

**\*UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC CALENDAR  
2020 FALL SEMESTER**

August 17	Monday—Required assembly for orientation of beginning freshmen who did not attend Summer Orientation and Advanced Registration (SOAR) and new transfer students who did not attend Transfer SOAR
August 19	Wednesday—Regular classes begin
September 7	Monday—University closed for Labor Day holiday
October 8	Thursday—Midterm
October 2-4	University closed for Fall Break
November 25-29	University closed for Thanksgiving holidays
December 3	Thursday—Study Day
December 4-9	Semester examinations
December 11	Friday—Close of term; midyear commencement program for Nursing and Education graduates, Flowers Hall
December 12	Saturday—Close of term; midyear commencement program for Arts and Sciences and Business graduates, Flowers Hall

**WINTER SESSION**

The winter session runs from December 14, 2020, through January 1, 2021.

**2021 SPRING SEMESTER**

January 4	Monday—Required assembly for orientation of beginning freshmen and new transfer students
January 6	Wednesday—Regular classes begin
January 18	Monday—University closed for Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holiday
February 19-21	University closed for Winter Break
February 26	Friday—Midterm
March 22-28	University closed for spring holidays
April 2	Friday – University closed
April 29	Thursday—Study Day
April 30- May 5	Semester examinations
May 7	Friday—Close of term; commencement program for Nursing and Education graduates, Flowers Hall

May 8 Saturday—Close of term; commencement program for Arts and Sciences and Business graduates, Flowers Hall

### **MAY INTERSESSION PERIOD**

The May intercession period runs from May 10 through May 28, 2021.

### **2021 SUMMER TERM**

#### **SESSION ONE**

May 31 Monday – University closed for Memorial Day holiday

June 1 Tuesday—Required assembly for orientation of beginning freshmen and new transfer students

June 2 Wednesday—Regular classes begin for session one

June 28 Monday—Last day of classes for session one

June 29 Tuesday—Final examinations for session one

July 31 Saturday—Commencement program for summer term, Flowers Hall

#### **SESSION TWO**

June 29 Tuesday—Registration for session two

June 30 Wednesday—Regular classes begin for session two

July 5 Monday—University closed for Independence Day holiday

July 27 Tuesday—Last day of classes for session two

July 28 Wednesday—Final examinations for session two

July 31 Saturday—Commencement program for summer term, Flowers Hall

#### **EIGHT-WEEK TERM**

May 31 Monday – University closed for Memorial Day holiday

June 1 Tuesday—Required assembly for orientation of beginning freshmen and new transfer students

June 2 Wednesday—Regular classes begin for eight-week summer term

July 5 Monday—University closed for Independence Day holiday

July 27 Tuesday—Last day of classes for eight-week summer term

July 28 Wednesday—Final examinations for eight-week summer term

July 31 Saturday—Commencement program for summer term, Flowers Hall

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\*All dates contained in this calendar are tentative and subject to change without prior notice.