American University
Four Term Online Academic Calendar
April 2020 – September 2021

Add/drop/withdrawal dates refer to 10-week courses beginning the first day of the term. For comparable dates for nonstandard classes, please see the table here. A student’s state of residency may determine refund eligibility and amounts.

**Academic Year 2019/2020**

**2020 Term 2 (April-June)**
- March 30: Start of term; start of classes
- April 7: Last day to add or drop classes without penalty; deadline to apply to graduate
- April 12: Last day to withdraw with 50% refund
- April 17: Last day to withdraw with 25% refund
- June 7: Last day to withdraw
- May 25: Memorial Day—no class
- May 30: Make up classes for those not held on Memorial Day
- June 21: End of term
- June 28: Degree Conferral Date

**2020 Term 3 (July-September)**
- June 29: Start of term; start of classes
- July 7: Last day to add or drop classes without penalty; deadline to apply to graduate
- July 12: Last day to withdraw with 50% refund
- July 17: Last day to withdraw with 25% refund
- August 14: Last day to withdraw
- September 20: End of term
- September 27: Degree Conferral Date

**Academic Year 2020/2021**

**2020 Term 4 (October-December)**
- September 28: Start of term; start of classes
- October 6: Last day to add or drop classes without penalty; deadline to apply to graduate
- October 11: Last day to withdraw with 50% refund
- October 16: Last day to withdraw with 25% refund
- November 13: Last day to withdraw
- November 26: Thanksgiving—no class
- November 28: Make up classes for those not held on Thanksgiving
- December 12: End of term
• December 31: Degree Conferral Date

2021 Term 1 (January-March)

• January 11: Start of term; start of classes
• January 19: Last day to add or drop classes without penalty; deadline to apply to graduate
• January 24: Last day to withdraw with 50% refund
• January 29: Last day to withdraw with 25% refund
• February 26: Last day to withdraw
• March 28: End of term
• April 4: Degree Conferral Date

2021 Term 2 (April-June)

• April 5: Start of term; start of classes
• April 13: Last day to add or drop classes without penalty; deadline to apply to graduate
• April 18: Last day to withdraw with 50% refund
• April 23: Last day to withdraw with 25% refund
• May 21: Last day to withdraw
• May 31: Memorial Day—no class
• June 5: Make up classes for those not held on Memorial Day
• June 27: End of term
• July 5: Degree Conferral Date

2021 Term 3 (July-September)

• July 6: Start of term; start of classes
• July 14: Last day to add or drop classes without penalty; deadline to apply to graduate
• July 19: Last day to withdraw with 50% refund
• July 24: Last day to withdraw with 25% refund
• August 21: Last day to withdraw
• September 6: Labor Day—no class
• September 11: Make up classes for those not held on Labor Day
• September 26: End of term
• October 3: Degree Conferral Date