

Ball State University 2020-2021 Academic Calendar

Fall Semester (August 24, 2020-December 18, 2020)

August 21, Friday	Faculty Meetings Academic Year for Faculty Begins.
August 22, Saturday	Saturday Classes Meet
August 24, Monday	Fall Semester Classes Begin
September 7, Monday	Labor Day – Classes in Session Some university administrative offices may be closed.
November 25-29, Wednesday-Sunday	Thanksgiving Recess – No Classes University administrative offices close at noon Wednesday.
November 30, Monday	Classes Resume with Online Delivery
December 12, Saturday	Final Examination Day for Saturday Classes
December 14, Monday	Fall Semester Classes End
December 15-18, Tuesday-Friday	Fall Final Examination Period
December 18, Friday	Fall Semester Ends
December 19, Saturday	December Commencement postponed until Spring 2021
December 19, 2020-January 18, 2021	Semester Break

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Spring Semester (January 19, 2021-May 7, 2021)

January 19, Tuesday	University classes for Spring Semester begin
February 24, Wednesday	Study Day
March 23, Tuesday	Study Day
April 14, Wednesday	Study Day
May 1, Saturday	Final Examination day for Saturday classes
May 3, Monday	Last meeting day for regular classes
May 4-May 7, Tuesday-Friday	Final Examination Period
May 7, Friday	Spring Semester ends
May 8, Saturday	May Commencement

Study Day Description:

Campus will remain open and students are expected to remain on campus, but classes are not expected to be held. These are not university holidays and are not expected to be void of all academic activities such as mentoring activities, internships, field experiences or clinical labs as necessary to meet learning outcomes. Academic activities will not introduce new material, require examinations or have assignments due on these days.

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Summer Semester (May 17, 2021-July 23, 2021)

May 17, Monday	University classes begin for Part of Term 1 (full summer term). University classes begin for Part of Term 21 (first half term).
May 31, Monday	Memorial Day – no classes University administrative offices closed.
June 18, Friday	Part of Term 21 (first half term) ends.
June 21, Monday	University classes begin for Part of Term 22 (second half term).
July 5, Monday	Independence Day Observance – no classes University administrative offices closed.
July 23, Friday	Part of Term 1 ends (full summer term). Part of Term 22 ends (second half term).
July 24, Saturday	July Commencement

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