



greater Washington, D.C. metro area  
**ACADEMIC CALENDAR – 1**  
 Fall 2021 Semester  
 Winter 2021 Session

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Academic and Timetable Calendars: Drop/Add and Course Request Dates

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Tuition and Fees: Due Dates – Payments – Refunds – Financial Aid

**FALL 2021 SEMESTER**

**DROP/ADD (Registration) for Fall 2021 Classes - Opens Aug. 2, 2021**

Sat	Aug 21	New Graduate Student Orientation for students in the D.C. metro area.
<b>Mon</b>	<b>Aug 23</b>	<b>FALL 2021 CLASSES BEGIN.</b>
Mon	Aug 23	Last day to <i>WITHDRAW</i> from Fall semester to avoid tuition and fee charges.
Fri	Aug 27	Last day to add classes and to add or drop audit option.
Mon	Sep 6	Labor Day. NO Classes.
Fri	Oct 1	Last day to apply for Fall graduation to have name listed in Commencement Bulletin.
Fri	Oct 1	Fall Break. NO Classes.
Tue	Oct 5	Last day to web drop an individual Fall class without grade penalty.
Tue	Oct 5	Last day to change grade option from A-F to P/F by 5:00 p.m.
Mon	Oct 25	Last day to <i>RESIGN</i> without grade penalty by 5:00 p.m.
Mon	Oct 25	Last day to change grade option from P/F to A-F by 5:00 p.m.
Sun-Sat	Nov 20-28	Thanksgiving Holiday. NO Classes.
Wed	Dec 8	Last day to apply for <i>COURSE WITHDRAWAL (WG)</i> from Fall classes.
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Dec 8</b>	<b>FALL 2021 CLASSES END.</b>
Fri-Wed	Dec 10-15	Fall 2021 exams.
Fri	Dec 17	Fall 2021 Commencement Ceremony in Blacksburg.

**WINTER 2021 SESSION - Virtual, Blended or Winter Experience (VBW)**

**DROP/ADD (Registration) for Winter 2021 Classes - Opens: Aug. 2**

<b>Mon</b>	<b>Dec 27</b>	<b>WINTER 2021 CLASSES BEGIN.</b>
Mon	Dec 27	Last day to <i>WITHDRAW</i> from Winter Session to avoid tuition and fee charges.
Mon	Dec 27	Last day to add or drop classes.
Mon	Dec 27	Last day to change grade option from A-F to P/F or P/F to A-F by 5:00 p.m.
Tue	Jan 4	Last day to <i>RESIGN</i> without grade penalty by 5:00 p.m.
Fri	Jan 14	Last day to apply for <i>COURSE WITHDRAWAL (WG)</i> from Winter classes.
<b>Fri</b>	<b>Jan 14</b>	<b>WINTER 2021 CLASSES END.</b>
Sat	Jan 15	Winter 2021 exams.



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**ACADEMIC CALENDAR – 2**  
**Spring 2022 Semester**  
**Summer 2022 Sessions**

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**SPRING 2022 SEMESTER**

**COURSE REQUEST (Pre-Registration) for Spring 2022 Classes - Available: Oct. 19 - Nov. 2, 2021**

**DROP/ADD (Registration) for Spring 2022 Classes - Opens: Nov. 26, 2021**

Sat	Jan 15	New Graduate Student Orientation for students in the D.C. metro area.
Mon	Jan 17	Martin Luther King Day. NO classes.
<b>Tue</b>	<b>Jan 18</b>	<b>SPRING 2022 CLASSES BEGIN.</b>
Tue	Jan 18	Last day to <i>WITHDRAW</i> from Spring semester to avoid tuition and fee charges.
Mon	Jan 24	Last day to add classes and to add or drop audit option.
Fri	Feb 28	Last day to web drop an individual Spring class without grade penalty.
Fri	Feb 28	Last day to change grade option from A-F to P/F by 5:00 p.m.
Tue	Mar 1	Last day to apply for Spring graduation to have name listed in Commencement Bulletin.
Sat-Sun	Mar 5-13	Spring Break. NO classes.
Tue	Mar 29	Last day to <i>RESIGN</i> without grade penalty by 5:00 p.m.
Tue	Mar 29	Last day to change grade option from P/F to A-F by 5:00 p.m.
Wed	May 4	Last day to apply for <i>COURSE WITHDRAWAL (WG)</i> from Spring classes.
<b>Wed</b>	<b>May 4</b>	<b>SPRING 2022 CLASSES END.</b>
Fri-Wed	May 6-11	Spring 2022 exams.
Thu	May 12	Spring 2022 Commencement Ceremony in Blacksburg.
Sun	May 15	Spring 2022 Commencement Ceremony in the D.C. metro area.

**SUMMER 2022 SESSIONS**

**DROP/ADD (Registration) for Summer Classes - Opens: Mar. 15, 2022**

<b>SUMMER I</b>	<b>May 23 - Jul 1</b>	<b>SUMMER II</b>	<b>July 6 - Aug 12</b>	<b>SUMMER I-II</b>	<b>May 23 - Aug 12</b>
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**WITHDRAWALS – RESIGNATIONS – COURSE WITHDRAWALS**

<https://graduateschool.vt.edu/academics/what-you-need-to-graduate/forms.html>

**WITHDRAWALS:** Dropping ALL of your classes BEFORE the first day of the semester.

**RESIGNATIONS:** Dropping ALL of your classes AFTER the first day of the semester.

**COURSE WITHDRAWALS:** Dropping SOME of your classes AFTER the first day of the semester.

**If you wish to drop all of your classes, the Resignation/Withdrawal (W/D) is required.**

Your refund will be calculated according to the university refund policy on Withdrawals and Resignations.

**If you wish to withdraw from some of your courses, the Course Withdrawal (WG) is required.**

You will not receive a refund for Course Withdrawals.