

2020-2021 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL 2020		
March 1	Friday	Graduate School Fall Admission Application—Priority Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend Graduate International Students Fall Admission Application Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend First Notice Catalog Updates for new academic year due May 1 to Registrar’s Office
April 1	Monday	Undergraduate International Students Fall Admission Application Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend Second Notice Catalog Updates for new academic year
April 15	Monday	Graduate School Summer Admissions Application Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend
May 1	Wednesday	Priority date for fall undergraduate admissions, including transfer students Final notice for Catalog updates due to the Registrar’s Office for the new academic calendar year
June 1	Saturday	Catalog information freeze for new academic calendar year
July 1	Monday	Graduate School Fall Admission Application due—date Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend Academic Catalogs available for next academic year
July 15	Monday	Application deadline for undergraduate admissions
July 26	Sunday	Summer II students transition to their Fall housing assignment (8 a.m. – 2 p.m.)
August 3	Monday	All tuition, fees, room and board due New Faculty Orientation – Human Resources
August 3-7	Monday – Friday	Law School Orientation for First-Year students
August 10	Monday	Late Orientation 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
August 11	Tuesday	University Conference
August 12	Wednesday	Residence hall check-in for New students assigned to Baynes, New Res II, Rush and Chidley 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
August 13	Thursday	Residence hall check-in for New students assigned to Eagleson, Richmond, McLean, Annie Day, and Ruffin 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

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August 13-16	Thursday - Sunday	Eagle Mania: Required for all NEW students
August 15	Saturday	Residence hall check-in for Continuing students 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
August 16	Sunday	New Student Induction & Eagle Pinning Ceremony Preliminary class lists available through Banner
August 17	Monday	First day of classes First day of classes Law School First day of classes Mini-session 1 Financial aid posted Late registration, schedule adjustment period (drop/add) begins Late registration fees imposed
August 21	Friday	Late registration and scheduled adjustment period (drop/add/section changes) ends at 4 p.m. Course schedules canceled for all students who have not made satisfactory payment arrangements
August 24	Monday	First day for undergraduate students to withdraw from a class with a grade of WC or from the university with a W grade First day for graduate students to withdraw from a class with a WC grade or from the university with a W grade Residence check for on-campus students not registered or registered less than 12 hours
August 28	Friday	Tenth day of class — Census date Last day to file for residency reclassification Mini-session 1 Early warning progress reports due in Banner 5 p.m.
August 31	Monday	Final class rolls available in Banner

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September 1	Tuesday	<p>Application deadline for study abroad (campus deadline) Next business day if date falls on weekend</p> <p>Spring Admission International Graduate Student Applications – Final Deadline Next business day for if date falls on weekend</p> <p>Undergraduate International Students Spring Admission Application Deadline Next business day for if date falls on weekend</p>
September 3	Thursday	Last day to challenge courses by examination for credit
September 4	Friday	<p>Last day for filing applications for the master’s foreign language examinations to be taken this semester</p> <p>Last day for deans to submit course offerings for Spring 2021</p>
September 7	Monday	Labor Day, no classes
September 11	Friday	<p>Early warning progress grades due in Banner by 5 p.m.</p> <p>Mini-session 1 mid-term examinations</p>
September 15	Tuesday	<p>Mini-session 1 mid-term progress reports due in Banner 5 p.m.</p> <p>Students who have not met the state immunization requirements will be dropped from classes</p>
September 17	Thursday	Mini-session 1 last day to withdraw from a course
September 18	Friday	Last day to withdraw from the university with a prorated tuition and fee adjustment
September 25	Friday	Last day to apply for December graduation
September 28 - October 9	Monday – Friday	Law School mid-term exams
October 1	Thursday	<p>Spring Admission Graduate School Applications – Final Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend</p> <p>FAFSA for 2021-2022 should be filed</p>
October 2	Friday	<p>General Faculty Meeting</p> <p>Mid-term progress reports due in Banner by 4 p.m.</p>
October 3	Saturday	Foreign language examinations for master’s degree Candidates.
October 5 - 9	Monday – Friday	Priority registration for Spring 2021

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October 9	Friday	<p>Last day for undergraduate students to withdraw from a class with a grade of WC or from the university with a W grade</p> <p>Last day for graduate students to withdraw from a class with a WC grade or from the university with a W grade</p> <p>Mini-session 1 Reading Day</p>
October 10	Saturday	<p>Mini-session 1 final examinations</p> <p>Mini-session 1 last day of classes</p>
October 12	Monday	Fall Break for Law School students (no classes)
October 12-13	Monday - Tuesday	Fall Break for Undergraduate and Graduate Students
October 13	Wednesday	Classes resume for Law School (Please follow Monday schedule)
October 14	Wednesday	<p>Classes resume at 8 a.m.</p> <p>Mini session 2 begins</p> <p>Early registration for Spring 2021 begins</p> <p>Last day to file applications for admission to candidacy for graduate students planning to complete degrees this semester</p> <p>Last day for filing application for the master's written examination to be taken this semester</p>
October 15	Thursday	<p>Deadline for graduating students to clear 'I' grades</p> <p>Mini-session 1 final grades due in Banner 5 p.m.</p>
October 20	Tuesday	Mini-session 2 Early warning progress reports due in Banner 5 p.m.
October 27	Tuesday	Law School Registration for Spring 2021 semester begins
October 29	Thursday	Spring admissions priority application deadline
October 30	Friday	<p>Mini-session 2 mid-term examinations</p> <p>Founder's Day/Convocation</p>
October 31	Saturday	<p>Homecoming</p> <p>Written examinations for master's degree candidates</p>
November 3	Tuesday	Mini-session 2 mid-term progress reports due in Banner 5 p.m.
November 5	Thursday	Mini-session 2 last day to withdraw from a course

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November 11	Wednesday	Deadline for submission of undergraduate applications for admission to the spring semester
November 24	Tuesday	Last Day of classes Law School Last day for law school students to withdraw from a course.
November 26- 27	Wednesday–Sunday	Thanksgiving recess
November 30	Monday	Classes resume at 8 a.m. PLEASE NOTE: → LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR GRADUATING STUDENTS PLEASE NOTE: → LAST DAY OF CLASS LECTURE FOR NON-GRADUATING STUDENTS. Last day to submit theses/projects for this semester
November 30 – December 1	Monday – Tuesday	Reading days for Law School students
December 1	Tuesday	Reading Day for graduating and non-graduating students
December 2 - 3	Wednesday - Thursday	Final examinations for graduating students Reading Day for Law School students
December 2 - 9	Wednesday – Wednesday	Final examinations for non-graduating students Final examinations for Law School students
December 4	Friday	Final grades for graduating students due in Banner by 5 p.m.
December 7	Monday	Final grades due for graduating Law School students by 5 p.m.
December 8	Tuesday	Mini-session 2 Reading Day
December 9	Wednesday	LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR ALL STUDENTS LAST DAY OF FINAL EXAMINATIONS FOR NON-GRADUATING STUDENTS Mini-session 2 final examinations Mini-session 2 last day of classes
December 10	Thursday	Residence halls close at 10 a.m. for non-graduating students.

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December 11	Friday	All grades due in Banner by 5 p.m. Mini-session 2 final grades due in Banner 5 p.m. Commencement rehearsal, 11 a.m. Chancellor’s Reception for graduating students and their families, 6 p.m., A.E. Student Union Early Eagle NSO for Transfer Students
December 12	Saturday	Commencement, 9 a.m. Residence Halls close at 3 p.m. for graduating students

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SPRING 2021		
January 4	Monday	All tuition, fees, room and board due University business resumes for all NCCU employees
January 7	Thursday	Residence hall check-in from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. for all new students
January 7 - 8	Thursday - Friday	New Student Welcome Programs New Student Orientation Residence hall check-in from 3 p.m. – 5 p.m. for continuing students
January 11	Monday	First day of classes First day of classes Law School First day of classes Mini-session 1 Financial aid posted Late registration, schedule adjustment period (drop/add) begins, late fees imposed Preliminary class rolls available in Banner
January 15	Friday	Late registration and schedule adjustment period (drop/add/section changes) conclude at 4 p.m. Course schedules canceled for all students who have not made satisfactory payment arrangements
January 18	Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day Observance, no classes
January 19	Tuesday	Law School students (Friday classes will meet) Summer MSW Advanced Standing applicants only – Summer Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend First day for a student to initiate a withdrawal from a class (grade of WC) and student to request to be withdrawn from the institution (grade of W) Notification of impending drop for students who have not submitted final immunization records
January 23	Saturday	Make-up day for Law School for classes cancelled by inclement weather

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SPRING 2021		
January 25	Monday	Tenth day of class – Census date Last day to file for residency reclassification
January 26	Tuesday	Final class rolls available in Banner
January 30	Saturday	Fall Admission Graduate School and PhD Applications – Priority Deadline and Final Deadline for MSW Traditional Two Year Next business day if date falls on weekend
February 5	Friday	Early warning progress reports due in Banner by 5 p.m. Mini-session 1 mid-term examinations Last day for filing applications for the master’s foreign language examinations to be taken this semester
February 9	Tuesday	Mini-session 1 mid-term progress reports due in Banner 5 p.m.
February 10	Wednesday	Last day for deans to submit course offerings for the summer sessions and fall 2021
February 11	Thursday	Mini-session 1 last day to withdraw from a course
February 12	Friday	Last day to withdraw from the university with a prorated tuition and fee adjustment Last day to file for May graduation
February 19	Friday	Application deadline for summer or fall study abroad (campus deadline) Next business day if date falls on weekend
February 26	Friday	Midterm progress reports due in Banner by 4 p.m.
February 27	Saturday	Foreign language examinations for master’s candidates Make-up day for Law School for classes cancelled by inclement weather
March 1– 5	Monday – Friday	Priority registration
March 1 - 6	Monday – Saturday	Mid-term Examination period Law School
March 4	Thursday	Mini-session 1 Reading day

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March 5	Friday	<p>Last day for undergraduates to withdraw from a class with a grade of WC or from the university with a W grade</p> <p>Last day for graduate students to withdraw from a class with a grade of WC or from the university with a W grade</p> <p>Fall Admission Graduate School and PhD Applications – Late Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend</p> <p>Fall Admission International Graduate Student Applications – Final Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend Mini-session 1 final examinations</p> <p>Min-session 1 last day of classes</p> <p>First annual notice Catalog updates for new academic year due May 1 to Registrar’s Office</p>
March 6	Saturday	<p>Spring Break begins after Saturday classes. Residence halls close at noon</p>
March 14	Sunday	<p>Residence halls reopen at noon</p>
March 15	Monday	<p>Deadline for graduating students to clear ‘I’ grades</p> <p>Classes resume</p> <p>Registration opens for Summer sessions and Fall 2021</p> <p>Mini-session 2 first day of classes</p>
March 16	Tuesday	<p>Mini-session 1 final grades due in Banner 5 p.m.</p>
March 22	Monday	<p>Last day to file applications for admission to candidacy for graduate students planning to complete degrees this semester</p>
March 26	Friday	<p>General faculty meeting</p> <p>Last day for filing applications for the master’s written examinations to be taken this semester</p>
March 27	Saturday	<p>Make-up day for Law School for classes cancelled by inclement weather</p>
March 30	Tuesday	<p>Mini-session 2 Early Warning progress grades due in Banner 5 p.m.</p>

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SPRING 2021		
March 31	Wednesday	Registration for Summer/Fall 2021 begins for Law School Undergraduate International Students Fall Admission Application Deadline Next business day if date falls on weekend
April 1	Thursday	Second annual notice Catalog updates for new academic year due May 1 to the Registrar's Office
April 2	Friday	Good Friday Observance, no classes
April 8	Thursday	Mini-session 2 mid-term examinations
April 9	Friday	Honors Convocation, McDougald-McLendon Arena
April 10	Saturday	Written examinations for master's degree candidates
April 13	Tuesday	Mini-session 2 mid-term progress reports due in Banner 5 p.m.
April 14	Wednesday	Summer Admission Graduate School (selected programs; domestic students only) Next business day if date falls on weekend
April 15	Thursday	Min-session 2 last day to withdraw from a course
April 26	Monday	PLEASE NOTE: → LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR GRADUATING STUDENTS PLEASE NOTE: → LAST DAY OF CLASS LECTURE FOR NON-GRADUATING STUDENTS.
April 27	Tuesday	Last Day of classes Law School Reading day for graduating and non-graduating students Priority date for Fall undergraduate admissions, including transfer students
April 28	Wednesday	Reading day for Law School students
April 28 - 29	Wednesday - Thursday	Final examinations for graduating students
April 28 - 30 May 3 - 5	Wednesday - Friday Monday - Wednesday	Final examinations for non-graduating students
April 29	Thursday	Exam Conflict Day for Law students
April 30	Friday	Final grades for graduating students due in Banner by 5 p.m. Final grades for Law School graduating students due in Banner by 5 p.m. Academic Catalog updates due to the Registrar's Office

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April 30 – May 7	Friday - Wednesday	Final examinations for Law School students
May 4	Tuesday	Mini-session 2 Reading day
May 5	Wednesday	<p>NOTE: THE LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR ALL STUDENTS AND FINAL EXAMS ARE IN FACT THE SAME DAY. THE INSTRUCTIONAL TIME INCLUDES THE REQUIRED EXAMINATION PERIODS.</p> <p>LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR ALL STUDENTS</p> <p>LAST DAY OF FINAL EXAMINATIONS FOR NON-GRADUATING STUDENTS</p> <p>Mini-session 2 final examinations</p>
May 6	Thursday	Graduate and Professional Commencement rehearsal 6 p.m.
May 7	Friday	<p>All grades due in Banner by 5 p.m.</p> <p>Mini-session 2 final grades due in Banner 5 p.m.</p> <p>Alumni Day</p> <p>Baccalaureate Commencement rehearsal at 10 a.m.</p> <p>Graduate and Professional Commencement Ceremony, 3 p.m.</p> <p>Chancellor’s Reception for graduating students and their families, 6 p.m., Brant Street Plaza</p>
May 8	Saturday	<p>Baccalaureate Commencement Ceremony, 8 a.m.</p> <p>Residence Halls close at 5 p.m. for graduating students</p> <p>Law School Commencement</p>

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SUMMER 2021: FIRST SESSION / DUAL SESSION/ SPECIAL SESSION / LAW SCHOOL		
May 10 – 15	Monday – Saturday	Interession Law School
May 11	Tuesday	SOAR Orientation - Transfer
May 17	Monday	First day of classes for law students First day of classes for Special session Late registration/schedule adjustment period begins for Special session and law students
May 18	Tuesday	All registration activities for Special Session and Law School end at 4 p.m. Course schedules canceled for Special Session and Law School students who have not made satisfactory payment arrangements
May 19	Wednesday	First day for Special Session student to initiate a withdrawal from a class (grade of WC)
May 21	Friday	Registration for all students for Dual & Summer 1 sessions
May 23	Sunday	Residence halls open at 9 a.m.
May 25	Tuesday	Financial aid posted for summer 1 First day of classes for Dual and Summer 1 sessions Late registration/schedule adjustment period begins for Dual and Summer 1 sessions
May 26	Wednesday	All registration activities for Dual and Summer 1 sessions end at 4 p.m. Course schedules canceled for students who have not made satisfactory payment arrangements Last day to withdraw from the university with a tuition adjustment and /or refund
May 28	Friday	Last day for Special Session students to withdraw from a class with a WC grade
May 31	Monday	Memorial Day Observance, no classes
June 2	Wednesday	Equivalent 10th-day census date Last day to file for Summer graduation Last day for undergraduates to withdraw from a class with a WC grade Last day for graduate students to withdraw from a class with a WC grade
June 8	Tuesday	SOAR Orientation – Transfer

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June 9	Wednesday	Last day for filing application for the master's foreign language examination to be taken this summer
June 15	Tuesday	SOAR Orientation – Transfer students
June 16 – 17	Wednesday – Thursday	SOAR Orientation – First Year students
June 17	Thursday	Last day of Class Lecture
June 19	Saturday	Last day of classes Law School Foreign language examinations for master's degree candidates
June 22 - 23	Tuesday – Wednesday	SOAR Orientation – First Year students
June 29	Tuesday	Last day for financial aid recipients to drop summer II classes if you are not attending
June 25, 28	Friday, Monday	Final Examinations
June 28 - 29	Monday – Tuesday	Final examinations Law School
June 28	Monday	Last day of classes non law students Last day to submit theses/projects for this summer session
	NOTE: THE LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR ALL STUDENTS AND FINAL EXAMS ARE IN FACT THE SAME DAY. THE INSTRUCTIONAL TIME INCLUDES THE REQUIRED EXAMINATION PERIODS.	
June 29	Tuesday	Residence halls close at 5 p.m. (first session only)
June 30	Wednesday	Final grades for first summer session due in Banner by 5 p.m.

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SUMMER 2021: SECOND SESSION		
June 29	Tuesday	First day of registration for Second Session Final Deadline Applications for Admissions for all other graduate programs. All supporting documents must be received at this time.
June 30	Wednesday	Residence halls open at 9 a.m.
July 1	Thursday	First day of classes for non-law students Financial Aid Posted for Summer I Late registration/schedule adjustment period begins Priority date for fall undergraduate admissions, including transfer students
July 5	Monday	Fourth of July Observance, no classes
July 6	Tuesday	First day of classes law students Schedule Adjustment concludes at 4 p.m. Course schedules canceled for students who have not made satisfactory payment arrangements Last day to withdraw from the university with a tuition adjustment and/or refund
July 9	Friday	Last day for filing application for the master's written examination to be taken this summer
July 12	Monday	Equivalent 10 th -day census date Last day for undergraduates to withdraw from a class with a WC grade Last day for graduate students to withdraw from a class with a WC grade
July 13	Tuesday	SOAR Orientation – Transfer students
July 14 – 15	Wednesday – Thursday	SOAR Orientation – First Year students
July 21 – 22	Wednesday – Thursday	SOAR Orientation – First Year students
July 24	Saturday	Written examination for master's degree candidates
July 27	Tuesday	SOAR Orientation – Transfer students
July 28	Wednesday	Last day of class lecture non law students
July 28 – 29	Wednesday – Thursday	SOAR Orientation – First Year students
July 29 – 30	Thursday - Friday	Final Examinations non law students Final Examinations for Special Session students

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July 30	Friday NOTE: THE LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR ALL STUDENTS AND FINAL EXAMS ARE IN FACT THE SAME DAY. THE INSTRUCTIONAL TIME INCLUDES THE REQUIRED EXAMINATION PERIODS.	Last day of classes non law students Last day of classes special session students Last day to submit theses/projects for this summer session Last day to submit theses/projects for this summer session
July 31	Saturday	Last day of classes Law School Residence halls close at 10 a.m. (second session only)
August 2	Monday	Final grades for second summer session due in Banner by 5 p.m. for non-law students Final grades for special session due in Banner by 5 p.m.
August 2 - 3	Monday - Tuesday	Final examinations Law School
August 11	Wednesday	Final grades for second summer session due in Banner by 5 p.m. Law School