

**Department of Health Professions
Physician Assistant Studies Program**

**Academic Calendar
Fall 2020 – Summer 2021**

Fall Semester 2020

August 17, 2020 (MON)	Classes begin for PAS students
August 31, 2020 (MON)	Last Day for Drop/Add
September 7, 2020 (MON)	NO CLASSES - Campus Closed - Labor Day Holiday
November 3, 2020 (TUE)	NO CLASSES – Election Day
November 6, 2020 (FRI)	NO CLASSES - MUSC Student Research Day
November 26 - 27 2020 (THU-FRI)	NO CLASSES – Campus Closed - Thanksgiving
December 8, 2020 (TUE)	Classes end
December 9 - 11, 2020 (WED-FRI)	Final examinations
Final Grades due December 14, 2020 (MON)	

Spring Semester 2021

January 4, 2021 (MON)	Classes begin for PAS students
January 8, 2021 (FRI)	NO CLASSES - Interprofessional Education Day Attendance Required
January 18, 2021 (FRI)	NO CLASSES - Campus Closed - MLK Holiday
January 19, 2021 (TUE)	Last Day for Drop/Add
March 8 - 12, 2021 (MON-FRI)	NO CLASSES - Spring Break
April 27, 2021 (TUE)	Classes end
April 28 - 29, 2021 (WED-THR)	Final examinations
Final grades due April 30, 2021 (FRI)	

Summer Semester 2021

May 19 - 20, 2021 (WED-THR)	Orientation for New PAS Students
May 21, 2021 (FRI)	Classes begin for New PAS Students
May 24, 2021 (MON)	Classes begin for 2 nd and 3 rd year PAS students
May 28, 2021 (FRI)	Last Day for Drop/Add
May 31, 2021 (MON)	NO CLASSES - Campus Closed - Memorial Day Holiday
July 5, 2021 (MON)	NO CLASSES - Campus closed - July 4 th Holiday Observed
July 23, 2021 (FRI)	Classes end for 3 rd Year Students
July 30, 2021 (FRI)	Classes end for 1 st & 2 nd Year Students
August 2 - 5, 2021 (MON-THR)	Final examinations for 1 st Year Students
	Final examinations & Clinical Orientation for 2 nd Year Students
August 6, 2021 (FRI)	PAS White Coat (AM) PAS Graduation (PM)
Final Grades due July 26, 2021 (MONDAY) for 3rd Year Students	
Final grades due August 10, 2021 (TUESDAY) for 1st & 2nd Year Students	

NOTE: This Calendar is *subject to change* if unforeseen circumstances warrant.

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