

# 2020-2021 Academic Calendar

	FALL 2020	SPRING 2021	SUMMER I 2021	SUMMER II 2021
Residence Halls Open for Occupancy	Aug. 16	Jan. 10	May 30	July 4
Last Day Withdraw Without Financial Penalty	Aug. 21	Jan. 12	June 1	July 5
<b>Classes Begin</b>	<b>Aug. 24</b>	<b>Jan. 13</b>	<b>June 2</b>	<b>July 6</b>
Advance Registration Begins	Nov. 5	April 1		
Open Registration Begins	Nov. 24	April 21		
Last Day to Declare Pass/Fail Intentions	Oct. 26	March 31	June 28	July 26
No Exams Except Makeup or Scheduled Lab Exams	Nov. 24–Dec. 2	April 28–May 4		
Last Day of Classes	Dec. 2	May 4	July 1	Aug. 4
Individual Study Day	Dec. 3	May 5		
Final Examinations	Dec. 4–9	May 6–11	July 2–3	Aug. 5–6
<b>Semester/Term Ends</b>	<b>Dec. 9</b>	<b>May 11</b>	<b>July 3</b>	<b>Aug. 6</b>
Residence Halls Close (with exceptions*)	Dec. 10	May 12	July 3	Aug. 7
Commencement†	Dec. 11–12	May 14–15		Aug. 7
<b>PAYMENTS AND REFUNDS‡</b>				
95% Payment of Mandatory Tuition and Fees or Enrollment in a Payment Plan Due.	Aug. 17	Jan. 6	May 25	June 29
Last Day to Drop a Course and Have Charges Removed (students who drop to zero hours are considered to be a withdrawal)	Sept. 9	Jan. 29	June 7	July 9
Last Day to Withdraw and Receive Partial Financial Credit	Sept. 21	Feb. 10	June 3	July 7
<b>ADD/DROP (changes in schedule), WITHDRAWAL (dropping all courses)</b>				
Last Day to Add a Course	Aug. 27	Jan. 19	June 3	July 7
Last Day to Drop a Course Without Academic Penalty	Sept. 9	Jan. 29	June 7	July 9
Last Day to Transfer Between Colleges	Sept. 9	Jan. 29	June 7	July 9
Last Day to Drop a Course With Academic Penalty (counts against drop limit)	Nov. 24	April 21	June 28	Aug. 2
Last Day to Withdraw from the University	Nov. 24	April 21	June 28	Aug. 2
<b>DEADLINES RELATED TO GRADUATION</b>				
Last Day for <b>Undergraduate</b> Degree Candidates to Remove I and PR Grades	Nov. 16	April 30	June 29	Aug. 2
Graduate School—Last Day to File Statement of Intent to Graduate	Sept. 18	Feb. 5	June 13	
Graduate School—Last Day to Submit Defense Notification	Sept. 25	Feb. 17	June 7	
Last Day to Order Invitations/Academic Regalia at Bookstore	Oct. 19	March 24	June 7	
Graduate School—Master's Non-Thesis Comps; Last Day to Defend Thesis/Dissertation	Oct. 16	April 2	June 28	
Graduate School—Last Day to Submit Final PDF of Thesis/ Dissertation, Oral Defense and Thesis-Dissertation Approval Form	Nov. 6	April 9		July 5
Graduate School—Last Day to Post Recital Program	Nov. 6	April 9		July 9
Graduate School—Last Day to Remove Grades of I, PR or CR	Nov. 16	April 16		July 9
Graduate School—Comprehensive Eval Reports Due	Nov. 16	April 27		July 9
Graduate School—Last Day to Submit Interdisciplinary Portfolio Reports	Nov. 16	April 27		July 9
Graduate School—Last Day to Pay Thesis/Dissertation Fee	Nov. 16	April 27		July 9
<b>HOLIDAYS AND VACATION DAYS</b>				
Labor Day Holiday	Sept. 7			
Thanksgiving Vacation	Nov. 25–Nov. 29			
MLK Day		January 18		
Spring Vacation		March 13–21		
No Classes		April 5		
<b>INTERSESSION</b>				
Fall Intercession	August 10–23 (Grades Due August 31)			
Winter Intercession	Dec. 10–23, Jan. 4–10 (Grades Due January 19)			
May Intercession	May 12–28 (Grades Due June 4)			
<b>FACULTY-RELATED INFORMATION</b>				
Faculty on Duty	Aug. 19	Jan. 11	June 1	July 5
Mid-Semester Grades Due Via Raiderlink (5 p.m.)	Oct. 26	March 24		
Raiderlink Available for Grading	Nov. 30	May 3	June 29	Aug. 3
Grades Due for Graduating Students Via Raiderlink (noon)	Dec. 10	May 12		
Final Grades Due Via Raiderlink (5 p.m.)	Dec. 14	May 17	July 5	Aug. 9

\* See detailed chronological calendar at [www.depts.ttu.edu/officialpublications/calendar/index.php](http://www.depts.ttu.edu/officialpublications/calendar/index.php) for explanation of exceptions.

† Schedule of commencement ceremonies can be found at [www.depts.ttu.edu/provost/commencement/index.php](http://www.depts.ttu.edu/provost/commencement/index.php).

‡ See [www.depts.ttu.edu/studentbusinessservices](http://www.depts.ttu.edu/studentbusinessservices) for details of payment arrangements, dates, and refunds.