

**Ringling College of Art and Design Academic Calendar**  
**Fall Semester 2020**  
 7-Week Midterm

Saturday	Aug. 15	Residence Halls open for NEW International Students ONLY at 8:30 a.m. (If earlier arrival is needed, contact the Office of Residence Life)
Sun – Wed	Aug. 16-19	NEW International Student Orientation
Mon - Wed	Aug. 17-19	Faculty Planning and Assessment Meetings
Wednesday	Aug. 19	Move-In Day for all NEW Resident Students
Thursday	Aug. 20	-NEW Student Orientation begins -Mandatory meeting for all NEW Commuter Students
Friday	Aug. 21	-NEW Student Orientation -Enrollment Check-In opens on the Portal for all Returning Students -Move-In Day begins at 10 a.m. for Returning Resident Students -Last day to withdraw from the College with 100% tuition refund
Sat – Sun	Aug. 22-23	NEW Student Orientation
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Aug. 24</b>	<b>Fall Semester Classes Begin at 8:30 a.m.</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Aug. 28</b>	<b>Drop/Add ends at 4:30 p.m.</b> -Last day to change classes, major, or full-time/part-time status -Deadline for completion of grade reviews
Thursday	Sept. 3	Last day to withdraw from the College with 90% tuition refund
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Sept. 7</b>	<b>Labor Day - NO CLASSES; COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>
Monday	Sept. 21	Last day to withdraw from the College with 50% tuition refund
Tuesday	Sept. 22	Last day for grade changes
Wednesday	Oct. 7	Midterm (7 <sup>th</sup> week)
Monday	Oct. 12	Midterm grades to be recorded on Self-Service by 9 a.m.
Monday	Oct. 19	Last day to withdraw from the College with 25% tuition refund
Fri - Sun	Oct. 23-25	Family Weekend
Friday	Oct. 30	Last day to withdraw from classes without academic penalty
Monday	Nov. 2	Spring billing begins and continues through the end of pre-registration
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Nov. 3</b>	<b>Faculty Professional Day - NO CLASSES</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Nov. 25</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Break - NO CLASSES</b>
<b>Thurs - Sun</b>	<b>Nov. 26- Nov. 29</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Break - NO CLASSES; COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>
Friday	Dec. 11	Payments for Spring Semester due in the Office of Student Accounts/Bursar
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Dec. 12</b>	<b>Fall Semester Classes end at 3:15 p.m.</b>
Sunday	Dec. 13	Residence Halls close at 4:30 p.m. for Winter Break
Monday	Dec. 14	Final grades to be recorded on Self-Service by 9 a.m.
Mon – Wed	Dec. 14-16	Faculty Planning and Assessment Meetings
<b>Mon-Sun</b>	<b>Dec. 21-Jan. 3</b>	<b>Winter Break - COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>

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**Spring Semester 2021**  
 7-Week Midterm

Monday	Jan. 4	-Offices re-open from Winter Break -Deadline for students to submit work to instructors for Incomplete grade changes
Mon-Wed	Jan. 4-6	Faculty Planning and Assessment Meetings
Wednesday	Jan. 6	-Grades for Incompletes due by 9:30 a.m. in the Office of Advising, Records & Registration Services; outstanding Incomplete grades will be converted to failing grades (Fs) and processed for probations and dismissals
Thursday	Jan. 7	Academic Standards Appeals Meeting
Friday	Jan. 8	Last day to withdraw from the College with 100% tuition refund
Sunday	Jan. 10	Residence Halls open at 10 a.m.
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Jan. 11</b>	<b>Spring Semester Classes begin at 8:30 a.m.</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Jan. 15</b>	<b>-Drop/Add ends at 4:30 p.m.</b> -Last day to change classes, major, full-time/part-time status -Deadline for completion of grade reviews
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Jan. 18</b>	<b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - NO CLASSES; COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>
Thursday	Jan. 21	Last day to withdraw from the College with 90% tuition refund
Monday	Feb. 8	Last day to withdraw from the College with 50% tuition refund
Tuesday	Feb. 9	Last day for grade changes
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Feb. 16</b>	<b>Faculty Professional Day – Student Professional Day - NO CLASSES</b>
Wednesday	Feb. 24	Midterm (7 <sup>th</sup> week)
Monday	Mar. 1	Midterm grades to be recorded on Self-Service by 9 a.m.
<b>Sun - Sun</b>	<b>Mar. 7-14</b>	<b>Spring Break - NO CLASSES</b> - Residence Halls close at noon, Sunday, March 7 and re-open at 10 a.m., Sunday, March 14
Monday	Mar. 8	Last day to withdraw from the College with 25% tuition refund
Tues - Thurs	Mar. 16-18	Room Selection Process for Returning Students
Friday	Mar. 26	Last day to withdraw from classes without academic penalty
Friday	April 9	Best of Ringling Juried Exhibitions Opening Reception
Mon – Thurs	May 3 -6	Senior Thesis Shows; Reception, Tuesday, May 4
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>May 4</b>	<b>Spring Semester ends at 9:45 p.m.</b>
Wednesday	May 5	Residence Halls close at noon for everyone except seniors
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>May 6</b>	<b>Commencement</b>
Friday	May 7	-Student Housing for seniors closes at 4:30 p.m. -Final grades to be recorded on Self-Service by 9 a.m.
<b>Monday</b>	<b>May 10</b>	<b>President's Commencement Holiday - COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>
Tuesday	May 11	Summer Session begins
Wed-Fri	May 12-14	Faculty Planning and Assessment Meetings
Tuesday	May 25	Deadline for students to submit work to instructors for Incomplete grade changes
Thursday	May 27	Grades for Incompletes due by 9:30 a.m. in the Office of Advising, Records & Registration Services; outstanding Incomplete grades will be converted to failing grades (Fs) and processed for probations and dismissals
Friday	May 28	Academic Standards Appeals Meeting
<b>Monday</b>	<b>May 31</b>	<b>Memorial Day – COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>July 5</b>	<b>Independence Day Holiday (observed) - COLLEGE OFFICES CLOSED</b>