

Graduate 2020-2021 Academic Calendar



This calendar is utilized by all graduate programs with the exception of the MFA in Creative Nonfiction Writing, Master of Occupational Therapy, Master of Occupational Therapy Bridge, MS Accounting, MS Applied Laboratory Science and Operations, MS Genetic Counseling, and MS Physician Assistant Studies programs. Academic calendars utilized by these graduate programs are listed on the Academics tab of the MyBayPath portal. The EdS/MS Education programs with a concentration in Administrator in Special Education follow the dates on this academic calendar with an exception of not offering coursework during the summer semester.

This calendar is based on two eight-week sessions running within each semester during the academic year; however, some graduate programs using this calendar may elect to offer coursework outside of the established eight-week sessions. In all cases, the add/drop deadline is the close of business on the date of the first class meeting and the withdrawal deadline is the close of business on the last business day prior to the course being 75% complete. Students are recommended to contact the Registrar's Office if they have any questions about add/drop or withdrawal deadlines for their courses.

Summer 2020	
June 29	Classes Begin for Summer Session I Last Day to Add/Drop for Summer Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
July 3	University Closed – Independence Day
August 7	Last Day to Withdraw for Summer Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
August 10	Fall 2020 Course Registration Opens (start: 6:00 AM)
August 22	Classes End for Summer Session I
August 28	Final Grades Due in Portal for Summer Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
August 31	Classes Begin for Summer Session II Last Day to Add/Drop for Summer Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)
September 7	University Closed – Labor Day
October 9	Last Day to Withdraw for Summer Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)
October 12	University Closed – Indigenous People's Day
October 24	Classes End for Summer Session II
October 30	Final Grades Due in Portal for Summer Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)

Fall 2020	
October 26	Classes Begin for Fall Session I Last Day to Add/Drop for Fall Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
November 25-29	University Closed - Thanksgiving Break
December 4	Last Day to Withdraw for Fall Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
December 7	Spring 2021 Course Registration Opens (start: 6:00 AM)
December 19	Classes End for Fall Session I
December 24-Jan 3	University Closed - Winter Recess
December 28	Final Grades Due in Portal for Fall Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
January 4	Classes Begin for Fall Session II Last Day to Add/Drop for Fall Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)
January 18	No Classes – Martin Luther King Day
February 12	Last Day to Withdraw for Fall Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)
February 15	University Closed – President's Day
February 27	Classes End for Fall Session II
March 5	Final Grades Due in Portal for Fall Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)

Spring 2021	
March 1	Classes Begin for Spring Session I Last Day to Add/Drop for Spring Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
April 9	Last day to Withdraw for Spring Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
April 12	Summer 2021 Course Registration Opens (start: 6:00 AM)
April 19	Classes Will be Held – Patriot's Day
April 24	Classes End for Spring Session I
April 30	Final Grades Due in Portal for Spring Session I (deadline: 5:00 PM)
May 3	Classes Begin for Spring Session II

May 3	Last Day to Add/Drop for Spring Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)
May 16	Commencement
May 31	University Closed – Memorial Day
June 11	Last Day to Withdraw for Spring Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)
June 26	Classes End for Spring Session II
July 2	Final Grades Due in Portal for Spring Session II (deadline: 5:00 PM)