

Butler University
Residence Life Calendar
 2019-2020

FALL 2019

Apartments open for new residents	Thursday, August 1	9 a.m.
Residence halls opening for new first-year and transfer students	Saturday, August 24	8 a.m.
New Student Orientation begins	Saturday, August 24	
Residence halls opening for returning students	Sunday, August 25	8 a.m.
Meal Plans start	Sunday, August 25	Dinner
First day of Classes	Wednesday, August 28	8 a.m.
Labor Day – No Classes	Monday, September 2	
Fall Break – No Classes	Thursday, October 17 and Friday, October 18	
Family Weekend	Friday – Sunday, November 8-10	
Last meal before thanksgiving break	Friday, November 22	Dinner
Residence halls closing for thanksgiving break	Saturday, November 23	Noon
Residence halls reopen	Sunday, December 1	10 a.m.
First meal after thanksgiving break	Sunday, December 1	Dinner
Final date to submit Contract Cancellation notice	Sunday, December 1	5 p.m.
Last meeting of classes	Friday, December 13	
Reading day	Saturday, December 14	
Final Exams	Monday – Friday, December 16-20	
Winter Commencement	Friday, December 20	
Last meal before winter break	Friday, December 20	Dinner
Residence halls close for winter break	Saturday, December 21	Noon

SPRING 2020

Apartments open for new residents	Thursday, January 2	11 a.m.
Residence halls opening for current members of Greek organizations	Monday, January 6	Noon
Residence halls opening for Greek Women’s Formal Recruitment	Tuesday, January 7	Noon
Residence halls opening for Greek Men’s Formal Recruitment	Wednesday, January 8	Noon
Men’s & Women’s Formal Recruitment Week	Wednesday – Sunday, January 8-12	
Transfer and New Student January Orientation	Friday, January 10	
Residence halls opening for transfer and new Butler students	Friday, January 10	8:30 a.m.
Meal plans start for transfer and new Butler students	Saturday, January 11	Dinner
Residence halls opening for returning students	Sunday, January 12	10 a.m.
First meal for returning students	Sunday, January 12	Dinner
First day of classes	Monday, January 13	8 a.m.
Martin Luther King Jr. holiday – No Classes	Monday, January 20	
Last meal before spring break	Friday, March 6	Dinner
Residence halls closing for spring break	Saturday, March 7	Noon
Spring Break – No Classes	Monday – Friday, March 9-13	
Residence halls reopen	Sunday, March 15	10 a.m.
First meal after spring break	Sunday, March 15	Dinner
Last meeting of classes	Monday, April 27	
Reading day	Tuesday, April 28	
Final exams	Wednesday – Tuesday, April 29-May 5	
Last meal for all students	Tuesday, May 5 th	Dinner
Residence halls closing for non-graduates	Wednesday, May 6	Noon
Commencement	Saturday, May 9	
Residence halls closing for graduates/all apartment residents	Sunday, May 10	Noon