

# Official Academic Calendar Fall 2020

**Note: All offices are closed on Saturdays and Sundays. All transactions must occur online.  
All email correspondence will be sent to UTD email address**

## Classes Begin

Full-term session..... Monday, August 17  
1st 8-week session..... Monday, August 17  
2nd 8-week session..... Monday, October 12

## Web Registration

Enrollment appointments available online.... Monday, March 23  
**All students should check their enrollment appointment details in Orion for the date and time they can begin registering.**

Schedule Planner Available ..... Monday, March 23  
Online add/drops/swap ends..... Monday, August 24

**Last Day for Re-admission/Re-entry .. Friday, August 7**

**Last Enrollment from Waitlist..... Thursday, August 13**

## Last Day for Regular Registration

Full-term session..... Thursday, August 13  
1st 8-week session..... Thursday, August 13  
2nd 8-week session..... Thursday, October 8

## Late Registration and Last Day to Add/Swap

*If you register or add during late registration, payment is due the same day you register. You will be assessed a minimum \$100 late registration fee. See Bursar's Office information.*

Full-term session..... Friday, Aug. 14 – Monday, Aug. 24  
1st 8-week session..... Friday, Aug. 14 – Monday, Aug. 24  
2nd 8-week session..... Friday, Oct. 9 – Monday, Oct. 19

## Census Day (State Reporting Date)

Full-term session..... Tuesday, September 1  
1st 8-week session..... Monday, August 24  
2nd 8-week session..... Monday, October 19

## Drop/Withdrawal Deadlines

*Please check Comet calendar for signature procedures.*

### Full-Term Session

Last day to drop a class without a "W" ..... Tues. Sept. 1  
Undergraduate Courses  
Approval required ..... Wed. Sept. 2 – Wed. Oct. 21  
WL Begins ..... Tuesday, September 29  
WL Ends..... Wednesday, October 21  
Graduate Courses  
Withdrawal Ends ..... Wednesday, October 21

### 1st 8-Week Session

Last day to drop a class without a "W" ..... Mon. Aug. 24  
Undergraduate Courses  
Approval required ..... Tues. Aug. 25 – Mon. Sept. 21  
WL Begins ..... Wednesday, September 9  
WL Ends..... Monday, September 21  
Graduate Courses  
Withdrawal Ends ..... Monday, September 21

### 2nd 8-Week Session

Last day to drop a class without a "W" ..... Mon. Oct. 19  
Undergraduate Courses  
Approval required ..... Tues. Oct. 20 – Thurs. Nov. 12  
WL Begins ..... Tuesday, November 3  
WL Ends..... Thursday, November 12  
Graduate Courses  
Withdrawal Ends ..... Thursday, November 12

## Last Day of Classes (Not including final exams)

Full-term session ..... Thursday, December 3  
1st 8-week session ..... Sunday, October 4  
2nd 8-week session ..... Thursday, December 3

## Reading Days (Study days prior to final exams)

Full-term & 2<sup>nd</sup> 8-week sessions only..... Friday, Dec. 4

## Final Exams

Full-term session ..... Sat. Dec. 5 – Fri. Dec. 11  
1st 8-week session ..... Mon. Oct. 5 – Sat. Oct. 10  
2nd 8-week session ..... Sat. Dec. 5 – Fri. Dec. 11

## Mid-Term Grades Due and Viewable Online

**All midterm grades must be submitted online.**

Midterm (undergraduate courses only) ..... Saturday, October 10

## Final Grading Period

**All grades must be received by Thursday, December 17.**

Full-term session ..... Sat. Dec. 5 – Thurs. Dec. 17  
1st 8-week session ..... Mon. Oct. 5 – Sat. Oct. 10  
2nd 8-week session ..... Sat. Dec. 5 – Thurs. Dec. 17

**Final Grades Viewable Online** (after posting) ... Mon. Dec. 14

## Graduation/Commencement (All Fall 2020 Sessions)

Graduation Application..... Tuesday, August 25  
Last day to change your primary name  
which will be printed on your diploma ..... TBA  
Commencement Activities..... Mon. Dec. 14 – Sat. Dec. 19  
Commencement tickets available online ..... TBA  
Doctoral hooding ceremony ..... TBA  
Degree conferral date ..... Saturday, December 19

*The following deadlines must be met by the dates listed and require visitation to the Office of Graduate Studies (OGS) website [www.utdallas.edu/ogs](http://www.utdallas.edu/ogs):*

Last day to request scheduling of  
final doctoral oral examination ..... TBA  
Last day to conduct  
final doctoral exam..... TBA  
Final day to upload final version of  
dissertation for review by OGS ..... TBA  
Final day to receive approval of final  
version of dissertation by OGS ..... TBA  
Final day to upload final version of  
master's thesis for review by OGS..... TBA  
Final day to receive approval of final  
version of master's thesis by OGS..... TBA

## University Closings

Labor Day ..... Monday, September 7  
Thanksgiving holidays..... Thurs. Nov. 26 – Sun. Nov. 29  
Winter break..... TBA

## No Classes:

Fall break ..... Mon. Nov. 23 – Wed. Nov. 25

## Incompletes

Incomplete grades due for undergraduates and graduates from  
previous long semester ..... Monday, October 12