safety strategies. Additional revisions will be made if and when they are necessary. All dates marked “TBA” or “tentative” will be confirmed ASAP and the posted calendar updated. Please use this information as a guide for student travel and other arranged absences so as to minimize missed classes. **PLEASE DO NOT SCHEDULE STUDENT TRAVEL ON SEMESTER EXAM DATES OR BEFORE 4PM ON MOVE-UP DAY.** The 2020-2021 Day Planner will provide more detailed information, and you can access daily updates on our website calendar at: www.lfanet.org.

FALL SEMESTER 2020

AUGUST 2020

10-12	Monday-Wednesday	New faculty and staff orientation
14	Friday	Student leaders arrive and check in
15	Saturday	New boarding students arrive for pre-season
17	Monday	Faculty & Staff Opening Meeting (schedule TBA)
17-21	Monday-Friday	Fall pre-season – <i>ALL Fall athletes attend for conditioning and practice</i>
21	Friday	9 th Grade Class Retreat – <i>ALL Freshmen are expected to attend</i> (watch for information from the Stuart Center about retreat modifications)
24	Monday	First day of in-person classes (A-day) – <i>NOTE: attendance day</i>
25	Tuesday	First Fall class cycle begins (A-day)

SEPTEMBER 2020

07	Monday	Labor Day holiday (no classes/dorms open/offices closed)
16	Wednesday	12 th Grade Class Retreat – <i>ALL Seniors are expected to attend</i>
22	Tuesday	Ferry Hall Day (151 st anniversary – opened September 22, 1869)
26	Saturday	Virtual Alumni Weekend/Reunion
27	Sunday	Virtual Life Trustees Annual Meeting

OCTOBER 2020

09	Friday	Virtual Parents Day
09	Friday	Virtual Gala
17-19	Saturday-Monday	Fall Weekend Break (no classes/dorms open/offices open)
19	Monday	Boarding students return from Fall Weekend Break – <i>NOTE: Monday return</i>
20	Tuesday	Classes resume – <i>NOTE: Tuesday start</i>

NOVEMBER 2020

11/6	Friday (evening)	Annual Cornerstone Society/Richards & Tremain Recognition event
11/6-7	Friday-Saturday	Fall Trustee Weekend
24	Tuesday	Last day of in-person classes, including an assessment period

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Nov 30-Dec 11	Monday-Friday	E-learning classes scheduled
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DECEMBER 2020

Dec 12-Jan 3	Saturday-Sunday	Winter Vacation (no classes/dorms closed/offices open except 12/25 and 1/1)
25	Friday	Christmas Day holiday (offices closed)

SPRING SEMESTER 2021

JANUARY 2021

Dec 12-Jan 3	Saturday-Sunday	Winter Vacation (no classes/dorms closed/offices open except 12/25 and 1/1)
01	Friday	New Year’s Day holiday (offices closed)
03	Sunday	Boarding students return from Winter Vacation – <i>NOTE: Sunday return</i>
04	Monday	First Spring class cycle begins (A-day) – <i>NOTE: Monday start</i>
18	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holiday (no classes/dorms open/offices closed)
1/29-30	Friday-Saturday	Winter Trustee Weekend
1/31	Sunday	College Workshop for Junior Class – <i>NOTE: attendance required for all Juniors</i>

FEBRUARY 2021

12	Friday	LFA Charter Day observed
13	Saturday	LFA Charter Day (164 th anniversary – founded February 13, 1857)
13-15	Saturday-Monday	Winter Weekend Break (no classes/dorms open/offices open)
15	Monday	Boarding students return from Winter Weekend Break – <i>NOTE: Monday return</i>
16	Tuesday	Classes resume – <i>NOTE: Tuesday start</i>

MARCH 2021

13-28	Saturday-Sunday	Spring Vacation (no classes/dorms closed/offices open)
28	Sunday	Boarding students return from Spring Vacation – <i>NOTE: Sunday return</i>
29	Monday	Classes resume – <i>NOTE: Monday start</i>

APRIL 2021

NO SCHOOL DAYS OFF DURING APRIL

4/30-5/01	Friday-Saturday	Spring Trustee Weekend
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MAY 2021

4/30-5/01	Friday-Saturday	Spring Trustee Weekend
01	Saturday (evening)	Annual Faculty & Staff Appreciation event hosted by Parents Association
03-07	Monday-Friday	AP Exams – Week #1
10-14	Monday-Friday	AP Exams – Week #2
21	Friday	Last day of classes
24-27	Monday-Thursday	Spring semester exams (Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs)
26	Wednesday	Senior Dinner (5:30 p.m.)
		Senior Celebration Night (immediately following Senior Dinner)
27	Thursday	Spring All-School Family Picnic
		Athletic Awards Ceremony (immediately following Family Picnic)
		Talent Show (immediately following Athletic Awards)
28	Friday	Move-Up Day Ceremony (2:00 p.m.) – <i>ALL students are expected to attend</i>
<i>DO NOT SCHEDULE STUDENT DEPARTURES FROM LFA BEFORE 4PM on 5/28</i>		
29	Saturday	Graduation Ceremony (2:00 p.m.)
31	Monday	Memorial Day holiday (offices closed)

JUNE 2021

03	Thursday	Faculty & Staff Final Meeting (morning) Faculty & Staff Recognition Luncheon (12:00-1:30pm)
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