

2020–2021 Academic Calendar

Fall 2020

Important Dates	Fall 2020 Full 15-Weeks (Session 01)		Fall 2020 First 7-Weeks (Session 71)		Fall 2020 Second 7-Weeks (Session 72)	
First Day of the Session	08/24	Monday	08/24	Monday	10/19	Monday
First Day of Add/Drop	08/24	Monday	08/24	Monday	10/19	Monday
Last Day of Add/Drop	08/31	Monday	08/26	Wednesday	10/21	Wednesday
First Day of Course Withdrawal	09/01	Tuesday	08/27	Thursday	10/22	Thursday
Last Day of Course Withdrawal	10/23	Friday	09/18	Friday	11/13	Friday
Last Day to Elect Audit or Pass/Fail	10/23	Friday	09/18	Friday	11/13	Friday
Last Day of Session Withdrawal	11/30	Monday	10/02	Friday	12/04	Friday
Reading / Tentative Make-Up Days ¹	12/05	Saturday				
	12/06	Sunday				
Last Day of the Session	12/07	Monday	10/11	Sunday	12/12	Saturday
First Day of Final Exams	12/08	Tuesday	Last Day of Class		Last Day of Class	
Last Day of Final Exams	12/12	Saturday				
UGRD NG/IP grades convert to F ²	10/23	Friday	Same date for all Sessions (<i>Undergraduate Courses</i>)			
GRAD NG/IP Work Due ³	12/04	Friday	Same date for all Sessions (<i>Graduate Courses</i>)			
Undergraduate Commencement (December 2020 Graduates)	05/02/21	Sunday	Please refer to the Commencement Website for more detailed information regarding individual ceremonies.			
Graduate Commencement (May & December 2020 Graduates)	05/08/21	Saturday				

¹ Classes regularly scheduled to meet on Saturday (12/05) and/or Sunday (12/06) will be held.

² If a *Change of Grade* is not submitted by the date indicated, the grade of NG/IP will be replaced with an F for all undergraduate courses. Students are required to work with their instructor to determine a due date for all outstanding work.

³ Students assigned a grade of NG/IP for graduate-level courses are required to submit all outstanding assignments by the date indicated, unless the instructor establishes an earlier date.

Holiday/Non-Class Days

Holiday/Break	Date(s)	Day(s)	Notes
Labor Day	09/07/2020	Monday	University Closed and No Classes
Rosh Hashanah ⁴	09/18/2020 - 09/20/2020	Friday - Sunday	
Yom Kippur ⁴	09/27/2020 - 09/28/2020	Sunday - Monday	
Fall/Thanksgiving Break	11/23/2020 - 11/29/2020	Monday - Sunday	No Classes (University Closed on 11/26)

⁴ Although the University will be in session, no examinations are to be administered on these major holy days. For those teaching evening courses, Jewish and Muslim holidays begin on the evening of the date indicated. Generally, all members of the academic community are expected to be considerate of and provide accommodations to students of other faiths when assignments, exams, and other course requirements fall on major holy days of their religion.

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Winter 2020/2021

Important Dates	5-Weeks (Session 01)*		3-Weeks (Session 31)	
First Day of the Session	12/14/2020	Monday	01/04/2021	Monday
First Day of Add/Drop	12/14/2020	Monday	01/04/2021	Monday
Last Day of Add/Drop	12/15/2020	Tuesday	01/04/2021	Monday
First Day of Course Withdrawal	12/16/2020	Wednesday	01/05/2021	Tuesday
Last Day of Course Withdrawal	01/10/2021	Sunday	01/13/2021	Wednesday
Last Day to Elect Audit or Pass/Fail	01/10/2021	Sunday	01/13/2021	Wednesday
Last Day of Session Withdrawal	01/20/2021	Wednesday	01/20/2021	Wednesday
Last Day of the Session	01/23/2021	Saturday	01/23/2021	Saturday
Final Exams	Last Day of Class		Last Day of Class	
Undergraduate Commencement** (December 2020 Graduates)	05/02/2021	Saturday	05/02/2021	Sunday
Graduate Commencement** (May & December 2020 Graduates)	05/08/2021	Saturday	05/08/2021	Saturday

* Courses built in this session should consist of 15 instructional days. This session spans 18 calendar days to permit faculty to determine the start and end date of their courses.

** Please visit the [Commencement Website](#) for more detailed information regarding individual ceremonies.

Holiday/Non-Class Days

Holiday/Break	Date	Days	Notes
Holiday Break	12/21/2020 – 01/03/2021	Monday - Sunday	No Classes
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	1/18/2021	Monday	University Closed and No Classes

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Spring 2021

Important Dates	Spring 2021 Full 15-Weeks (Session 01)	Spring 2021 First 7-Weeks (Session 71)	Spring 2021 Second 7-Weeks (Session 72)
First Day of the Session	01/25 Monday	01/25 Monday	03/22 Monday
First Day of Add/Drop	01/25 Monday	01/25 Monday	03/22 Monday
Last Day of Add/Drop	02/01 Monday	01/27 Wednesday	03/24 Wednesday
First Day of Course Withdrawal	02/02 Tuesday	01/28 Thursday	03/25 Thursday
Last Day to Elect Audit or Pass/Fail	03/26 Friday	02/19 Friday	04/16 Friday
Last Day of Course Withdrawal	03/29 Monday	02/19 Friday	04/16 Friday
Last Day of Session Withdrawal	05/02 Friday	03/05 Friday	04/30 Friday
Last Day of the Session	05/09 Sunday	03/14 Sunday	05/09 Sunday
First Day of Final Exams	05/10 Monday	Last Day of Class	Last Day of Class
Last Day of Final Exams	05/14 Friday		
UGRD NG/IP grades convert to F ¹	04/02 Friday	Same date for all Sessions (<i>Undergraduate Courses</i>)	
GRAD NG/IP Work Due ²	05/07 Friday	Same date for all Sessions (<i>Graduate Courses</i>)	
Undergraduate Commencement (May 2021 Graduates)	Multiple Dates	05/14 – 05/16 & 05/22 – 05/23. Same date for all Sessions. Please refer to the Commencement Schedule for more detailed information regarding individual ceremonies.	
Graduate Commencement (May 2021 Graduates)	05/22 Saturday	Same date for all Sessions	

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Holiday/Break	Date(s)	Day(s)	Notes
Spring Break	03/15/2021 - 03/21/2021	Monday - Sunday	No Classes
Passover ⁴	03/27/2021 - 04/03/2021	Saturday - Saturday	
Good Friday ⁴	04/02/2021	Friday	

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Summer 2021

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Important Dates	Summer 2021 First 5-Weeks (Summer I)		Summer 2021 Second 5-Weeks (Summer II)		Summer 2021 Final 3-Weeks (Summer Post)	
First Day of the Session	06/01	Tuesday	07/06	Tuesday	08/09	Monday
First Day of Add/Drop	06/01	Tuesday	07/06	Tuesday	08/09	Monday
Last Day of Add/Drop	06/02	Wednesday	07/07	Wednesday	08/09	Monday
First Day of Course Withdrawal	06/03	Thursday	07/08	Thursday	08/10	Tuesday
Last Day of Course Withdrawal	06/18	Friday	07/23	Friday	08/19	Thursday
Last Day to Elect Audit or Pass/Fail	06/18	Friday	07/23	Friday	08/19	Thursday
Last Day of Session Withdrawal	06/29	Tuesday	08/03	Tuesday	08/25	Wednesday
Final Exams	Last Day of Class		Last Day of Class		Last Day of Class	
Last Day of the Session	07/03	Saturday	08/08	Sunday	08/29	Sunday

Holiday/Non-Class Days

Holiday/Break	Date(s)	Day(s)	Notes
Memorial Day	05/31/2021	Monday	University Closed and No Classes
Independence Day	07/04/2021	Sunday	University Closed and No Classes
Independence Day (Observance)	07/05/2021	Monday	University Closed and No Classes
Eid al-Adha ¹	07/19/2021 - 07/20/2021	Monday - Tuesday	

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