

2020-2021 Academic Schedule (updated Feb 5, 2021)

Admission application deadlines are found online at umanitoba.ca/student/admissions. Additional important date information for Faculty of Graduate Studies students is available at umanitoba.ca/faculties/graduate_studies/deadlines.

Faculties, schools, colleges and/or programs may have other important dates and deadlines that are not included in the Academic Schedule.

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Section 1: Dates for Fall/Winter Session

This section contains information for Fall and Winter Terms, including distance and online courses. See section 2 for Summer Term information, including information for distance and online courses offered over Summer Term.

1.1 Dates applicable to all U of M students:

1.1.1 University Closure

When the University is closed no classes/examinations will be held.

Canada Day	July 1, 2020
Terry Fox Day (Civic Holiday)	Aug 3, 2020
Labour Day	Sept 7, 2020
Thanksgiving Day	Oct 12, 2020
Remembrance Day	Nov 11, 2020
Winter Holiday	Dec 24, 2020 to Jan 4, 2021
Louis Riel Day	Feb 15, 2021
Good Friday	Apr 2, 2021
Victoria Day	May 24, 2021
Canada Day	July 1, 2021
Terry Fox Day (Civic Holiday)	Aug 2, 2021

1.2 Dates applicable to most U of M students:

Some additional or differing date information is included in separate sections for: **Agriculture Diploma, Art (School of), Business Administration and Finance (MBA and MFin), Dental Hygiene, Dentistry (includes IDDP), Education (B.Ed. only), Medicine (excludes Family Social Sciences), Nursing, Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, Respiratory Therapy, and Social Work.** Students in these programs should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule.

1.2.1 Orientation

Additional or differing dates exist for: Agriculture Diploma, Architecture, Art, MBA, IDDP (Dentistry), Education (B.Ed. only), Medicine, Nursing, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Respiratory Therapy, and Social Work. Students in these programs should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule.

New Student Orientation

Fall Term, Fort Garry Campus	Sept 8, 2020
Winter Term, Fort Garry Campus	Jan 8, 2021
Faculty of Arts, Faculty of Agricultural & Food Sciences, Faculty of Engineering, Faculty of Environment, Earth, & Resources, Faculty of Law, Faculty of Management, Faculty of Music, Faculty of Science, School of Art, Interdisciplinary Health Program	Sept 8, 2020
Faculty of Kinesiology & Recreation Management	July 6 and 8, 2020

1.2.2 Start and End Dates

Additional or differing dates exist for: **Agriculture Diploma, MBA, Dental Hygiene, Dentistry, Education, Medicine, Nursing, Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, Respiratory Therapy, and Social Work.** Students in these programs should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule.

Fall Term	Sept 9 to Dec 11, 2020
Fall Term Labs, etc.	Jan 5 to 15, 2021
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Winter Term	Jan 18 to Apr 16, 2021
Winter/Summer Term spanning distance and online courses	Jan 18 to July 16, 2021

1.2.3 Registration and Withdrawal Dates

Additional or differing dates exist for: **Agriculture Diploma and other faculties, colleges and/or schools offering irregularly scheduled courses.** Agriculture Diploma students should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule; all others should also refer to either the 'Irregular Refund and Voluntary Withdrawal Deadline' information posted on the Registrar's Office website (<http://umanitoba.ca/registrar/tuition-fees/adjustments-refunds>), or the Class Schedule.

Regular Registration Period

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes	Ends Sept 8, 2020
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Winter Term classes and Winter/Summer term spanning distance and online courses	Ends Jan 17, 2021

Registration Revision Period

Students may use this period of time to make changes to their selected courses or class schedule. Last day to drop is **1 business day** prior to the end of the Registration Revision Period.

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes	Sept 9 to 23, 2020
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Winter Term classes and Winter/Summer term spanning distance and online courses	Jan 18 to Feb 1, 2021

Last Date to Drop without Penalty

Last date to drop and have course excluded from transcripts; VWs will be recorded on transcripts for courses dropped after this date. **There will be no refunds for courses dropped after this date.** Additional or differing dates exist for **Agriculture Diploma**; students in this program should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule.

Fall Term	Sept 22, 2020
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Fall/Winter Term classes Part A	Sept 22, 2020
Fall/Winter Term classes Part B (VWs will be recorded as of September 23, 2020)	Jan 29, 2021
Winter Term classes and Winter/Summer term spanning distance and online courses	Jan 29, 2021

Last Date to Register/Registration Revision Deadline

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes	Sept 23, 2020
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Winter Term classes and Winter/Summer term spanning distance and online courses	Feb 1, 2021

Voluntary Withdrawal (VW) deadline

Last date to withdraw and not receive a final grade; students cannot withdraw from courses after this date.

Fall Term classes	Nov 23, 2020
Fall/Winter Term spanning classes	Jan 29, 2021
Winter Term classes	Mar 31, 2021
Winter/Summer Term spanning distance and online courses	May 19, 2021

1.2.4 Fee Deadlines

Fee Payment Deadline

A financial penalty will be assessed on accounts with an outstanding balance after this date.

Fall Term	Oct 6, 2020
Winter Term	Feb 17, 2021

See Section 1.2.3 for the Last Day to Drop without Penalty

1.2.5 Term Breaks

Academic and administrative offices will be open during this period; no classes, tests or assignment due dates occur during this time.

*Additional or differing dates exist for: **Agriculture Diploma, MBA, Dental Hygiene, Dentistry, Education (B.Ed. only), Medicine (M.D. only), Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy (Year 4), Physical Therapy, and Respiratory Therapy.** Students in these programs should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule.*

Fall Term Break <i>The UofM will be closed Wednesday Nov. 11 for Remembrance Day (see 1.1.1).</i>	Nov 9 to 13, 2020
Winter Term Break <i>The UofM will be closed Monday Feb. 15 for Louis Riel Day (see 1.1.1).</i>	Feb 16 to 19, 2021

1.2.6 Examination and Test Dates

*Students are reminded that they must remain available until all examination and test obligations have been fulfilled. Additional or differing dates exist for: **Agriculture Diploma, Dental Hygiene, Dentistry, Education, Medicine (M.D.), and Pharmacy.** Students in these programs should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule. **Students in faculties, colleges, schools or programs offering irregularly scheduled courses** should also see the exam timetable available through their program office.*

Fall Term (includes tests and midterm exams for Fall/Winter Term classes)	Dec 12 to 23, 2020
Winter Term (includes final exams for Fall/Winter Term classes) <i>No classes, examinations or tests will be held Apr. 15, 2021.</i>	Apr 19 to May 1, 2021

1.2.7 Challenge for Credit

Challenge for Credit application deadline:

For classes offered Fall Term 2020 and spanning Fall/Winter 2020-2021	Sept 23, 2020
For classes offered Winter Term 2021	Feb 1, 2021

1.2.8 Final Grade Appeal Deadlines

For final grades received for Fall Term 2020 classes	Jan 25, 2021
For final grades received for Winter Term 2021 and Fall 2020/Winter 2021 classes	June 7, 2021

1.2.9 Graduation and University Convocation

Degrees, Diplomas and Certificates will be awarded at Convocation. Graduation date may differ from Convocation Ceremony date. Additional or differing dates exist for **Agriculture Diploma, Dental Hygiene, Dentistry, Medicine, Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, and Respiratory Therapy**; students in these programs should also see their respective section of the Academic Schedule.

For students graduating Fall 2020:

Deadline to apply online to graduate <i>for most Undergraduate students</i>	July 31, 2020
Faculty of Graduate Studies Submission Deadline*	Aug 27, 2020
Convocation Ceremony (Fort Garry Campus) *under review	Oct 20 to 22, 2020
Convocation Ceremony (Bannatyne Campus) *under review	October 30, 2020

For students graduating February 2021:

Deadline to apply online to graduate <i>for most Undergraduate students</i>	Sept 22, 2020
Faculty of Graduate Studies Submission Deadline*	Jan 5, 2021
Graduation date for students graduating in February	Feb 3, 2021
Convocation Ceremony (Fort Garry Campus)	June 3 – 8, 2021

For students graduating Spring 2021:

Deadline to apply online to graduate <i>for most Undergraduate students</i>	Jan 29, 2021
Faculty of Graduate Studies Submission Deadline**	Apr 1, 2021
Convocation Ceremony – Agriculture Diploma	May 7, 2021
Convocation Ceremony – Bannatyne Campus	May 20, 2021
Convocation Ceremony – Fort Garry Campus	June 3 – 8, 2021
Convocation Ceremony – Université de Saint-Boniface	June 14, 2021
Graduate Studies Submission Deadline* for students graduating Fall 2021	Aug 30, 2021
Annual Traditional Graduation Pow Wow in honour of Indigenous graduates	May 8, 2021

**Last date for receipt by Graduate Studies of Theses/Practica and reports on Theses/Practica, comprehensive examinations, and project reports from students, and lists of potential graduands from departments.

1.3 Dates applicable to Agriculture Diploma:

1.3.1 Orientation Sept 10 & 11; 14 & 15, 2020

1.3.2 Start and End Dates

Fall Term Sept 16 to Dec 9, 2020

Virtual Field Trip (regular classes cancelled) Oct 14, 2020

Winter Term Jan 5 to March 30, 2021

Field Trips (regular classes cancelled) Jan 26, 2021

1.3.3 Registration and Withdrawal Dates

Regular Registration Period

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes Ends Sept 15, 2020

Winter Term classes End Jan 4, 2021

Late Registration/Registration Revision Period

A financial penalty may be assessed on late registrations. Students may use this period of time to make changes to their selected courses or class schedule.

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes Sept 16 to Oct 6, 2020

Winter Term classes Jan 5 to Jan 25, 2021

Last Day to Drop without Penalty

Last date to drop and have class excluded from transcripts; VWs will be recorded on transcripts for classes dropped after this date.

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes Oct 5, 2020

Winter Term classes Jan 21, 2021

Last Date to Register/Registration Revision Deadline

Fall Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes Oct 6, 2020

Winter Term classes Jan 22, 2021

Voluntary (VW) Withdrawal deadline

Last date to withdraw and not receive a final grade; students cannot withdraw from classes after this date.

Fall Term classes Nov 20, 2020

Winter Term and Fall/WinterTerm classes Mar 10, 2021

1.3.4 Term Breaks

The academic and administrative offices will be open during this period, but there will be no classes/examinations held for students.

Fall Term Break See section 1.2.5

Winter Term Break See section 1.2.5

1.3.5 Examination and Test Dates

Fall Term (includes tests and midterm exams for Fall/WinterTerm classes) Dec 10 to 21, 2020

Winter Term (includes final exams for Fall/Winter Term classes) Apr 1 to 14, 2021

1.3.6 Convocation Ceremony - Agriculture May 7, 2021

1.4 Dates applicable to Architecture

1.4.1 Important Dates (Mandatory for all ED2 Students)

Orientation	Aug 21, 2020 (subject to change)
Pre-term EVDS 2100	Aug 24, 2020 (subject to change)

1.5 Dates applicable to Art (School of):

1.5.1 Important Dates

First Year Field Trip	Oct 14 to 17, 2020
Registration Workshop for Incoming Students	June 15, 2020

1.6 Dates applicable to Business Administration and Finance (M.B.A. and M.Fin.):

1.6.1 Orientation

Fall Term	Week of Aug 10, 2020
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1.6.2 Start and End Dates

Fall Term	Aug 10 to mid-Dec, 2020
Winter Term	Jan 5 to mid-Apr, 2021

1.7 Dates applicable to Dental Hygiene:

1.7.1 Start and End Dates

Year 2

Fall Term Classes	Aug 31, 2020 to Jan 15, 2021
Winter Term Classes (includes exam dates)	Jan 18 to May 21, 2021

Year 3

Fall Term Classes	Aug 10, 2020 to Jan 15, 2021
Fall Term Clinics	TBD to Jan 15, 2021
Winter Term Classes and Clinics (includes exam dates)	Jan 18 to May 7, 2021

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Note: Family Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Health Programs students follow the dates listed in Section 1.2: Dates applicable to most U of M students.

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The academic and administrative offices will be open during this period, but there will be no classes/examinations held for students.

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Fall Term Break		n/a
Winter Term Break		Mar 15 to 1 ,2021
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1.11 Dates applicable to Nursing:

1.11.1 Orientation

Year 2 Students admitted for Fall Term	September 1 to 3, 2020
Year 2 Students admitted for Winter Term	December 15 to 17, 2020

1.11.2 Start and End Dates

Fall Term Clinical	Sept 14 to Dec 11, 2020
Winter Term Classes and Clinical	Jan 18 to April 30, 2021

Nursing Practice

Fall Term Practicum	N/A
Winter Term Practicum	Jan 18, 2021 to April 30, 2021
Exam start May 3, 2021	May 3, 2021

1.12 Dates applicable to Occupational Therapy:

1.12.1 Start and End Dates

Year 1

Fall Term Classes	Aug 24 to Nov 27, 2020
Basic Fieldwork	Nov 30 to Dec 18, 2020
Winter Term Classes	Jan 5 to Apr 30, 2021
Intermediate Fieldwork 1	May 3 to June 25, 2021

Year 2

Fall Term Classes	Aug 24 to Oct 23; Dec 7 to 18, 2020
Intermediate Fieldwork 1	Oct 26 to Dec 4, 2020
Intermediate Fieldwork 2	Jan 4 to Feb 26, 2021
Winter Term Classes	Mar 8 to June 18, 2021
Advanced Fieldwork	<i>flexible start and end dates between</i> June 21 to Sept 10, 2021

1.12.2 Term Breaks

The academic and administrative offices will be open during this period, but there will be no classes/examinations held for students.

Fall Term Break	n/a
Winter Term Break	March 1 to 5, 2021

**Note: Some students may need to complete fieldwork during the mid-term break depending on availability of fieldwork sites.*

1.12.3 Convocation Ceremony – Bannatyne Campus	October 29, 2021
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1.13 Dates applicable to Pharmacy:

1.13.1 Orientation

Year 1 Aug 31, 2020

1.13.2 Start and End Dates

Year 1

Fall Term Classes Aug 31 to Dec 11, 2020

Winter Term Classes Jan 11 to April 15, 2021

Year 2

Fall Term Classes Aug 31 to Dec 4, 2020

IPPE Community Jan 4 to 29, 2021

Winter Term Classes Feb 1 to May 6, 2021

Year 3

Fall Term Classes n/a

Winter Term Classes n/a

Year 4

Fall Term Classes Aug 31 to Oct 26, 2020

SPEP 4 – Block 1 Nov 2 to Dec 11, 2020

Electives – Block 1 Nov 2 to Dec 18, 2020

Winter Term Classes n/a

SPEP 4 – Block 2 Jan 5 to Feb 12, 2021

Electives – Block 2 Jan 5 to Feb 19, 2021

SPEP 4 – Block 3 Feb 22 to Apr 1, 2021

Electives – Block 3 Feb 22 to Apr 9, 2021

1.13.3 Term Breaks

The academic and administrative offices will be open during this period, but there will be no classes/examinations held for students.

Year 1 see section 1.2.5

Year 2

Fall see section 1.2.5

Winter March 29 to April 2, 2021

Year 4

n/a

1.13.4 Examination and Test Dates

Year 1

Fall Term Exams Dec 14 to 23, 2020

Winter Term Exams April 19 to 30, 2021

Year 2

Fall Term Exams Dec 7 to 18, 2020

Winter Term Exams May 10 to 21, 2021

Year 3

n/a

Year 4

Fall Term Exams Oct 28 to 30, 2020

Winter Term Exams n/a

1.14 Dates applicable to Physical Therapy:**1.14.1 Orientation**

n/a

1.14.2 Start and End Dates**Year 1**

Fall Term Classes

Aug 4 to Dec 18, 2020

Winter Term Classes

Jan 5 to Mar 27, 2021

Clinical Placement

2x6 week placement between
Apr 5 to July 30, 2021**Year 2**

Fall Term Classes

Aug 4 to Oct 9, 2020

Clinical Placement

1x5 week placement block
+ 1x5 week research block between
Oct 12 to Dec 18, 2020

Winter Term Classes

Jan 5 to Mar 27, 2021

Clinical Placement

2x6 week placements between
Apr 5 to July 30, 2021**1.14.3 Term Breaks***The academic and administrative offices will be open during this period, but there will be no classes/examinations held for students.***Fall Term Break**

n/a

Winter Term Break

Mar 29 to Apr 2, 2021

1.14.3 Convocation Ceremony – Bannatyne Campus

October 29, 2021

1.15 Dates applicable to Physician Assistant Studies**1.15.1 Orientation**

Year 1

Aug 24 to Sept 8, 2020

Clinical Year 2 Orientation

Aug 15 to 19, 2020

1.15.2 Start and End Dates**Fall Term**

See section 1.2.2

Winter Term

See section 1.2.2

Clinical Year 2 Rotations

Starts Aug 20, 2020

1.15.3 Convocation Ceremony – Bannatyne Campus

October 30, 2020

1.16 Dates applicable to Respiratory Therapy:

1.16.1 Orientation

Year 1	Sept 3 & 4, 2020
Year 3	Aug 19, 2020

1.16.2 Start and End Dates

(Includes clinical placement and classes)

Year 1

Fall Term	Sept 8 to Dec 18, 2020
Winter Term	Jan 6 to May 28, 2021

Year 2

Fall Term	Sept 8 to Dec 18, 2020
Winter Term	Jan 6 to June 25, 2021

Year 3

Fall Term	Aug 20 to Dec 18, 2020
Winter Term	Jan 4 to May 28, 2021

1.16.3 Term Breaks

The academic and administrative offices will be open during this period, but there will be no classes/examinations held for students.

Fall Term Break	n/a
Winter Term Break	see section 1.2.5

1.16.4 Convocation Ceremony – Bannatyne Campus

October 30, 2020

1.17 Dates applicable to Social Work:

1.17.1 Orientation

Fort Garry, Inner City Field Instruction Orientation	Sept 8, 2020
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1.17.2 Start and End Dates

Field Instruction*

Fall Term	Sept 8 to Dec 18, 2020
Winter Term	Jan 11 to Apr 23, 2021

**Note: Some students may need to complete fieldwork during the fall and/or winter term breaks.*

Section 2: Dates for Summer Term

Visit the following link for the current 2021 Summer Term academic schedule