

Gordon State College

Academic Calendar for Spring 2021 Semester

Important Dates	Full Term	1st Half Term	2nd Half Term
2020			
Early Registration for Continuing Students	Oct 20-30 (T-F)		
Open Registration Begins for Continuing and Readmitted Students	Nov 2 (M)		
2021			
New Year's Holiday	Jan 1 (F)		
Resident Students Check In (8:00AM until 4:00PM)	Jan 24 (Su)		
Bookstore charges against any available aid	Jan 6–26 (W-T)	Mar 3-19 (W-F)	
Initial Payment Deadlines (4:00PM) (Schedules created before each deadline that are not paid in full by 4pm will be deleted.)	Jan 8 (F)	Mar 1 (M)	
Open Registration Ends	Jan 24 (Su)		
Classes Begin	Jan. 25 (M)	March 10 (W)	
Drop/Add (Last day to receive a refund for dropping a course and avoid having that course noted on student record)	Jan 25-27 (M-W)	March 10-12 (W-F)	
Late Registration	Jan 25-27 (M-W)	March 10-12 (W-F)	
Final Payment Deadline (4:00PM)	Jan 27 (W)	March 12 (F)*	
Faculty Enrollment Verification Deadline (8:00AM)	Feb 4 (Th)	March 15 (M)	
Deadline for Student Petitions for Reinstatement to class rolls for nonpayment drops (12:00 pm)	Feb 2 (T)	Mar 22 (M)	
Deadline for Student Petitions for Reinstatement to class rolls for nonattendance drops (12:00 pm)	Feb 9 (T)	Mar 22 (M)	
Financial Aid Refunds Available	Feb 24 (Th)	Apr 5 (M)	
Midterm	Mar 18 (Th)	Feb 12 (F)	Apr 7 (W)
Last Day to Withdraw with a "W"	Mar 28 (Su)	Feb 19 (F)	Apr 12 (M)
Last Day of Classes	May 3 (M)	Mar 8 (M)	May 4 (T)
Final Exams (View the final exam schedule for exact dates and times of exams.)	May 4-10 (T-M)	Mar 9 (T)	May 5 (W)
Book Buy Back in the Bookstore (virtual)	May 4-10 (T-M)		
Grades Due (by noon, except Mar 9 by midnight)	May 12 (W)	Mar 9 (T)	May 12 (W)
Residence Halls Close (4:00 pm) Spring graduates and students who cannot leave by 4:00 must contact Residence Life for appropriate accommodations.	May 10 (M)		
Spring Commencement	May 14 (F)		
Grades Available to Students	May 18 (T)	Mar 10 (M)	May 18 (T)

Other Important Dates	
Staff Report	January 4, 2021
Faculty Report	January 4, 2021
Registration For continuing students:	
Summer 2021 Opens	April 12, 2021
Fall 2021 Opens	April 12, 2021

Highlander Preview Days	
Jan 29, 2021	Feb 12, 2021
Mar 5, 2021	Apr 2, 2021

Highlander EDGE Days	
Jan 23, 2021	Feb 20, 2021

New Student Orientation Dates	
Jan 12, 2021	Jan 22, 2021



eCore registration dates and payment deadlines are available at <https://ecore.usg.edu/about/academic-calendar/index.php>.

*only for students registered 100% in 2nd Half Term. Students registered in both Full Term and 2nd Half Term will need to have their account secured by the Full Term Final Payment Deadline of Jan. 27.

Calendar is subject to change if updates or adjustments are needed.