



# "One Day in May"

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*Describe your day on May 15, 2022.*

*Tell us whatever you'd like at whatever length you'd like. We think future students will especially appreciate hearing about concrete details -- What can you see and hear from where you are right now? What did you do for fun today? Did you cook or eat anything special? Who did you spend time with? Was today a day of rest? a day for religion? a day to catch up on work?*

I woke up around 9:20 to my alarm but decided I was not ready to face the world, so instead; I went back to sleep. I got out of bed around 11. I got ready for the day and moved my tap board out, so I was prepared for my tap class after eating at the cc. I ate fries, fruit, and Mac, and cheese. I had Powerade to drink. I wore my headphones in the cc because I didn't want to talk to anyone. I can't remember if I just listened to music while eating or watched youtube. I left the CC around 11:45 and walked back to my dorm room. I put my laptop under my bed and put on my tap shoes while waiting for my virtual tap class to start. I do a one-hour virtual class with Anthony LoCascio and Staci Cousert. Anthony was the American to get a standing tole in the international hit show Tap Dogs, and Staci toured internationally with Sesame Street Live. They are great tap teachers, and I always enjoy their class. About 5-6 other students attend the class live, but others watch the video later. At the end of class, we always respect the dance. This forces us to remember the history of tap dance and thank all the tappers who came before us. After tap class, I finally had to work on my paper for my May term class. It's due tonight, and I'd only gotten about 1/2 of the first paragraph written when I started this afternoon. I wrote about why the pi symbol ( $\pi$ ) was selected. Dr. Burdick, the professor, required the project to be completed on Overleaf, which was a new program for me. It is a coding-style website that allows complex math to be written easier. It wasn't too hard to figure out after some googling. If you are wondering, Willam Jones was the first mathematician to use  $\pi$  to represent the circumference divided by the diameter of a circle in 1706. It was selected since it was the first letter of the Greek word Periphery.

I stopped with about 1/6 of my paper left to go and get lunch at the underground. I got grilled chicken and fries. The worker in the Underground yelled out Jail for my order instead of Jace. My handwriting is a bit messy, so I believe that is to blame for this mix-up. I watched a lilsimsie youtube video while eating. After the video was finished, I finished the paper and proofread it. I turned it in at 4:02 pm, well before my midnight deadline. I then washed the dishes that I had been putting off for well over a week. I was going to do some laundry, but all the washers were full when I checked. I'll try again later tonight. I started taking away the personality in my room

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next. I put away my pin and keychain collections, including putting countless push pins from the corkboard behind my desk. I also put my tiny items collections: rocks, small animals, erasers, and mini versions of Disney characters. I will be leaving Hanover in two short weeks and want to be prepared. This year, my packing is a little more complicated, which adds to the confusion and struggle since I will be moving to Indianapolis for the summer just four days after returning to Louisville. While packing, I watched the chase.

I've gotten really into game shows recently. I'm on duty tonight as an RA, so around 6 pm, I went and got the duty bag. I took a break from organizing and decided to read some fanfiction. I've been reading Callie and Arizona from Grey's Anatomy fanfiction recently. I then decided I had enough to write about for this entry, so I went over to my desk and opened the email I got from Reverend Catherine Knott to fill this out. My plans for the rest of the evening include playing the sims 4, organizing and packing more, taking my two school-mandated walks (duty rounds), and possibly doing some laundry. I'm hoping for a quiet duty night with no phone calls.

*We'd also like to hear about what a typical Sunday is/was like for you at Hanover. Tell us about how you usually spend/spent Sundays at Hanover – at whatever length you'd like. We think future students will especially appreciate hearing the small details of everyday life.*

My typical Sundays at Hanover are actually pretty similar to this Sunday. I plan to get up at a consistent time each day but typically I still sleep in on Sundays. I then head to the CC for brunch. They do burgers and fries on Sundays and it's one of my favorites. I rarely eat the burgers so I really just want the fries. After lunch, I come back to Donner and do my tap class. Then I work on whatever school work I have been avoiding all week. I tend to listen to music when I'm studying. I know science has shown that listening to music without words helps you focus more but I tend to listen to my feel better playlist which I add any song I enjoy to, a single song on repeat, or one of my shorter playlists. I sometimes listen to mighty vibes from Critical Role which hits the no lyrics but I just can't always get into it. I sometimes use the Pomodoro method while working on school work. I use the premade times by How to ADHD when I do this. I tend to crochet or read on my breaks. I also tend to be on duty as an RA on a lot of Sundays. When I had free time on Sundays, I like to watch tv, youtube, or twitch while I crochet. I also sometimes play the sims 4.

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