



## Fall 2024 Example Calendar

*This calendar lists many key aspects of the semester, although dates are subject to change. For example, outdoor programming days may be rescheduled due to weather or other conflicts.*

### **Saturday, August 31**

### **Fall Opening Day - Semester 59 Begins!**

September 2 - 6

Orientation Trek (Backpacking)

September 6 - 9

On-Campus Orientation

September 10

Academic Classes Begin

### **September 15**

### **Family Video Calls**

September 27 - October 6

Classes in the Field and Paddle/Climb Weekends

### **October 11**

***End of first quarter. Midterm report and faculty comments shared with students and families next week.***

### **October 13**

### **Campus Visit Day\***

October 19 - 20

Weekend with Buffalo Cove Outdoor Education Center

November 6 - 9

Learning Trek

### **November 20 - 24**

### **Thanksgiving Celebrations, including Family Video Calls**

November 25 - 29

Final Projects

December 2 - 6

Leading Trek

December 9 - 13

Transition Week

December 9 - 11

Student Solo Experience (on campus)

December 13

Giving Night

### **Saturday, December 14**

### **Semester 59 Closing & Family Day\***

*\* If you are unable to make it to campus mid-semester, we will facilitate a video call with your student instead. Additionally, Closing Day is a wonderful celebration of everything accomplished at OA that we encourage you to attend. Parents/guardians/family members get to see campus and experience activities from all parts of student life.*