

**Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law  
Academic Calendar**

**Winter/Spring 2012**

**Winter Session 2012**

Tuesday, January 3 – Tuesday, January 17	Intensive Trial Advocacy Program
Monday, January 2 – Friday, January 13 (approx.)	Cardozo Seminars Abroad
Monday, January 9 – Friday, January 13	Representation in Mediation Program
Monday, January 16	Martin Luther King holiday, no classes, <i>offices closed</i>

**Spring Semester 2012**

Monday, January 9	January-Entry student Orientation; First Elements of Law class
Tuesday, January 10	Elements class and additional Orientation activities for January-Entry students
Wednesday, January 11	First day of all other classes for January-Entry students
Thursday, January 12	<i>Monday schedule for January-Entry students</i>
Monday, January 16	Martin Luther King holiday, no classes, <i>offices closed</i>
Wednesday, January 18	Spring Classes begin for upper-level and May and Fall-entry 1L students

**Accurate as of May 2, 2011. Subject to change.**

Friday, February 24	Elements exam for January-Entry students; all other January-Entry student classes cancelled
Wednesday, April 4	<i>Thursday schedule</i>
Thursday, April 5	<i>Friday schedule</i>
Friday, April 6 – Friday, April 13	Spring break, no classes; <i>Offices close early on Friday, April 6<sup>th</sup>; Building is closed on Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup>.</i>
Friday, April 27	Last day of classes for January-Entry students
Monday, April 30 – Friday, May 4	January-Entry student exams
Wednesday, May 2	Last day of classes for upper-level students and for May and Fall-entry 1L students
Monday, May 7 – Friday, May 18	Final Examinations for upper-level and May and Fall-entry 1L students
Monday – Wednesday, May 21-23	1L writing competition for May and Fall 2010 entrants
Sunday/Monday, May 27 & 28	Shavuot, <i>building closed</i>
Monday, May 28	Memorial Day, <i>building closed</i>
Monday, June 4	Graduation at 4:00 PM