

# Bowdoin College Fall 2023 Final Exam Rotation

*Final Exams are scheduled based on the course's timeblock. Normally, morning courses have morning exams, afternoon courses have afternoon exams and evening courses have evening exams. For the sake of equity, each set of timeblocks cycles through their designated exam time day-by-day each semester. For example, if TR 8:30am courses have their exams on Day 1 in the morning in the fall, they will have their exams on Day 2 in the morning the following spring. The official final exam rotation and assignments are posted during the prior semester to allow faculty and students time to arrange their end-of-semester travel plans accordingly. Final exam information is available in Polaris and Classfinder in the third week of the semester after the close of the Add/Drop II registration period.*

**Morning Exams [M]**  
8:30 - 11:30 am

**Afternoon Exams [A]**  
1:30 - 4:30 pm

**Evening Exams [E]**  
6:30 - 9:30 pm

**Reading Period, Days 1-3: Saturday, December 9- Monday, December 11**

**Reading Period, Day 4: Tuesday, December 12, Make Up Exams in Test Center\***

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| <b>Final Exams, Day 1</b><br><br><i>Wednesday, December 13</i> | <b>[1M] 8:30-11:30am</b><br><i>Blocks 3, DTV 1 and Seminar 1 (M/W)</i><br><br>MW, WF, MF 9:05 am<br>MWF, M/W/F 9:05 am |  | <b>[1A] 1:30-4:30pm</b><br><i>Blocks 12, DTV 2 and Seminar 2 (T/R)</i><br><br>TR, T/R 1:15 pm                            |  | <b>[1E] 6:30-9:30pm</b><br><i>Blocks 15 and 16</i><br><br>M 7:00 pm<br>MW 7:00 pm |
| <b>Final Exams, Day 2</b><br><br><i>Thursday, December 14</i>  | <b>[2M] 8:30-11:30am</b><br><i>Blocks 4 and 5</i><br><br>MWF 10:10 am<br>MW, WF, MF 10:05 am                           |  | <b>[2A] 1:30-4:30pm</b><br><i>Block 13</i><br><br>MW 2:50 pm   |  | <b>[2E] 6:30-9:30pm</b><br><i>Blocks 17 and 18</i><br><br>MW 8:35 pm<br>W 7:00 pm |
| <b>Final Exams, Day 3</b><br><br><i>Friday, December 15</i>    | <b>[3M] 8:30-11:30am</b><br><i>Blocks 6, DTV 1 and Seminar 1 (T/R)</i><br><br>TR 10:05 am<br>TR, T/R 9:05 am           |  | <b>[3A] 1:30-4:30pm</b><br><i>Blocks 7 and 8</i><br><br>MWF 11:40 am<br>MW, WF, MF 11:40 am                              |  |   |
| <b>Final Exams, Day 4</b><br><br><i>Saturday, December 16</i>  | <b>[4M] 8:30-11:30am</b><br><i>Block 9</i><br><br>TR 11:40am   |  | <b>[4A] 1:30-4:30pm</b><br><i>Block 14</i><br><br>TR 2:50 pm   |  |   |
| <b>Final Exams, Day 5</b><br><br><i>Sunday, December 17</i>    | <b>[5M] 8:30-11:30am</b><br><i>Block 1</i><br><br>MTWRF 8:00 am  |  | <b>[5A] 1:30-4:30pm</b><br><i>Blocks 10, 11, DTV 2 and Seminar 2 (M/W)</i><br><br>MW, WF, MF 1:15 pm<br>MWF, M/W 1:15 pm |  |   |
| <b>Final Exams, Day 6</b><br><br><i>Monday, December 18</i>    | <b>[6M] 8:30-11:30am</b><br><i>Block 2</i><br><br>TR 8:30 am   |  | <b>[6A] 1:30-4:30pm</b><br><i>None for Fall 2023</i>   |  |   |

*\*Referred to as the "bunching rule," students with three **in-class** final exams in two days may opt to reschedule one for a day mutually agreeable to the student and the instructor.*

*To reschedule a final exam, students must obtain a "**Final Exam Rescheduling Form**" from the Office of the Registrar, who will verify their eligibility to reschedule, meet with the instructor to determine a new date/time for the exam, and return the completed form to 240 Maine Street by 5:00pm on **Thursday, December 7, 2023**.*

*As of November 2023*