

Academic Calendar Fall 2020

AUGUST

T	11	Graduate School Orientation
W	12	School of Medicine – Graduate Orientation
M	17	First day of classes
M	24	Last Day to “ADD” a course [This is a change]
T	27	F31 NOW Workshop
M	31	Last Day to “DROP” a course [This is a new entry]

SEPTEMBER

W	2	Degree Completion Workshop
F	4	Last Day for fall degree candidates to submit eServices graduation applications for December degrees
M	7	Labor Day Holiday – University closed
T	15	30 th day of the fall semester

OCTOBER

T	27	Spring semester advance registration begins
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NOVEMBER

T	3	University closed [This is a new entry]
W	4	Deadline to submit completed “Notice of Final X Examination” to School of Medicine Office of Graduate Education for fall degree completion

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W	11	Veterans Day – University open – Classes in Session
W	18	Last day to hold final defense for fall degree completion
T	24	Last day to “Withdraw” from a course with a grade of “W” [This is a date change]
T	24	Last day of classes [This is a date and entry change]
W-Sn	25-29	University closed – Closing at 12 p.m. on Nov 25
M-F	30 – Dec 4	Final examinations, held remotely – MCV campus [This is a date and entry change]
M	30	Deadline for initiating Electronic Thesis/Dissertation (ETD) for signatures for fall degree completion

DECEMBER

R	3	Electronic Thesis/Dissertation Approval Form (ETD) completed by noon. Do not follow other deadlines.
F	3	Final date for submission of thesis/dissertation to the VCU Scholars Compass [This is a date change]
M	7	Last day for grades of incomplete to be converted from spring semester or summer sessions
TBA	TBA	December universitywide commencement ceremony [This is a date change]
M	14	Final grades are due by noon using Faculty eServices [This is a date change]
S	19	Official Date for certifying December diplomas
M-F	21 – Jan 1	University closed