

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 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 thesis/dissertation 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 3	Last day for initial submission of thesis/dissertation to the Library for May graduation
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
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- POSTPONED
April 30	Starkville Campus Commencement – POSTPONED
May 1	Last day for May 2020 degree applicants to pay account balance
May 1	Virtual Commencement - 2:00 PM (All degree levels [except DVM] will be included in this ceremony)
May 4	Final grades due - 10:00 AM
May 15	Deadline for all applicants to apply for Distance degree programs for Summer semester
May 22	Deadline to enroll in GRD 9011 for Summer term, once all other requirements are met except thesis/dissertation submission to the Library.