

Spring Semester 2020

Date	Description
January 2 - 3	Graduate Teaching Assistant Workshop
January 5	Deadline for international applications for Distance Unclassified or domestic Unclassified applications for Starkville, Meridian, Distance campuses--Spring semester
January 6	Classes begin
January 10	Last day to drop a class without a grade (5th class day) - 5:00 PM
January 13- March 20	Apply via MyState for May graduation - \$50 fee
January 13	Last day to register or add a class (6th class day) - 8:00 AM
January 20	Holiday - no classes scheduled
February 1	Last day for doctoral preliminary/comprehensive examination for August graduation
February 8	Last day for TAGGS Spring application (Travel period January 1 – June 30)
February 25	Mid-point of semester
February 25	Last day to drop a course with a W grade (36th class day) - 5:00 PM
March 1	Deadline for international applicants to apply for: all degree programs or Unclassified Starkville or Meridian campus--Summer semester
March 9 - 13	Spring Break
March 16-27	Faculty advising for pre-registration (some departments begin earlier)
March 20	Last day for thesis/dissertation for May graduation
March 20	Last day to apply via MyState for May graduation - \$50 fee
March 21 – April 22	Late degree application via MyState for May graduation - \$50 fee plus \$100 late fee
March 27	Last day for initial submission of thesis/dissertation to the Library for May graduation
March 27	Last day for department to submit signed examination results to the Graduate School for May graduation
March 30 – April 13	Pre-registration for Summer and Fall semesters
April 6 – 10	Grad Student Appreciation Week
April 9	Last day to withdraw from the University (10 class days remaining)
April 10	Holiday - no classes scheduled
April 22	Last day for late degree application via MyState for May graduation - \$50 fee plus \$100 late fee
April 22	Classes end

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April 22	Deadline for graduate students receiving incomplete grade in previous semester to submit required coursework
April 23	Reading Day
April 24	Last day for final submission of Library-approved thesis/dissertation to Library for May graduation
April 24 - 29	Final examinations
April 29	Last day for non-thesis comprehensive exam for May graduation and eligibility for GRD 9011 for Summer term
May 1	Deadline for international applicants to apply for: degree programs or Unclassified Starkville or Meridian campus-- Fall semester
May 1	Deadline for domestic applicants to apply for degree programs for Starkville/Meridian campus-- Summer semester
April 30	MSU-Meridian Campus Commencement, MSU Riley Center
April 30	Starkville Campus Commencement – 3:30 p.m. (Processional at 3:00 p.m.) - Humphrey Coliseum <ul style="list-style-type: none">• College of Education• Business & Adkerson School of Accountancy
May 1	Last day for May 2020 degree applicants to pay account balance
May 1	Starkville Campus Commencement – 9:30 a.m. (Processional at 9:00 a.m.) - Humphrey Coliseum <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colleges of Arts and Sciences• Architecture• Art and Design• Veterinary Medicine (MS & PhD only)
May 1	Starkville Campus Commencement – 3:30 p.m. (Processional at 3:00 p.m.) - Humphrey Coliseum <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bagley College of Engineering• College of Agriculture & Life Sciences• College of Forest Resources• College of Veterinary Medicine (Undergraduate, Master, & PhD candidates)• University Studies (C2C)
May 4	Final grades due - 10:00 AM
May 15	Deadline for all applicants to apply for Distance degree programs for Summer semester