

**OFFICIAL DATES FOR TERMS  
LAW**

**Payment Due Dates:**

See SMU Bursar website at <http://www.smu.edu/EnrollmentServices/Bursar/DueDates>

***FALL TERM 2020***

60% Date	Tuesday, October 27
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of class	Monday, August 17
Last Day to: enroll, add a course, or drop a course without tuition billing while remaining enrolled for the term	Friday, August 21
Last Day to: drop a course <b>without academic record</b> (tuition charges apply) / withdraw from university <b>without academic record</b> (withdrawal refund schedule applies)	Friday, August 28
Labor Day Holiday (University closed)	Monday, September 7
Last Day to drop (grade of W)	Monday, November 23
Last Day of instruction	Monday, November 23
Last Day to withdraw from the University (grade of W)	Monday, November 23
Reading Day	Tuesday, November 24
No Classes	Wednesday, November 25
Thanksgiving Holiday	Thursday-Friday, November 26-27
Reading Day	Monday, November 30
Final Exams Begin	Tuesday, December 1
Final Exams End	Friday, December 11
Official close of term, degree conferral date and December Commencement	Saturday, December 19

University Holiday	Wed. - Friday, December 23 - January 1
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***SPRING TERM 2021***

60% Date	Wednesday, March 24
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of class	Thursday, January 7
Last Day to: enroll, add a course, or drop a course without tuition billing while remaining enrolled for the term	Wednesday, January 13
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday (University closed)	Monday, January 18
Last Day to: drop a course <b>without academic record</b> (tuition charges apply) / withdraw from university <b>without academic record</b> (withdrawal refund schedule applies)	Thursday, January 21
<i>Follow Monday Class Schedule</i>	Thursday, March 4
Spring Break	Monday-Friday, March 8-12 ( <i>TENTATIVE</i> )
Good Friday (University closed)	Friday, April 2
Last Day to drop (grade of W)	Friday, April 23
Last Day of instruction	Friday, April 23
Last Day to withdraw from the University (grade of W)	Friday, April 23
Reading Day	Monday, April 26
Final Exams Begin	Tuesday, April 27
Final Exams End	Friday, May 7
Official close of term, degree conferral date, May Commencement and Law School Hooding Ceremony	Saturday, May 15

***MAY TERM 2021***

60% Date	Sunday, May 30
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Class	Monday, May 10
Last Day to add/drop, enroll	Tuesday, May 11
Memorial Day (University closed)	Monday, May 31
Last Day to drop (grade of W)	Tuesday, June 8
Last Day of instruction	Tuesday, June 8
Last Day to withdraw from the University (grade of W)	Tuesday, June 8
Reading Days	Wednesday-Thursday, June 9-10
Final Exams	Friday, June 11
Official close of term and degree conferral date	No degrees conferred after May Term

***SUMMER TERM 2021***

60% Date	Monday, June 21
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Class	Monday, May 17
Last Day to add/drop, enroll	Thursday, May 20
Memorial Day (University closed)	Monday, May 31
Independence Day (University closed)	Monday, July 5
Last Day to drop (grade of W)	Tuesday, July 6
Last Day of instruction	Tuesday, July 6
Last Day to withdraw from the University (grade of W)	Tuesday, July 6

Reading Days	Wednesday-Thursday, July 7-8
Final Exams Begin	Friday, July 9
Final Exams End	Monday, July 12
Official close of term and degree conferral date	Wednesday, August 4

***AUGUST TERM 2021***

*Each August Term course may have unique start and end dates within the August 2-12 term to accommodate the particular needs of the course.*

60% Date	Monday, August 9
1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Class	Monday, August 2
Last Day to add/drop, enroll	Monday, August 2
Last Day to drop (grade of W)	Tuesday, August 10
Last Day of instruction	Tuesday, August 10
Last Day to withdraw from the University (grade of W)	Tuesday, August 10
Reading Days	Wednesday, August 11
Final Exams	Thursday, August 12
Official close of term and degree conferral date	No degrees conferred after August Term

*Updated 2/6/2020*