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Given are key dates for the faculties included in this Calendar. Unless specified otherwise, dates given for faculties apply to any school(s) therein.

- Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, (Ag. & E.S.) includes School of Dietetics and Human Nutrition;
- Arts, includes School of Social Work (S.W.);
- Education (Ed.);
- Engineering (Eng.), includes School of Architecture (Arch.) and School of Urban Planning;
- Management (Mgmt.);
- Music;
- Religious Studies (Rel.St.);
- Science, includes School of Computer Science.

MARS is McGill's Automated Registration System. Students register and make course changes by using a touch-tone telephone and calling (514) 398-MARS [398-6277]. Music practical lesson students are the only exception.

For information concerning other units, consult the appropriate Calendar:
- Continuing Education;
- Graduate Studies and Research;
- Health Sciences
  - Dentistry, Medicine, Nursing, Physical and Occupational Therapy;
  - Law;
  - Summer Studies.

### A.1 Returning Students – 1999-2000

**Academic Advising**
- March 8, Mon. to March 19, Fri.: Education – appointments to be arranged by individual departments.
- March 8, Mon. to April 1, Thurs.: B.S.W. students.
- March 15, Mon. to April 23, Fri.: Arts and Science – advising begins.
- March 15, Mon. to June 11, Fri.: Music.
- March 16, Tues. to Sept. 14, Tues.: Ag. & E.S.
- March 16, Tues. to Sept. 14, Tues.: Engineering.

**Registration**
- Students are required to register during the period scheduled for them.
  - March 16, Tues. to July 21, Wed.: All faculties. Faculties and depts. set their own dates within this period; these dates must be obtained from each unit prior to March 16.
  - March 16, Tues. to March 29, Mon.: Priority registration in Mgmt. courses for students in U3 in Mgmt.; U3 and U4 Minor in Mgmt.; U3 B.A. Faculty Program or Major in Industrial Relations; U3 B.A. Major Concentration in Contemporary German Studies; B.A. Joint Honours Economics and Finance students, all years.
  - March 30, Tues. to April 13, Tues.: Priority registration in Mgmt. courses for Mgmt., Minor in Mgmt., B.A. Faculty Program or Major in Industrial Relations, B.A. Major Concentration in Contemporary German Studies; B.A. Joint Honours Economics and Finance students, all years [continues for March 16th group].
  - April 14, Wed. to July 21, Wed.: Mgmt. course registration for students in all faculties.
  - July 21, Wed.: Last day to register without a late fee.
  - July 22, Thurs. to Aug. 3, Tues.: MARS cannot be accessed for registration or course change.
  - Aug. 15, Sun. to Sept. 14, Tues.: Continuing Education Fall term course registration on MARS for day students in all faculties, except Mgmt. (Students must check with the faculty to ensure that the course is eligible for credit.)
  - Dec. 15, Wed. to Jan. 16, Sun.: Continuing Education Winter term course registration on MARS for day students in all faculties, except Mgmt. (Students must check with the faculty to ensure that the course is eligible for credit.)

**Late Registration**
- Aug. 4, Wed. to Sept. 1, Wed.: Late registration, with $50 late fee.
- Sept. 2, Thurs. to Sept. 14, Tues.: Late registration, with $100 late fee.
### A.2 New Students – September 1999 Admission

#### Academic Advising
- **Aug. 23, Mon. to Aug. 31, Tues.**
  - Education, see Undergraduate Handbook.
- **Aug. 24, Tues. to Aug. 27, Fri.**
  - Management – advising compulsory (see "Welcome" book).
- **Aug. 24, Tues. to Aug. 26, Thurs.**
- **Aug. 25, Wed. to Aug. 31, Tues.**
  - Arts and Science, see "Welcome" book.
- **Aug. 26, Thurs. and Aug. 27, Fri.**
  - Engineering, including Architecture.
- **Aug. 31, Wed.**
  - Social Work – B.S.W. U1 and Visiting, info. session and advising – 09:00.

#### Orientation
- **Aug. 23, Mon. to Sept. 3, Fri.**
  - Orientation Centre opens daily at 10:30, Rm. 107/108, University Centre, 3480 McTavish Street.
- **Aug. 25, Wed.**
  - Education (see Education Undergraduate Handbook).
- **Aug. 25, Wed. to Aug. 31, Tues.**
  - Orientation for all new students (except Ag.&E.S.) (see "Welcome" book for details).
- **Aug. 26, Thurs.**
  - Orientation for new non-Freshman Mgmt. students, Rm. 151, Bronfman Bldg.
- **Aug. 27, Fri.**
  - Orientation for new Freshman Mgmt. students, Rm. 151, Bronfman Bldg.
- **Aug. 30, Mon.**
  - Engineering, Adams Auditorium.
- **Sept. 1, Wed.**
  - Ag.& E.S. new student orientation begins at 14:30, Macdonald Campus. Classes cancelled from 14:30.
- **Sept. 2, Thurs.**
  - Macdonald Campus Orientation continues, classes cancelled from 12:00 for students at Macdonald Campus.

#### Registration
- New students are required to register in accordance with the information they receive at the time of acceptance.
- **Aug. 4, Wed. to Sept. 1, Wed.**
  - Registration for all faculties.
- **Aug. 15, Sun. to Sept. 14, Tues.**
  - Continuing Education Fall term course registration on MARS for day students in all faculties, except Mgmt. (Students must check with the faculty to ensure that the course is eligible for credit.)
- **Sept. 1, Wed.**
  - Last day to register without a late fee.

#### Late Registration
- **Sept. 2, Thurs. to Sept. 14, Tues.**
  - Late registration, with $100 late fee.

### A.3 New Students – January 2000 Admission

#### Academic Advising
- **Jan. 4, Tues.**

#### Orientation
- **Jan. 5, Wed.**
  - Ag.&E.S. student orientation, Macdonald Campus, classes cancelled from 13:00.
- **Jan. 6, Thurs.**
  - University Orientation for all students (except Ag.&E.S.) 17:30-18:30, Leacock Bldg. Room 132.

#### Registration
- **Dec. 3, Fri. to Jan. 4, Tues.**
  - Continuing Education Winter term course registration on MARS for day students in all faculties, except Mgmt. (Students must check with the faculty to ensure that the course is eligible for credit.)
- **Jan. 4, Tues.**
  - Last day to register without a late registration fee.

#### Late Registration
- **Jan. 5, Wed. to Jan. 16, Sun.**
  - Late registration, with $100 late fee.

### A.4 Returning Students – 2000-2001

#### Academic Advising
- **March 6, Mon. to March 17, Fri.**
  - Education.
- **March 13, Mon.**
  - Arts and Science – advising begins.
- **March 13, Mon. to April 20, Thurs.**
  - Music.
- **March 14, Tues. to June 9, Fri.**
  - Ag.&E.S.
- **First 2 weeks of Fall term classes.**
  - Engineering.

#### Registration
- **March 14, Tues. to July 19, Wed.**
  - All faculties. Faculties and depts. set their own dates within this period; these dates must be obtained from each unit prior to March 14.
- **March 14, Tues. to March 27, Mon.**
  - Priority registration in Mgmt. courses for students in U3 in Mgmt.; U3 and U4 Minor in Mgmt.; U3 B.A. Faculty Program or Major in Industrial Relations; B.A. Joint Honours Economics and Finance students, all years.
- **March 28, Tues. to April 10, Mon.**
  - Priority registration in Mgmt. courses for Mgmt., Minor in Mgmt., B.A. Faculty Program or Major in Industrial Relations, B.A. Joint Honours Economics and Finance students, all years [continues for March 14th group].
- **April 11, Tues. to July 19, Wed.**
  - Mgmt. course registration for students in all faculties.
B. Sessional Dates

B.1 Academic Year 1999-2000

May 3, Mon. First day of summer lectures, incoming Special B.S.W. students.
June 18, Fri. Last day of summer lectures, incoming Special B.S.W. students.
Aug. 23, Mon. Students registering for 375-401A report at 09:00.
Aug. 26, Thurs. Students registering for 367-358A report at 09:00.
Aug. 30, Mon. First day of fall term lectures, Farm Mgmt. Tech. program.
Dec. 3, Fri. Last day of fall term lectures in Ag.&E.S. (degree programs), Arts, Ed. (non-blocked courses), Eng., Mgmt., Music, Rel.St., Science.
Dec. 7, Tues. to Dec. 21, Tues. Exam period (see section B.3)
Dec. 14, Tues. Last day of fall term lectures, Farm Mgmt. Tech. program.

2000
Jan. 4, Tues. First day of winter term lectures.
Feb. 21, Mon. to Feb. 25, Fri. Study Break (with some exceptions, see section D)
April 10, Mon. Last day of winter term lectures in Ag.&E.S. (degree programs), Arts, Ed. (except Special B.S.W.), Ed. (non-blocked courses), Eng., Mgmt., Music, Rel.St., Science.
April 12, Wed. to April 28, Fri. Exam period (see section B.3)
April 17, Mon. Lectures resume for Special B.S.W. students. Last day of winter term lectures in Farm Mgmt. Tech. program.
June 14, Wed. Last day of lectures for Special B.S.W. students. (See section E.2 for Field Practice.)

B.2 Course Change (Drop/add) Periods – 1999-2000

Note: Course Change periods begin with the opening of registration dates. Students dropping courses after the deadlines given below, but before the Withdrawal Deadline, will receive a mark of W (withdrawn).

Fall Term 1999
Sept. 1, Wed. to Sept. 10, Fri. Education Intensive courses, and Music – course change for A term practical lessons. Submit course change form to Performance Department. (No withdrawals from practical lessons after this period.)
Sept. 14, Tues. Course change deadline for Ag.&E.S., Arts, Ed., Eng., Mgmt., Music (except practical lessons), Rel.St., Science. (No withdrawals from Music Ensembles after this date.)

Winter Term 2000
Nov. 3, Wed. to Jan. 16, Sun. Final course change period for B term courses for all faculties (except Music, practical lessons). (No withdrawals from Music ensembles after this period.)
Jan. 12, Wed. Course Add deadline, to add Education Intensive courses for B term.
Jan. 14, Fri. Deadline for dropping B term Education Intensive courses. Music – course change deadline for B term practical lessons. Submit course change form to Performance Department. (No withdrawals from practical lessons after this date.)

B.3 Examination Schedules

[for Music placement exams and auditions, see section E.5.]

1998-99 Academic Year
March 1, Mon. Application deadline for supplemental exams for A and N term courses for Arts, Ed., Rel.St., Science (supplementals not available for Ag.&E.S., Eng. or Mgmt. courses).
April 16, Fri. to April 30, Fri. Exam period for B and D term courses, all faculties.
May 17, Mon. Arts and Science application deadline for deferred exams in B and D term courses.
June 30, Wed. Application deadline for Music September practical exams.
July 15, Thurs. Application deadline for supplemental exams in B and D term courses for Arts, Ed., Rel.St., Science (not available for Ag.&E.S., Eng., or Mgmt. courses).
Sept. 13, Mon. to Sept. 17, Fri. Practical exams for Music fall graduands.

1999-2000 Academic Year
Sept. 24, Fri. Application deadline for Music December practical exams.
Dec. 7, Tues. to Dec. 21, Tues. Exam period for A and N term courses in all faculties.
Jan. 17, Mon. Application deadline for Arts and Science deferred exams in A and N term courses.
Feb. 4, Fri. Application deadline for Music April practical exams.
March 1, Wed. Application deadline for supplemental exams in A and N term courses for Arts, Ed., Rel.St., and Science, (not available for Ag.&E.S., Eng., or Mgmt. courses).
April 12, Wed. to April 28 Fri. Exam period for B and D term courses in all faculties. No exams scheduled on April 20, 21, and 24.
April 18, Wed. to April 28, Fri. Exam period for winter term courses, Farm Mgmt. Tech. program.
May 1, Mon. and May 2, Tues. Deferred and supplemental exams in A term courses in Arts, Ed., Rel.St., and Science.
May 15, Mon. Arts and Science application deadline for deferred exams in B and D term courses.
B.4 Fee Payment Deadlines – 1999-2000

New students are required to make a deposit on tuition shortly after receiving notice of their acceptance to the University. A fee statement indicating the required deposit amount will be mailed to all accepted students and payment will be due at the end of the month in which the statement is mailed.

All students will receive a fee statement once their registration has been confirmed, due at the end of the month in which the statement is mailed. For most returning students this will take place in the month of August (December for the Winter semester). For most new students this will take place in the month of September (January for the Winter semester). Students whose accounts remain unpaid at the end of October (end of February for the Winter semester) will be charged a late payment fee of $25 over and above interest.

B.5 Inter-faculty Transfer

The following deadlines are for McGill students to apply to transfer into the faculties indicated.

Application Deadlines for Fall Term 1999 Transfer:
March 1, Mon. Music.
May 3, Mon. Architecture.
June 1, Tues. Ag.&E.S., Arts, Ed., Eng.(except Arch.), Mgmt., Rel.St. and Science.

Application Deadlines for Winter Term 2000 Transfer:
Nov. 1, Mon. Ag.&E.S., Ed.(limited), Eng.(limited), Music (limited), Rel.St. (No winter term transfers into Arch., Arts, Electrical and Computing Eng., Mgmt. or Science.)

Application Deadlines for Fall Term 2000 Transfer:
March 1, Wed. Music.
May 1, Mon. Architecture.


Oct. 12, Tues. to Oct. 15, Fri. Verification period by printed form for all faculties for students whom the fall is their last semester before graduation; on MARS or SATURN for all other students.
Feb. 7, Mon. to Feb. 11, Fri. Ed., Eng. – verification period by printed form for all students. Ag.&E.S., Arts, Mgmt., Music, Rel.St., Science – verification period by printed form for students for whom the winter or the summer is their last semester before graduation; on MARS or SATURN for all other students.

B.7 Withdrawal Deadlines – 1999-2000

Aug. 31, Tues. Returning students - deadline for cancellation of registration, without penalty, for fall term, 1999.

Sept. 21, Tues. Returning students - deadline for withdrawal from A and D term courses with full refund (less $100 minimum charge in case of complete withdrawal).

Oct. 17, Sun. Deadline for withdrawal (W) from A term courses in all faculties (no withdrawals from Ed. intensive courses or Music ensembles and practical lessons).

Jan. 14, Fri. Education – deadline for withdrawal (W) from intensive B term courses.
Jan. 16, Sun. Deadline for withdrawal from D courses. Winter term fees will be refunded. Students may not withdraw from D courses after this date (No withdrawals from Ed. intensive courses.)

Jan. 23, Sun. Returning students - deadline for withdrawal from B term courses with fee refund less $100 minimum charge in the case of complete withdrawal for students not registered in the fall (no withdrawals from Ed. intensive courses, or Music ensembles and practical lessons).


C. Convocation

1999
June 4, Fri. Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, Macdonald Campus – 14:30.
June 7, Mon. Education, Engineering – 09:00
Science – 14:00
Arts (Undergraduate) – 14:00
Oct. 28, Thurs. Fall Convocation - 14:30. (Classes as usual).

2000 (tentative)
June 2, Fri. Agricultural and Environmental Sciences
June 8, Thurs. Education, Engineering, Science
Oct. 26, Thurs. Fall Convocation.
D. University Holidays – April 1999 to July 2000

Further information regarding Library hours is available at Reference Desks, and on infoMcGill and MUSE.

1999

April 2, Fri. and April 5, Mon. Easter. Classes cancelled. Library hours to be announced. Administrative offices closed.


N.B. Between June 25 and Aug. 20, administrative offices will be closed each Friday, unless otherwise posted.


2000

Feb. 21, Mon. to Feb. 25, Fri. Study Break. Classes cancelled (except for practical lessons in Music). Student Teaching is not interrupted for Education students.

April 21, Fri. and April 24, Mon. Easter. Classes cancelled. No examinations. Library hours to be announced. Administrative Offices closed.


E. Faculty-Specific Dates

E.1 Agricultural and Environmental Sciences

1999

Aug. 23, Mon. Students registering for 375-401A report at 09:00.


Aug. 26, Thurs. Students registering for 367-358A report at 09:00.

Aug. 30, Mon. Orientation for 382-410A, Professional Practicum (stage) in Dietetics Level IV.

Sept. 9, Thurs. Open Students’ Society meeting for Ag.&E.S. students, 10:00 to 11:30.

Oct. 4, Mon. to Oct. 9, Sat. Farm Practice 1, Farm Management Technology Program (FMT).

Oct. 16, Sat. Annual Reunion, Macdonald Branch of the McGill Graduate Society (Macdonald Campus).

Nov. 4, Thurs. Scholastic Awards Presentations.

2000

TBA Carnival Week at Macdonald Campus. Classes as usual.

Feb. 1, Tues. to Feb. 6, Sun. Study break for Professional Practicum (stage) in Dietetics Level III.

Feb. 7, Mon. Orientation for 382-409B, Professional Practicum (stage) in Dietetics Level III.


Feb. 28, Mon. to March 4, Sat. Farm Practice/Stage for FMT years 1 and 2. Classes as usual for FMT year 3.

March 2, Thurs. Open Students’ Society meeting 10:00 – 11:30.

April 28, Fri. Orientation for 382-308J, Professional Practicum (stage) in Dietetics Level I (mid-Summer placements).

May 1, Mon. Orientation for 382-311C, Professional Practicum (stage) in Dietetics Level IIb.

E.2 Arts

1999

March 15, Mon. to March 19, Fri. Distribution of all registration information and calendars for 1999-2000 returning students, Arts Bldg. lobby.

Aug. 31, Mon. B.S.W. Field information session, 09:00 – 12:00.

Sept. 7, Tues. B.S.W. Field Practice commences.

Oct. 17, Sun. Deadline for withdrawing from the University for the fall term.

Dec. 11, Fri. Last day of B.S.W. Field Practice.

1999

Jan. 4, Tues. Field Practice resumes for B.S.W. students.

Feb. 20, Sun. Deadline for withdrawing from the University for the winter term.

March 13, Mon. to March 17, Fri. Distribution of all registration information and calendars for 2000-2001 returning students, Arts Bldg. lobby.

April 14, Fri. Last day of field practice for B.S.W. (U2 & U3) students.

June 16, Fri. Last day of field practice for Special B.S.W. students.

E.3 Education

Student should consult the appropriate Faculty of Education Advising Handbook for details regarding Field Experience courses.

1999

March 8, Mon. Distribution of registration information for 2000-2001 returning students, Education Bldg. lobby.

March 31, Wed. Deadline to submit waiver forms for Teacher Certification for Spring and Fall graduates to the Student Affairs Office.

April 1, Thurs. Placement forms due at the Office of Student Teaching for Field Experience courses for returning students for 1999-2000.

2000

March 6, Mon. Distribution of registration information for 2001-2002 returning students, Education Bldg. lobby.

March 31, Fri. Deadline to submit waiver forms for Teacher Certification for Spring and Fall graduates to the Student Affairs Office.

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Entrance Auditions for undergraduate applicants (except Music Entrance Scholarship applicants).

Undergraduate placement exams in Musicianship and Keyboard Proficiency.

Undergraduate placement exams in Music History and Theory.

Graduate placement exams.

Auditions for students wishing to take Music Ensemble courses.


Auditions for students wishing to take Music Ensemble courses.

Deadline for applications for admission for February Music Entrance Scholarship auditions and for all graduate programs.

Deadline for applications for admission for April Entrance Auditions.

Distribution of all registration information, calendars and timetables for 1999-2000 returning B.Th. students.

Distribution of all registration information and calendars for 1999-2001 returning students, Arts Bldg. lobby.

Distribution of all registration information and calendars for 2000-2001 returning students, Arts Bldg. lobby.