

Fall 2020 – REVISED DUE TO COVID 19 (last updated November 24, 2020)

August 17	First day of classes
August 18	For First-Half Semester classes: Last day to add a class, change the section of a class, change a course from credit to audit, change a course from audit to credit, or choose the pass-fail option
August 21	Last day to drop a first-half semester class or full-semester class with no academic penalty For Full-Semester classes: Last day to add a class, change the section of a class, change a course from credit to audit, change a course from audit to credit, or choose the pass-fail option Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund
August 28	UNC "Census" date
September 7	State Holiday- No classes; University closed
September 16	Last day to drop a first-half semester class and use a career drop (moved to Dec 18 for COVID) Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a first-half semester class
October 6	First-half semester classes end
October 7	Second-half semester classes start
October 8	For Second-Half Semester classes: Last day to add a class, change the section of a class, change a course from credit to audit, change a course from audit to credit, or choose the pass-fail option Last day to drop a second-half semester class with no academic penalty
October 12-13	Classes will be held; Fall break cancelled
October 19	Last day to drop a full-semester class and use a career drop (moved to Dec 18 for COVID) Last day to withdraw from term (moved to Dec 18 for COVID) Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a full-semester class
November 6	Last day to drop a second-semester class and use a career drop (moved to Dec 18 for COVID) Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a second-half semester course
November 9-20	Early Registration for Currently Enrolled Students
November 24	Last day of classes
November 26-27	State Holidays – University Closed
December 2	Reading Day
December 3-4, 7-9	Final Exam Period – All Exams Online, with the exception of courses that require clinical or lab-based assessments
December 7	Last day to submit incomplete grades from Spring 2020
December 10-14	Faculty grading period
December 11	Commencement Ceremonies
December 14	Final grades due 1:00pm Last day to submit incomplete grades from Summer 2020
December 18	Last day to drop a course or withdraw from the university for Fall 2020 (extended due to COVID) Last day for undergraduate students to opt in to Pass-No Credit grading system for Fall 2020

Spring 2021 - REVISED DUE TO COVID 19 (last updated April 21, 2021)

January 19	First day of classes
January 20	For First-Half Semester classes: Last day to add a class, change the section of a class, change a course from credit to audit, change a course from audit to credit, or choose the pass-fail option
January 25	Last day to drop a first-half semester class or full-semester class with no academic penalty For Full-Semester classes: Last day to add a class, change the section of a class, change a course from credit to audit, change a course from audit to credit, or choose the pass-fail option Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund

February 1	UNC "Census" date
February 16	Last day to drop a first-half semester class and use a career drop (moved to April 21 due to COVID) Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a first-half semester class
March 8-12	Classes will be held; Spring break cancelled
March 8	First-half semester classes end
March 9	Second-half semester classes start
March 10	For Second-Half Semester classes: Last day to add a class, change the section of a class, change a course from credit to audit, change a course from audit to credit, or choose the pass-fail option Last day to drop a second-half semester class with no academic penalty
March 22	Last day to drop a full-semester class and use a career drop (moved to April 21 due to COVID) Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a full-semester class Last day to withdraw from term (moved to April 21 due to COVID)
April 1-15	Early Registration for Currently Enrolled Students
April 2	State Holiday - No classes; University closed
April 6	Last day to drop a second-half semester class and use a career drop (moved to April 21 due to COVID) Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a second-half semester course
April 21	Last day to drop a first-half semester class (extended due to COVID) Last day to drop a second-half semester class (extended due to COVID) Last day to drop a full semester class (extended due to COVID) Last day to withdraw from the university for Spring 2021 (extended due to COVID)
April 26	Last day to drop a first-half semester class (extended due to COVID) Last day to drop a second-half semester class (extended due to COVID) Last day to drop a full semester class (extended due to COVID) Last day to withdraw from the university for Spring 2021 (extended due to COVID)
April 28	Last day of classes
April 29	Reading day
April 30, May 3-6	Final Examination period
May 3	Last day to submit incomplete grades from Fall 2020
May 7-10	Faculty grading period
May 7-8, 10-12	Commencement ceremonies
May 10	Final Grades due by 1:00pm

First 5 Week Summer Session 2021 (May 24 - June 25)

May 24	First day of classes for First Summer Session
May 25	Last day to add a class for First Summer Session Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund for First Summer Session
May 26	Summer I UNC "Census" date
May 31	State Holiday – No classes; University closed
June 9	Last day to drop a class for First Summer Session Last day to withdraw from First Summer Session
June 25	Last day of classes for First Summer Session
June 28	Final grades due 1:00pm for First Summer Session

First Graduate / Teacher Session 2021 (May 28 - June 25)

May 28	First day of classes for First Graduate/Teacher Session
June 1	Last day to add a class for First Graduate/Teacher Session Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund for First Graduate/Teacher Session

June 15	Last day to drop a class for First Graduate/Teacher Session Last day to withdraw from Frist Graduate/Teacher Session
June 25	Last day of classes for First Graduate/Teacher Session
June 28	Final grades due 1:00pm for First Graduate/Teacher Session

Second Summer Session 2021 (July 1- August 4)

July 1	First day of classes for Second Summer Session
July 2	Last day to add a class for Second Summer Session Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund for Second Summer Session
July 5	State Holiday- No classes; University closed
July 6	Summer II UNC "Census" Date
July 19	Last day to drop a class for Second Summer Session Last day to withdraw from Second Summer Session
August 4	Last day of classes for Second Summer Session
August 6	Final grades due 1:00pm for Second Summer Session

Second Graduate / Teacher Session 2021 (July 6- July 31)

July 6	First day of classes for Second Graduate/Teacher Session
July 7	Last day to add a class for Second Graduate/Teacher Session Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund for Second Graduate/Teacher Session
July 21	Last day to drop a class for Second Graduate/Teacher Session Last day to withdraw from Second Graduate/Teacher Session
August 2	Last day of classes for Second Graduate/Teacher Session
August 6	Final grades due 1:00pm for Second Graduate/Teacher Session