

**WINONA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
**SPRING 2021 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**  
**Monday, January 11, 2021 – Thursday, May 6, 2021**  
**Commencement – Friday, May 7, 2021**

**SPRING 2021**

December – J TERM							January – J TERM						
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**J-Term and Spring 2021**

<b>General Registration Opens for WSU Students</b> .....	<b>Monday, November 2, 2020</b>
<b>Summer 2021 General Registration Opens for WSU Students</b> .....	<b>Monday, November 2, 2020</b>
<b>J Term Registration Opens</b> .....	<b>Monday, November 2, 2020</b>
First day to apply for Spring 2021 and Summer 2021 Graduation .....	Monday, November 2, 2020
<b>J Term Begins</b> .....	<b>Friday, December 11, 2020</b>
J Term Student break days (no classes/offices closed).....	<b>Thursday, December 24 – Friday December 25, 2020</b>
J Term Student break day (no classes/offices closed).....	<b>Friday, January 1, 2021</b>
New student/Transfer/PSEO registration for Spring 2021 .....	Friday, January 8, 2021
<b>J Term Ends</b> ( <i>Final exams are held during the last scheduled class meeting or as determined by instructor.</i> ).....	<b>Saturday, January 10, 2021</b>
J Term Grades Due, 12:00PM.....	Thursday, January 14, 2021
<b>Spring 2021 Classes Begin</b> .....	<b>Monday, January 11, 2021</b>
Online Wait-listing for Course Registration Ends at Noon .....	Wednesday, January 13, 2021
<b>Last day to drop Spring 2021 courses with 100% tuition refund</b> .....	<b>Friday, January 15, 2021</b>
Last day to add courses without instructor approval (Registration Overrides required after this date) .....	Friday, January 15, 2021
Last day to apply for Arranged Courses or Independent Studies .....	Friday, January 15, 2021
Last day to clear in-progress (IP) grades from Fall 2019 courses .....	Friday, January 15, 2021
<b>Registration Cancellation/Drop for Non-Payment: Students must pay or have made arrangements to pay</b>	
<b>Spring 2021 tuition by end of business day (4:30 P.M.)</b> .....	<b>Friday, January 15, 2021</b>
Martin Luther King holiday (no classes/offices closed) .....	<b>Monday, January 18, 2021</b>
Last day to submit Registration Overrides .....	Thursday, January 21, 2021
Financial Aid Disbursement .....	Friday, January 22, 2021
Student Break Day (no classes/offices open) .....	<b>Wednesday, February 10, 2021</b>
All University Assessment Day (regularly scheduled classes meeting before 3:30 p.m. are cancelled/labs and classes meeting once per week meet as scheduled/offices open).....	<b>Tuesday, February 16, 2021</b>
Minnesota Caucus Day: No Events or Courses after 6PM.....	Tuesday, February 23, 2021
<b>Midterm</b> .....	<b>Friday, March 5, 2021</b>
Last day to notify the Office of Graduate Studies of intent to take Summer Term Comprehensive Examinations.....	Friday, March 5, 2021
Last day to clear incompletes (I) from Fall 2020 courses.....	Friday, March 5, 2021
Last day to submit Application for Graduation for Spring 2021 and Summer 2021 and appear in the printed	
Spring 2021 commencement program – approved late applicants may still participate in commencement.....	Friday, March 5, 2021
Student Break Day (no classes/offices open) .....	<b>Tuesday, March 9, 2021</b>
Student Break Day (no classes/offices open) .....	<b>Wednesday, March 31, 2021</b>
<b>General Registration for Fall 2021 Opens for WSU Students</b> .....	<b>Monday, April 5, 2021</b>

**Withdrawing from Spring 2021 courses:** Withdrawal deadlines are set at 80% of the way through each listed course. Withdraw dates are posted online in the course information per section. Withdrawals are noted on the transcript with a **W**.

Student Spring Break Day (no classes/offices open) .....	Friday, April 16, 2021
Last day to change grade method on full term courses .....	Friday, April 23, 2021
Final Examinations .....	Mon-Thurs, April 26-29, 2021
Last Day of Classes & the Term.....	Thursday, May 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>Spring 2021 Commencement .....</b>	<b>Friday, May 7, 2021</b>
Grading Period.....	Fri-Wed, May 7-12, 2021
Summer 2021 Term Begins.....	Saturday, May 8, 2021
Grades Due, 12:00 noon.....	Wednesday, May 12, 2021

The University calendar is subject to modification or interruption due to occurrences such as fire, flood, labor disputes, service interruption, natural disaster, civil disorder, war, and changes in MinnState Board or WSU Policy. In the event of such occurrences, the University will attempt to accommodate its students. It does not, however, guarantee that courses of instruction, extracurricular activities or other University programs or events will be completed or rescheduled. Refunds will be made to eligible students in accordance with our governing board's policy.

\*Excerpt: **204C.03 Public meetings prohibited on election day.** Subd. 2. **State colleges and universities.** Except for regularly scheduled classes, no Minnesota state college or university shall schedule an event between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on the day that an election is held in any political subdivision in which the university or college is located. *Copyright 2005 by the Office of Revisor of Statutes, State of Minnesota.*