



# Southwest Baptist UNIVERSITY

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## University Calendar, 2020-2021

### Fall Semester 2020

Date	Event
August 4	New Faculty Workshop
5-7	Teacher's Camp, 8 a.m.-noon daily
8	Adjunct Faculty Orientation (Mountain View & Salem)
10	Staff Workshop 8 a.m.-noon
11	Division Head Workshop
12	Faculty Workshop 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
12	Last day to add online undergraduate courses for the first 4, 8, and 16-week sessions
13	Faculty work day in offices
14	Move-In Day for new students
14	Faculty help students move into dorms (a.m.)
14-16	Welcome Week for new students
16	Returning students arrive
17	Fall classes begin (8 a.m.) – including online courses
17	Last day to add online graduate courses for the first 4, 8, and 16-week sessions
19	Formal Convocation – 10 a.m.
20	Last day for adding seated or hybrid classes for the first 8-week session
20	Undergraduate & Graduate deadline for December Intent to Graduate Forms
25	Last day for adding seated or hybrid classes for fall semester
27	Fall Employee Picnic, 5:30 p.m., McClelland Dining Facility, Bolivar
28	Last day for adding classes for international students and students returning from active military duty
September 7	Labor Day – Classes in session
15	Last day to withdraw from course for first 8-week session without academic penalty
15	Midterm grades due for first 8-week session undergraduate courses – 12 p.m.
17	Online Admissions Event
22	Five-week grades due for 16-week general education and graduation req. courses
26	Fall Preview Day (Admissions event)
October 1-30	General Education Assessment window for any student graduating Fall 2020 or Spring 2021
2-3	Homecoming
7	Last day to add online undergraduate courses for the second 8-week session
7	Last day of classes/final examinations for first 8-week session
8	Fall Break – Classes in session
12	Classes begin for second 8-week session
12	Last day to add online graduate courses for the second 8-week session
12	Online Admissions Event
13	Final grades due for first 8-week session undergraduate courses
13	Midterm grades due for fall semester – 12 p.m.
14	Enrollment for Winterfest and Spring classes Start
15	Last day for adding seated/hybrid classes for second 8-week session
23	Last day to withdraw from classes without academic penalty
24	Fall Preview Day (Admissions event)



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November 7	Online Admissions Event
9	Last day to withdraw from courses from second 8-week session without academic penalty
10	Midterm grades due for second 8-week session undergraduate courses – 12 p.m.
12	All OLIS work turned into instructor for November graduation
20	Undergraduate Degree Commencement – 7 p.m.
23	Thanksgiving Break begins
30	Classes resume on-line
December 1	Employee Christmas Banquet, 6 p.m., Mellers Dining Commons, Bolivar
5	Scholars Day (Admissions virtual event)
7	Last day of classes
8-11	Final Examinations
15	All final grades due (including OLIS grades) – 4 p.m.
15	Online Admissions Event

## WinterFest 2021

Date	Event
December 14	Last day to add WinterFest online courses
15	Online Admissions Event
18	WinterFest online courses begin
January 2	WinterFest seated/hybrid courses begin – 8 a.m.
2	Classes are in session (Saturday)
4	Last day for adding WinterFest seated/hybrid classes
9	Classes are in session (Saturday)
13	Last day to withdraw from WinterFest classes without academic penalty
14	Online Admissions Event
16	Classes are in session (Saturday)
18	SBU Premier (Admissions event)
19	Final Examinations; Last day of WinterFest classes (including online courses)

## Spring 2021

Date	Event
January 15	Last day to add online undergraduate courses for the first 4, 8, and 16-week sessions
17	Returning students arrive
17-19	Winter Welcome for new students
18	Teacher's Camp II
18	SBU Premier (Admissions event)
19	Department Chair Workshop – 10 a.m.
20	Spring classes begin (8 a.m.), including online courses
20	Last day to add online graduate courses for the first 4, 8, and 16-week sessions
21	WinterFest grades due – 4 p.m.
25	Last day for adding seated or hybrid classes for first 8-week session
28	Last day for adding seated or hybrid classes for spring semester



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February 2	Last day for adding classes for international students and students returning from active military duty
6	Scholars Day (Admissions virtual event)
10	Undergraduate and Graduate deadline for May Intent to Graduate forms
15	SBU Premier (Admissions event)
16	Midterm grades due for first 8-week session undergraduate courses – 12 p.m.
17	Last day to withdraw from course for first 8-week session without academic penalty
23	Five-week grades due for 16-week general education and graduation req. courses
March 1-31	General Education Assessment window for any student graduating Spring 2021
1	Founders Day chapel
3	Enrollment for Summer and Fall classes starts
5-6	Bearcat Days #1 (Admissions event)
12	Last day of classes/final examinations for first 8-week session
15	Spring Vacation begins
17	Last day to add online undergraduate courses for the second 8-week sessions
22	Classes resume (8 a.m.); classes begin for second 8-week session
22	Last day to add online graduate courses for the second 8-week session
23	Final grades due for first 8-week session
23	Midterm grades due for spring semester undergraduate courses – 12 p.m.
23	Online Admissions Event
24	Last day for adding seated/hybrid classes for second 8-week session
30	Honors Banquet
April 1	Last day to withdraw from classes without academic penalty
2	Good Friday – no classes
5	Monday @ Southwest (Admissions event)
16-17	Bearcat Days #2 (Admissions event)
19	Last day to withdraw from courses for second 8-week session without academic penalty
20	Midterm grades due for second 8-week session – 12 p.m.
29	All OLIS work turned in to instructor for May graduation
29	Online Admissions Event
May 10	Last day of classes
11-14	Final Examinations
14	Last day of second 8 and 16-week online courses
14	Bachelor's Degree Commencement – 7 p.m.
15	Associate's Degree Commencement – 10 a.m.
15	Graduate Degree Commencement – 3 p.m.
18	All final grades due (including OLIS grades) – 4 p.m.
26	Last day to add online undergraduate courses for first 4 and 8-week summer sessions

## Summer 2021

Date	Event
June 1	First 4 and 8-week sessions begin, including online courses
1	Last day to add online graduate courses for first 4 and 8-week sessions



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2	Last day for adding seated and hybrid classes for first 4-week session
4	Last day for adding seated and hybrid classes for first 8-week session
5	Summer Orientation (USC Faculty and Admissions only)
15	Last day to withdraw from first 4-week session without academic penalty
19	Summer Orientation (USC Faculty and Admissions only)
23	Last day to add online undergraduate courses for second 4-week summer session
24	First 4-week session ends; final examinations, including online courses
28	SBU Summer Showcase (Admissions event)
28	Second 4-week session begins, including online courses
28	Last day to add online graduate courses for the second 4-week session
29	Last day to add seated and hybrid classes for second 4-week session
July 5	Independence Day - no classes
6	Last day to withdraw from 8-week session classes without academic penalty
13	Last day to withdraw from second 4-week session classes without academic penalty
22	Second 4-week and 8-week sessions end - final examinations, including online courses
27	All final grades due (including OLIS grades) - 4 p.m.