*The Queen's Foundation*

*for Ecumenical Theological Education*

**Term Dates 2020-21   
*– for Ministerial Formation students***

In the following tables these terms are used:

**Track 2** = *both* of the part-time courses (QCC *and* QRC)

**QRC** = Queen’s Regional Course – a regional part-time course for Anglican ministerial students, Pentecostal students, and other independent students. QRC1 means the first year of the course; QRC2 means the second year; etc.

**QCC** = Queen’s Connexional Course – a national part-time course for Methodist ministerial students. QCC1 means first year of the course; QCC2 means the second year; etc.

**Track 1** = the Queen’s weekday ‘college-style’ programme (sometimes called QDC)

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| **Date** | **Event** | |
| **Autumn Term 2020** | | |
| Fri 18 – Sun 20 Sept | **Induction weekend** for all new Course students (Track 2): the Queen’s Regional Course (QRC) and the Queen’s Connexional Course (QCC) (from Friday evening until Sunday lunchtime) | |
| Mon 21 – Thurs 24 Sept | **Induction week** for new Track 1 College students (part-time students Tue-Wed only) | Advanced preaching course for continuing Track 1 Ministerial students (Mon-Weds) |
| **Monday 28 Sept** | **Start of Classroom Teaching term** | |
| Tuesday 29 Sept | First Tuesday evening classes | |
| Fri 2 – Sun 4 Oct | Year 3 QRC3 and QCC3 – Residential Weekend 1 | |
| Fri 9 – Sun 11 Oct | Year 2 QRC2 and QCC2 – Residential Weekend 1 | |
| Fri 16 – Sun 18 Oct | Year 1 QRC1 and QCC1 – Residential Weekend 1 | |
| **Mon 26 – Fri 30 Oct** | **Half Term - NO LECTURES, MEALS OR CHAPEL**  Catering ends with lunch on Fri 25 Oct and recommences on Mon 2 Nov | |
| Fri 6 – Sun 8 Nov | Year 3 QRC3 and QCC3 – Residential Weekend 2 | |
| Fri 13 – Sun 15 | Year 2 QRC2 and QCC2 – Residential Weekend 2 | |
| Fri 20 – Sun 22 Nov | Year 1 QRC1 and QCC1 – Residential Weekend 2 | |
| Mon 7 – Thurs 10 Dec | Reading Week for Track 1 - no daytime lectures (worship & meals continue) | |
| Tue 8 Dec | Last evening classes at Queen’s | |
| Mon 14 – Tues 15 Dec | Themed Teaching days for Track 1 ministerial students | |
| **Tues 15 Dec** | **End of term. Carol Service at Queen’s at 5.30.** Full-time Track 1 ministerial students are normally expected to attend. All others welcome. | |

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| **Spring Term 2021** | | |
| Fri 8 – Sun 10 Jan | Year 1 QRC1 and QCC1 – Residential Weekend 3 | |
| **Monday 11 Jan** | **Start of teaching term** | |
| Fri 15 – Sun 17 Jan | Year 2 QRC2 and QCC2 – Residential Weekend 3 | |
| Fri 22 – Sun 24 Jan | Year 3 QRC3 and QCC3 – Residential Weekend 3 | |
| Fri 5 – Sun 7 Feb | Year 1 QRC1 and QCC1 – Residential Weekend 4 | |
| Fri 12 – Sun 14 Feb | Year 2 QRC2 and QCC2 – Residential Weekend 4 | |
| **Mon 15 Feb – Fri 19 Feb** | **Half Term - NO LECTURES, MEALS OR CHAPEL**  Catering ends after lunch on Friday 14 Feb and begins on Monday 22 Feb | |
| Fri 26 – Sun 28 Feb | Year 3 QRC3 and QCC3 – Residential Weekend 4 | |
| Fri 5 – Sun 7 Mar | *QCC1 and QCC2 ONLY residential weekend (i.e. Methodist students only)* | |
| Fri 12 – Sun 14 March | ***QCC3*** *ONLY residential weekend (i.e. Methodist students only)* | |
| Mon 22 – Thurs 25 March | Reading Week for Track 1 students | **Final week of evening lectures** |
| **Thursday 25 March** | **End of term** | |
| Monday 29 March – Sunday  4 April (finishes after Easter Sunday lunch) | Easter School for QCC1 and QRC1 students, and new students on QRC2 | |
| Monday 5 April – Saturday 10 April | Easter School for QCC2 students and continuing QRC2 students | |
| Easter School for QCC3 and QRC3 students | |

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| **Summer Term 2021** | |
| **Mon 26 April** | **Start of teaching term** |
| Fri 30 April - Sun 2 May | Year 1 QRC1 and QCC1 – Residential weekend 5 |
| **MONDAY 3 MAY** | **May Bank Holiday** |
| Fri 14 – Sun 16 May | Year 3 QRC3 and QCC3 – Residential Weekend 5 |
| Fri 21 – Sun 23 May | Year 2 QRC2 and QCC2 – Residential Weekend 5 |
| **Mon 31 May – Fri 4 June** | **Half term – NO LECTURES, MEALS OR CHAPEL**  Catering ends after lunch on Friday 28 May and begins on Monday 7 June. |
| Sat 12th June | Foundation Celebration Event – all welcome |
| Fri 18 – Sun 20 June | Year 1 QRC1 and QCC1 – Residential Weekend 6 |
| Fri 2 – Sun 4 July | Year 2 QRC2 and QCC2 Weekend 6 |
| ***QCC3*** *ONLY residential weekend* |
| **Wed 7 July** | **End of Term** |