

**Western Carolina University**  
**2019-2020 Academic Calendar**  
**FALL 2019 FINAL**

<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
<b>Aug 19- All classes begin</b>	Aug 20	Aug 21	Aug 22	Aug 23
Aug 26	Aug 27	Aug 28	Aug 29	Aug. 30
<b>Sept. 2- Labor Day- No Classes</b>	Sept. 3	Sept. 4	Sept. 5	Sept. 6
Sept. 9	Sept. 10	Sept. 11	Sept. 12	Sept. 13
Sept. 16	Sept. 17	Sept. 18	Sept. 19	Sept. 20
Sept. 23	Sept. 24	Sept. 25	Sept. 26	Sept. 27
Sept. 30	Oct. 1	Oct. 2	Oct. 3	Oct. 4
Oct. 7	Oct. 8	Oct. 9	Oct. 10	Oct. 11
<b>Oct. 14 Fall Break *No Classes</b>	<b>Oct. 15 Fall Break *No Classes</b>	<b>Oct. 16 Fall Break *No Classes</b>	<b>Oct. 17 Fall Break *No Classes</b>	<b>Oct. 18 Fall Break *No Classes</b>
Oct. 21	Oct. 22	Oct. 23	Oct. 24	<b>Oct. 25-last day for "W"</b>
Oct. 28	<b>Oct. 29-Advising Day. No Classes</b>	Oct. 30	Oct. 31	Nov. 1
Nov. 4	Nov. 5	Nov. 6	Nov. 7	Nov. 8
Nov. 11	Nov. 12	Nov. 13	Nov. 14	Nov. 15
Nov. 18	Nov. 19	Nov. 20	Nov. 21	Nov. 22
Nov. 25	Nov. 26	<b>Nov. 27 Thanksgiving</b>	<b>Nov. 28 Thanksgiving</b>	<b>Nov. 29 Thanksgiving</b>
Dec. 2	Dec. 3	Dec. 4	Dec. 5	<b>Dec. 6-Last day of classes</b>
<b>Dec. 9- Final Exams</b>	<b>Dec. 10- Final Exams</b>	<b>Dec. 11- Final Exams</b>	<b>Dec. 12- Final Exams</b>	<b>Dec. 13- Final Exams</b>
<i>15 -Mondays</i>	<i>15 -Tuesdays</i>	<i>15-Wednesdays</i>	<i>15-Thursdays</i>	<i>15-Fridays</i>

**75 Class Days**

**Residence Halls Open – Aug. 16, 2019**  
**First Day of Classes – Monday, Aug. 19, 2019**  
**Labor Day – No Classes – Monday, Sept. 2, 2019**  
**Census Date – Friday, August 30, 2019**  
**Fifth Week Grades Due- Monday, Sept. 23, 2019**

**Fall Break – No Classes, Monday-Friday, Oct. 14-18, 2019**  
**Last Day to drop with a "W" – Friday, Oct. 26, 2018**  
**Homecoming – Saturday, Oct. 26, 2019 (unofficial)**  
**Advising Day- Tuesday, Oct. 29, 2019**  
**Thanksgiving. No Classes. Wed. Thurs., Fri. Nov. 27-29, 2019**  
**Last Day of Classes – Friday, Dec. 6, 2019**  
**Final Exams – Saturday-Friday, December 7-13, 2019**  
**All Grades Due by 10:00 AM on Monday, Dec. 16, 2019**  
**Commencement - Saturday, Dec. 14, 2019**

**EIGHT WEEK SESSION DATES:**

**First 8Wk** Begins Monday, August 19  
Last Day to Withdraw – Friday September 13  
Ends – Friday October 11

**Last 8Wk** Begins Monday, October 14  
Last Day to Withdraw – Friday November 8  
Ends – Friday Dec 6

**\*(8 Week Session students do not observe Fall Break)**

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**SPRING 2020 *FINAL***

<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
				<b>Jan. 10 Orientation &amp; Registration</b>
<b>Jan. 13 –All classes begin</b>	Jan. 14	Jan. 15	Jan. 16	Jan. 17
<b>Jan. 20 – MLK Holiday – No Classes</b>	Jan. 21	Jan. 22	Jan. 23	Jan. 24
Jan. 27	Jan. 28	Jan. 29	Jan. 30	Jan. 31
Feb. 3	Feb. 4	Feb. 5	Feb. 6	Feb. 7
Feb. 10	Feb. 11	Feb. 12	Feb. 13	Feb. 14
Feb. 17	Feb. 18	Feb. 19	Feb. 20	Feb. 21
Feb. 24	<b>Feb. 25- Advising Day. No Classes.</b>	Feb. 26	Feb. 27	Feb. 28
Mar. 2	Mar. 3	Mar. 4	Mar. 5	Mar. 6
<b>Mar. 9-Spring Break *No Classes</b>	<b>Mar. 10-Spring Break No Classes</b>	<b>Mar. 11-Spring Break No Classes</b>	<b>Mar. 12-Spring Break No Classes</b>	<b>Mar. 13-Spring Break No Classes</b>
Mar. 16	Mar. 17	Mar. 18	Mar. 19	<b>Mar. 20- Last day for “W”</b>
Mar. 23	Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 27
Mar. 30	Mar. 31	Apr. 1	Apr. 2	Apr. 3
Apr. 6	Apr. 7	<b>Apr. 8-no classes</b>	<b>Apr. 9-no classes</b>	<b>Apr. 10-no classes</b>
Apr. 13	Apr. 14	Apr. 15	Apr. 16	Apr. 17
Apr. 20	Apr. 21	Apr. 22	Apr. 23	Apr. 24
Apr. 27	Apr. 28	Apr. 29	Apr. 30	<b>May 1-Last day of classes</b>
<b>May 4- Final Exams</b>	<b>May 5- Final Exams</b>	<b>May 6- Final Exams</b>	<b>May 7- Final Exams</b>	<b>May 8- Final Exams</b>
15-Monday	15-Tuesday	15-Wednesday	15-Thursday	15-Friday

**75 Class Days**

**Residence Halls Open – Jan. 10, 2020**

**Orientation – Jan. 10, 2020**

**First Day of Classes – Monday, Jan. 13, 2020**

**Martin Luther King Holiday - Monday, Jan. 20, 2020**

**Census Date – Friday, January 24, 2020**

**Fifth Week Grades Due- Monday, Feb. 17, 2020**

**Spring Break –Mar. 9-13, 2020**

**Last Day to drop with a “W” – Friday, Mar. 20, 2020**

**No classes – Wed. – Fri., April 8-10, 2020**

**Last Day of Classes – Friday May 1**

**Final Exams – Saturday – Friday, May 2-8, 2020**

**Commencement (graduate) – Friday, May 8, 2020**

**Commencement (undergraduate) - Saturday, May 9, 2020**

**All Grades Due by 10:00 AM on Monday, May 11, 2020**

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**EIGHT WEEK SESSION DATES:**

**First 8Wk Begins Tuesday, January 13**

**Last Day for Withdraw – Friday February 7**

**Ends – Friday March 6**

**Last 8Wk Begins Monday, March 9**

**Last Day for Withdraw – Friday April 3**

**Ends – Friday May 1**

**\*(8 Week Session students do not observe Spring Break)**

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**Summer 2020**

**Students are expected to register prior to the first day of class.**

**Note:** Pay close attention to start and end dates of various summer courses. Summer Session Term dates can be found on the Registrar's web page.

<b>Western Carolina University Academic Calendar SUMMER 2020 <i>FINAL</i></b>				
<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
<b>May 11–Spring grades due (Mini-mester starts)</b>	May 12	May 13	May 14	May 15
May 18	May 19	May 20	May 21	May 22
May 25	<b>May 26 - Mini-mester ends</b>	May 27	May 28	May 29
June 1	June 2	<b>June 3 - 9 Week and First 4.5 Week Term classes begin</b>	June 4	June 5
June 8	June 9	June 10	June 11	June 12
June 15	June 16	June 17	June 18	June 19
June 22	June 23	June 24	June 25	June 26
June 29	June 30	July 1	July 2	<b>July 3 - Holiday</b>
<b>July 6 - Second 4.5 Week Term classes begin</b>	July 7	July 8	July 9	July 10
July 13	July 14	July 15	July 16	July 17
July 20	July 21	July 22	July 23	July 24
July 27	July 28	July 29	July 30	July 31
Aug 3	<b>Aug 4 - 9 week term ends</b>	Aug 5	Aug 6	Aug 7
Aug 10	Aug 11	Aug 12	Aug 13	Aug 14
<b>Aug 17 – Fall semester classes begin</b>	Aug 18	Aug 19	Aug 20	Aug 21

May 11-26	Monday-Tuesday	Mini-session
May 11-July 2	Monday-Thursday	Assisted Registration for Asheville, Biltmore Park 355
June 1 and 2	Monday-Tuesday	Registration in Cullowhee
June 3	Wednesday, 8 a.m.	9 Week and First 4.5 Week Term classes begin
June 3 – Aug 4	Wednesday-Tuesday	9 Week Term
June 3 – July 1	Wednesday-Wednesday	First 4.5 Week Term
July 3	Friday	Independence Day Holiday (observed)
July 6	Monday	Registration in Cullowhee
July 6	Monday, 8 a.m.	Second 4.5 Week Term classes begin
July 6- Aug 4	Monday- Tuesday	Second 4.5 Week Term
Various Dates	Last day of each course	Final Exams

**Grades are due to the registrar's office 48 hours after the last official class day.  
The July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday will be observed on July 3, 2020, there will be no classes held.**