### Spring 2021 Academic Calendar

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| T Jan 12 | **Non-matriculated undergraduate registration begins** Link for policy and registration forms  
Cross-Registered registration begins Information link  
Visiting and Exchange student registration begins Information for visiting students and Information for exchange students |
| U Jan 17 | Returning Residents May Check Into Residence Halls after 10am |
| M Jan 18 | Martin Luther King Jr. Day Observed - Classes in session |
| T Jan 19 | **OFFICIAL FIRST DAY OF CLASSES**  
**Add/Drop Courses** Policy and Form  
Policy Update: *First-semester students who have not transferred in, do not have web access to change their schedules. They must have advisor's signature and must process add/drop during Academic Advising business hours* |
| Jan 19 - Jan 25 | **Add/Drop:** Course **Add** requires electronic permission from the instructor. All course schedule changes must be made at Records & Registration, WH 115 |
| Jan 26 - Feb 1 | **Add/Drop:** Course **Drop** requires electronic permission from the instructor. All course schedule changes must be made at Records & Registration, WH 115 |
| M Feb 1 | **Degree Applications for May 2021 due** in the Office of Records and Registration, WH 115  
More information including application  
All students who wish to have a degree or certificate conferred, must apply (undergraduate, graduate degrees and certificates of advanced study) |
| Feb 2 - Apr 5 | **Course Withdrawal Period:** A student may withdraw from a course that started at the beginning of the semester ($20 course withdrawal fee)  
Policy and procedure and Students elect course withdrawal here |
| M Feb 8 | **SPRING 2021 REGISTRATION ENDS**  
President's Day - Classes in session |
| T Feb 23 | **Deregistration for non-payment Spring 2021** Student Accounts website |
| M Mar 1 | **Last day for student to submit work due for course graded “I” (incomplete) for Fall 2020 and Winter 2021**  
**Degree Applications for August 2021** conferral due in the Office of Records and Registration - WH 115 for students who wish to participate in the MAY 2021 commencement ceremony  
More information including application  
All students who wish to have a degree or certificate conferred, even if they do not intend to participate in graduation, must apply (undergraduate, graduate degrees and certificates of advanced study) |
| M Mar 1 | **Study Abroad:** Deadline for Summer semester applications at 11:59 pm EDT Information |
| M Mar 8 | **Mid-Point of Spring 2021 semester**  
Spring Break - No classes |
| F Mar 12 | Last day for instructor to submit grade change for an “I” (incomplete) for Fall 2020 and Winter 2021  
Incomplete grading policy |
| Mar 15 - Mar 19 | Spring Break - No classes |
| M Mar 29 | **Last day for Course Withdrawal** Faculty see update to the academic integrity policies affecting course withdrawal and Students elect course withdrawal here |
| R Apr 1 | **Study Abroad:** Deadline for Fall semester and Academic Year applications at 11:59 pm EDT Information |
| M Apr 5 | Last day for student elected Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory option Policy and Students elect S/U here |
| M Apr 12 | Summer Session 2021 registration begins More information |
| Apr 12 - Aug 16 | **Advance Registration for Fall 2021 Schedule of classes**  
**April 15 - Matriculated Graduate student registration begins**  
**April 22 - Matriculated Undergraduate student registration begins**  
**April 29 - Non-Matriculated Graduate student registration begins** (REGISTRATION FOR GRADUATE COURSES ONLY)  
**August 19 - Non-matriculated, Cross-Registered, and Visiting Undergraduate registration begins** |
| Apr 21 - May 5 | **Student Evaluation of Instruction (SEI) administration**  
Student elect S/U here  
Students elect course withdrawal here |
| S May 1 | **Degree Applications for August 2021** conferral due in the Office of Records and Registration - WH 115 for students who wish to participate in the MAY 2021 commencement ceremony  
More information including application  
All students who wish to have a degree or certificate conferred, must apply (undergraduate, graduate degrees and certificates of advanced study) |
| May 1 - Oct 1 | **Study Abroad:** Applications open for Intersession semester, Spring semester and Calendar Year Information |
| M May 3 | Undergraduates: Last day to take a leave of absence or withdraw from College Form  
Last day of classes for Spring 2021  
Study Day/Make-up Class Day  
Common Exam Day |
| R May 6 | Final Examinations Final exam calendar |
| May 7 - May 13 | End of Spring 2021 semester  
Graduate Commencement Ceremony, SUNY New Paltz, 6 pm-7:30 am  
Residence Halls close 10 am Students who are graduating can stay until after their Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony  
Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony (College of Liberal Arts and Sciences), SUNY New Paltz, 10 am  
Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony (Schools of Business, Education, Fine & Performing Arts, Science & Engineering), SUNY New Paltz, 10 am  
Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony (Schools of Business, Education, Fine & Performing Arts, Science & Engineering), SUNY New Paltz, 10 am |
| T May 18 | Last day for faculty to submit final grades (due by 2pm) Information about grades |
| W Sep 1 | **Degree Applications for December 2021** due in the Office of Records and Registration (Students participate in May 2022 ceremony) More information and application |

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1. Important information regarding refund periods  
2. The $40 late registration fee and $20 course change/withdrawal fee are an addition to course tuition. Please visit the Student Accounts web page for additional tuition information.
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