WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

December 14, 2018

Report 18.12/4
Academic Years 2020-2021 through 2024-2025 Academic Calendars

In accordance with WIU Board of Trustees Regulations §III.B, the University has developed a University Calendar containing significant academic dates and events during the twelve-month period commencing with each fall term. Earlier this semester, the Academic Calendar Committee met to develop a proposed five-year calendar beginning FL 2020. Attached are the committee's recommendations for five new calendars (2020-21 through 2024-25); these recommendations were approved by President Thomas on December 3, 2018. A list of the committee members and additional committee documentation are available on the Provost's web site at http://www.wiu.edu/provost/calendar/proposed.php.

Western Illinois University Academic Calendar 2020-2021

Fall Semester, 2020

August 24, Monday Classes Begin

August 28, Friday Open Registration Ends (FL 2020)
August 31–September 4, Monday–Friday September 7, Monday Labor Day (University Closed)

September 8, Tuesday
October 2, Friday
October 5, Monday
Classes Resume
Fall Break (No Classes)
Classes Resume

November 1, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

November 2, Monday

November 20, Friday

November 23, Monday

November 23–25, Monday—Wednesday

Advance Registration Begins (SP 2021)

Open Registration Begins (SP 2021)

Thanksgiving Break (No Classes)

November 26–27, Thursday–Friday Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)

November 30, Monday Classes Resume
December 14–18, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

December 19, Saturday Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Spring Semester, 2021

January 18, Monday Dr. Martin Luther King Day (University Closed)

January 19, Tuesday Classes Begin

January 25, Monday

January 26–February 1, Tuesday–Monday
February 12, Friday

Open Registration Ends (SP 2021)
Restricted Registration (SP 2021)
Lincoln's Birthday (University Closed)

February 15, Monday Classes Resume

March 15–19, Monday–Friday Spring Break (No Classes)

March 22, Monday Classes Resume

April 1, Thursday Advance Registration Begins (SU/FL 2021)

April 4, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

April 16, Friday Advance Registration Ends (SU/FL 2021)
April 19, Monday Open Registration Begins (SU/FL 2021)

May 10–14, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

May 14, Friday Graduate Commencement
May 15, Saturday Undergraduate Commencement

May 16, Sunday WIU–QC Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Summer Session, 2021 Summer session open registration, restricted registration, and withdrawal dates

vary.

Check STARS Course Search for details.

May 17, Monday Pre-Session Begins

May 31, Monday Memorial Day (University Closed)
June 1, Tuesday Pre-Session Classes Resume

June 4, Friday Pre-Session Ends

June 7, Monday Eight-Week, Six Week, and First Four-Week Sessions Begin

July 2, Friday First Four-Week Session Ends

July 5, Monday Independence Day Observed (University Closed)

July 6, Tuesday Classes Resume

July 6, Tuesday Second Four-Week Session Begins

July 16, FridaySix-Week Session EndsJuly 30, FridayAll Remaining Sessions End

Western Illinois University Academic Calendar 2021-2022

Fall Semester, 2021

August 23, Monday Classes Begin

August 27, Friday Open Registration Ends (FL 2021)
August 30–September 3, Monday–Friday September 6, Monday Labor Day (University Closed)

September 7, Tuesday
October 8, Friday
October 11, Monday
Classes Resume
Fall Break (No Classes)
Classes Resume

October 31, Sunday

Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

November 1, Monday

November 19, Friday

November 22, Monday

November 22–24, Monday—Wednesday

Advance Registration Begins (SP 2022)

Open Registration Begins (SP 2022)

Thanksgiving Break (No Classes)

November 25–26, Thursday–Friday Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)

November 29, Monday Classes Resume
December 13–17, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

December 18, Saturday Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Spring Semester, 2022

January 17, Monday Dr. Martin Luther King Day (University Closed)

January 18, Tuesday Classes Begin

January 24, Monday Open Registration Ends (SP 2022) January 25–31, Tuesday–Monday Restricted Registration (SP 2022)

February 11, Friday Lincoln's Birthday Observed (University Closed)

February 14, Monday Classes Resume

March 14–18, Monday–Friday Spring Break (No Classes)

March 21, Monday Classes Resume

April 3, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

April 4, Monday Advance Registration Begins (SU/FL 2022)
April 22, Friday Advance Registration Ends (SU/FL 2022)
April 25, Monday Open Registration Begins (SU/FL 2022)

May 9–13, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

May 13, Friday Graduate Commencement
May 14, Saturday Undergraduate Commencement

May 15, Sunday WIU–QC Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Summer Session, 2022 Summer session open registration, restricted registration, and withdrawal dates

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May 16, Monday Pre-Session Begins

May 30, Monday Memorial Day (University Closed)
May 31, Tuesday Pre-Session Classes Resume

June 3, Friday Pre-Session Ends

June 6, Monday Eight-Week, Six Week, and First Four-Week Sessions Begin

July 1, Friday First Four-Week Session Ends

July 4, Monday Independence Day (University Closed)

July 5, Tuesday Classes Resume

July 5, Tuesday Second Four-Week Session Begins

July 15, FridaySix-Week Session EndsJuly 29, FridayAll Remaining Sessions End

Western Illinois University Academic Calendar 2022-2023

Fall Semester, 2022

August 22, Monday Classes Begin

August 26, Friday Open Registration Ends (FL 2022)
August 29–September 2, Monday–Friday September 5, Monday

Comparison Ends (FL 2022)

Restricted Registration (FL 2022)

Labor Day (University Closed)

September 6, Tuesday Classes Resume
October 14, Friday Fall Break (No Classes)

October 17, Monday Classes Resume

October 30, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

November 1, Tuesday
November 18, Friday
November 21, Monday
November 21–23, Monday—Wednesday

Advance Registration Begins (SP 2023)
Advance Registration Ends (SP 2023)
Open Registration Begins (SP 2023)
Thanksgiving Break (No Classes)

November 24–25, Thursday–Friday Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)

November 28, Monday Classes Resume
December 12–16, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

December 17, Saturday Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Spring Semester, 2023

January 16, Monday Dr. Martin Luther King Day (University Closed)

January 17, Tuesday Classes Begin

January 23, Monday Open Registration Ends (SP 2023) January 24–30, Tuesday–Monday Restricted Registration (SP 2023)

February 13, Monday Lincoln's Birthday Observed (University Closed)

February 14, Tuesday Classes Resume

March 13–17, Monday–Friday Spring Break (No Classes)

March 20, Monday Classes Resume

April 2, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

April 3, Monday Advance Registration Begins (SU/FL 2023)
April 21, Friday Advance Registration Ends (SU/FL 2023)
April 24, Monday Open Registration Begins (SU/FL 2023)

May 8–12, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

May 12, Friday Graduate Commencement
May 13, Saturday Undergraduate Commencement

May 14, Sunday WIU–QC Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Summer Session, 2023 Summer session open registration, restricted registration, and withdrawal dates

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May 15, Monday Pre-Session Begins

May 29, Monday Memorial Day (University Closed)
May 30, Tuesday Pre-Session Classes Resume

June 2, Friday Pre-Session Ends

June 5, Monday Eight-Week, Six Week, and First Four-Week Sessions Begin

June 30, FridayFirst Four-Week Session EndsJuly 3, MondaySecond Four-Week Session BeginsJuly 4, TuesdayIndependence Day (University Closed)

July 5, Wednesday Classes Resume

July 14, Friday
Six-Week Session Ends
All Remaining Sessions End

Western Illinois University Academic Calendar 2023-2024

Fall Semester, 2023

August 21, Monday Classes Begin

August 25, Friday Open Registration Ends (FL 2023)
August 28–September 1, Monday–Friday September 4, Monday Labor Day (University Closed)

September 5, Tuesday Classes Resume
October 13, Friday Fall Break (No Classes)

October 16, Monday Classes Resume

October 29, Sunday

Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

November 1, Wednesday
November 17, Friday
November 20, Monday
November 20–22, Monday—Wednesday
Advance Registration Begins (SP 2024)
Open Registration Begins (SP 2024)
Thanksgiving Break (No Classes)

November 23–24, Thursday–Friday Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)

November 27, Monday Classes Resume
December 11–15, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

December 16, Saturday Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Spring Semester, 2024

January 15, Monday Dr. Martin Luther King Day (University Closed)

January 16, Tuesday Classes Begin

January 22, Monday Open Registration Ends (SP 2024)
January 23–29, Tuesday–Monday Restricted Registration (SP 2024)
February 12, Monday Lincoln's Birthday (University Closed)

February 13, Tuesday Classes Resume

March 11–15, Monday–Friday Spring Break (No Classes)

March 18, Monday Classes Resume

March 31, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

April 1, Monday
Advance Registration Begins (SU/FL 2024)
April 19, Friday
Advance Registration Ends (SU/FL 2024)
April 22, Monday
Open Registration Begins (SU/FL 2024)

May 6–10, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

May 10, Friday Graduate Commencement
May 11, Saturday Undergraduate Commencement

May 12, Sunday WIU–QC Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

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May 13, Monday Pre-Session Begins

May 27, Monday Memorial Day (University Closed)
May 28, Tuesday Pre-Session Classes Resume

May 31, Friday Pre-Session Ends

June 3, Monday Eight-Week, Six Week, and First Four-Week Sessions Begin

June 28, FridayFirst Four-Week Session EndsJuly 1, MondaySecond Four-Week Session BeginsJuly 4, ThursdayIndependence Day (University Closed)

July 5, Friday Classes Resume

July 12, FridaySix-Week Session EndsJuly 26, FridayAll Remaining Sessions End

Western Illinois University Academic Calendar 2024-2025

Fall Semester, 2024

August 19, Monday Classes Begin

August 23, Friday Open Registration Ends (FL 2024)
August 26–30, Monday–Friday Restricted Registration (FL 2024)
September 2, Monday Labor Day (University Closed)

September 3, Tuesday Classes Resume

October TBD, Friday Fall Break (No Classes)

October TBD, Monday Classes Resume

October 27, Sunday

Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

November 4, Monday

November 22, Friday

November 25, Monday

November 25, Monday

November 25–27, Monday—Wednesday

Advance Registration Begins (SP 2025)

Open Registration Begins (SP 2025)

Thanksgiving Break (No Classes)

November 28–29, Thursday–Friday Thanksgiving Holiday (University Closed)

December 2, Monday Classes Resume
December 9–13, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

December 14, Saturday Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

Spring Semester, 2025

January 13, Monday Classes Begin

January 17, Friday Open Registration Ends (SP 2025)

January 20, Monday Dr. Martin Luther King Day (University Closed)

January 21, Tuesday Classes Resume

January 21–27, Tuesday–Monday Restricted Registration (SP 2025)
February 12, Wednesday Lincoln's Birthday (University Closed)

February 13, Thursday Classes Resume

March 10–14, Monday–Friday Spring Break (No Classes)

March 17, Monday Classes Resume

March 30, Sunday Last Day to Drop Classes or Withdraw from University

April 1, Tuesday

Advance Registration Begins (SU/FL 2025)

April 18, Friday

Advance Registration Ends (SU/FL 2025)

April 21, Monday

Open Registration Begins (SU/FL 2025)

May 5–9, Monday–Friday Final Exam Week

May 9, Friday

Graduate Commencement

Undergraduate Commencement

Undergraduate Commencement

May 11, Sunday WIU–QC Undergraduate and Graduate Commencement

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May 12, Monday Pre-Session Begins

May 26, Monday Memorial Day (University Closed)
May 27, Tuesday Pre-Session Classes Resume

May 30, Friday Pre-Session Ends

June 2, Monday Eight-Week, Six Week, and First Four-Week Sessions Begin

June 27, FridayFirst Four-Week Session EndsJune 30, MondaySecond Four-Week Session BeginsJuly 4, FridayIndependence Day (University Closed)

July 7, Monday Classes Resume

July 11, FridaySix-Week Session EndsJuly 25, FridayAll Remaining Sessions End