Convocation Calendar
2019-20 Academic Calendar at a Glance (PDF)
Academic Calendar
Residential Calendar
Parent/Family Gateway
Homecoming - October 19, 2019
Family Weekend - October 18-19, 2019
IMPORTANT DATES AND LINKS
For additional information, please contact
Center (Great Space).
October 22-25
If your student is in need of warm clothing, the Winter Wardrobe will be distributing items
greatest financial need, but is available to the entire student body.
clothing and accessories free of charge. The Wardrobe will focus on Carleton students with the
New this year, the
Winter Wardrobe
provides Carleton students with new or gently used winter
Donuts and cider.
organized buses to take students to
activity: apple picking! The Student Activities Office
Fall is here and Carls are enjoying it with a classic
and non-binary students, is hoping to provide an
climbing group for female-identifying
and inclusive and fun climbing environment with
Figure Four, a climbing group for female-identifying
A new climbing club is in the works on campus!
action on climate change.
high school students into Bridge Square to rally for
Strike on September 20, marching with St. Olaf and
More than 100 Carls participated in the Youth Climate
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Argument & Inquiry and Cereal Boxes
Convoacation featuring Professor Mary Savina '72
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ways in which scholars use questions, as well as text, art, and music to inform and influence opinion and
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is the first of three convocations, I will have the opportunity to address you three times over the course of this academic year. Each convocation is different, and will be given in the context of the students' evolving experience at Carleton. The purpose of this convocation is to introduce the students to the
campus community, and to the big
idea of learning at Carleton.
What is the big idea of learning at Carleton? The big idea is that of liberal education, or the
idea of a "liberal" education. The idea is that of learning to think, to question, to explore, and to think critically.
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