

MIDWESTERN UNIVERSITY - DOWNERS GROVE, IL
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2020-2021

(Quarterly beginning and end dates differ per college program)

Summer Quarter 2020	
Classes Begin (PS-I AGO/MPH)	June 1, 2020
Rotations (PA-III)	June 1 - 26, 2020
Rotation Begins - APPE Block 2 (PS-IV)	June 1 - July 10, 2020
Clinical Rotation (OP-IV)	June 1 - August 21, 2020
Orientation (PA-I/PT-I)	June 3 - 5, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (PS-I AGO)	June 5, 2020
Classes Begin (PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-II/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-III)	June 8, 2020
Didactic Course (PA-II)	June 8 - July 31, 2020
Clinical Rotation Begins - Block 1 (MS-III/MS-IV)	June 8 - July 5, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (PA-I/PT-I AGO/PT-III/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-II/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-III)	June 12, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (PT-II)	June 19, 2020
Rotations (PA-II)	June 22 - December 4, 2020
Independent Study (PA-III)	June 29 - July 2, 2020
Independence Day Observed *No Classes*	July 3, 2020
Rotation (PA-III)	July 6 - 31, 2020
Clinical Rotation - Block 2 (MS-III/MS-IV)	July 6 - August 2, 2020
Rotation - APPE Block 3 (PS-IV)	July 13 - August 21, 2020
Summative Evaluation Testing (PA-III)	August 3 - 7, 2020
Clinical Rotation - Block 3 (MS-III/MS-IV)	August 3 - 30, 2020
Last Day of Classes (MPH)	August 9, 2020
Quarterly Exams (PS-I AGO)	August 10 - 14, 2020
Rotation (PA-III)	August 10 - September 4, 2020
Last Day of Classes (PA-I/PT-I/PT-III/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-II/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-II/OP-III)	August 14, 2020
Quarterly Exams (PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-II/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-II/OP-III)	August 17 - 21, 2020
Last Day of Classes (PT-II)	August 21, 2020
Degree Completion Date - PsyD (PSY-IV/PSY-V)	August 21, 2020
Last Day of Classes/Clinical Courses (DMD-III/DMD-IV)	August 21, 2020
Quarter Break (OT-III)	August 24 - 28, 2020
Quarter Break (PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-II/MBS-II/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-III)	August 24 - September 4, 2020
Grades Due (PA-I/PT-I/PT-III/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-II/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-III)	August 25, 2020
Last Day of Classes (PS-I AGO)	August 28, 2020
Commencement IL CHS	August 28, 2020 Virtual
Quarter Break (PS-I AGO)	August 31 - September 4, 2020
Grades Due (PS-I AGO)	September 1, 2020
Degree Completion Date MMS (PA-III)	September 4, 2020

Fall Quarter 2020	
Orientation (MS-I)	August 4 - 6, 2020
Classes Begin (MS-I/MS-II)	August 10, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (MS-I/MS-II)	August 17, 2020
Orientation (OP-I)	August 19 - 21, 2020
Orientation (PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO)	August 21, 2020
Classes Begin (PS-I/OP-I)	August 24, 2020
Rotation - APPE Block 4 (PS-IV)	August 24 - October 2, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/OP-I)	August 28, 2020
Clinical Rotations (OP-IV)	August 31 - November 20, 2020
Fieldwork Level II B (OT-III)	August 31 - November 20, 2020
Clinical Rotation Begins - Block 4 (MS-III/MS-IV)	August 31 - September 27, 2020
Orientation (OT-I/MBS-I/MABS/PSY-I/SLP-I)	September 1 - 2, 2020
Orientation (DMD-I)	September 1 - 3, 2020
Labor Day *No Classes*	September 7, 2020
Classes Begin (PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-II/OP-III)	September 8, 2020
CCP Dean's Convocation (11:10 a.m.)	September 8, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-II/OP-III)	September 11, 2020
White Coat Ceremony (CCOM/CCP 10 a.m.; CHS/CDMI/CCO 2:30 P.M.)	September 26, 2020
Clinical Rotation - Block 5 (MS-III/MS-IV)	September 28 - October 25, 2020
Rotation - APPE Block 5 (PS-IV)	October 5 - November 13, 2020
Clinical Rotation - Block 6 (MS-III/MS-IV)	October 26 - November 22, 2020
Last Day of Classes (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	November 13, 2020
Quarterly Exams (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	November 16 - 20, 2020
Last Day of Classes/Clinical Courses (DMD-III/DMD-IV)	November 20, 2020
Quarter Break (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-I/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	November 23 - 27, 2020
Grades Due (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/PT-III/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	November 24, 2020
Thanksgiving Day Observed *No Classes*	November 26 - 27, 2020

Winter Quarter 2020

Rotations - APPE Block 6 (PS-IV)	November 16 - December 23, 2020
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Classes Begin (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	November 30, 2020
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Clinical Rotation - Block 7 (MS-III/MS-IV)	November 23, 2020 - January 10, 2021
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Practicum III (PT-III)	November 30, 2020 – February 5, 2021
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Clinical Rotation (OP-IV)	November 30, 2020 - February 19, 2021
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Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PA-II/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	December 4, 2020
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Didactic Course (PA-II)	December 7 – 18, 2020
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Winter Break (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SG/PS-III/PS-IV/PA-I/PA-II/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	December 21, 2020 - January 1, 2021
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Winter Break (MS-III/MS-IV)	December 21, 2020 - January 10, 2021
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Classes Resume (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	January 4, 2021
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Rotations - APPE Block 7 (PS-IV)	January 4 - February 12, 2021
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Fieldwork II-A (OT-II)	January 4 - March 26, 2021
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DEER Internship (OT-III)	January 4 - April 23, 2021
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Rotations (PA-II)	January 4 - June 18, 2021
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Clinical Rotation - Block 8 (MS-III/MS-IV)	January 11 – February 7, 2021
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Martin Luther King, Jr. Day *No Classes*	January 18, 2021
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Quarter Break (PT-III)	February 8 - 12, 2021
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Clinical Rotation - Block 9 (MS-III/MS-IV)	February 8 - March 7, 2021
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Practicum IV (PT-III)	February 15 - April 23, 2021
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Degree Completion Date (PS-IV)	February 19, 2021
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Last Day of Classes (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	February 19, 2021
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Quarterly Exams (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	February 22 - 26, 2021
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Last Day of Classes/Clinical Courses (DMD-III/DMD-IV)	February 26, 2021
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Quarter Break (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	March 1 - 5, 2021
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Grades Due (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/PT-II/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	March 2, 2021
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Commencement CPDG	March 4, 2021, 9:30 a.m.
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Spring Quarter 2021

Clinical Rotations (OP-IV)	March 1 - May 21, 2021
Classes Begin (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III didactic block/PA-I/PT-I/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	March 8, 2021
Clinical Rotation - Block 10 (MS-III/MS-IV)	March 8 - April 4, 2021
Practicum II (PT-II)	March 8 – May 14, 2021
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/OT-I/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	March 12, 2021
Didactic Course (OT-II)	March 29 - May 14, 2021
Clinical Rotation - Block 11 (MS-III/MS-IV)	April 5 - May 2, 2021
Last Day of Classes (PS-III didactic block)	April 9, 2021
Quarterly Exams (PS-III didactic block)	April 12 - 13, 2021
Rotations - APPE Block 1 (PS-III)	April 19 - May 28, 2021
Didactic Course (OT-III)	April 26 - May 14, 2021
Degree Completion Date - DPT (PT-III)	April 30, 2021
Clinical Rotation - Block 12 (MS-IV)	May 3 - 23, 2021
Clinical Rotation - Block 12 (MS-III)	May 3 - 30, 2021
Last Day of Classes (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PA-I/PT-I/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	May 14, 2021
Quarterly Exams (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-I SGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PA-I/PT-I/OT-II/OT-III/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	May 17 – 21, 2021
Quarter Break (PT-II)	May 17 - June 4, 2021
Degree Completion Date MA (PSY-II), MBS (MBS-II), MA (MABS), MS (SLP-II), OTD (OT-III)	May 21, 2021
Last Day of Classes/Clinical Courses (DMD-III/DMD-IV)	May 21, 2021
Senior Week (OP-IV)	May 24 - 25, 2021
Quarter Break (PS-I AGO)	May 24 - 28, 2021
Quarter Break (OP-II)	May 24 - 28, 2021
Quarter Break (PA-I/OT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/DMD-II/DMD-III)	May 24 - June 4, 2021
Quarter Break (DMD-I)	May 24 - September 3, 2021
Practicum I (PT-I)	May 24 – June 11, 2021
Grades Due (MS-I/MS-II/PS-I AGO/PS-II AGO/PS-II SGO/PS-III/PA-I/PT-I/OT-II/MBS-I/MBS-II/MABS/PSY-I/PSY-II/PSY-III/PSY-IV/PSY-V/SLP-I/SLP-II/DMD-I/DMD-II/DMD-III/DMD-IV/OP-I/OP-II/OP-III)	May 25, 2021
Commencement (CDMI/CCO/CCOM/CHS/CGS)	May 28, 2021
Memorial Day Observed *No Classes*	May 31, 2021
Quarter Break (MS-III)	May 31 - June 13, 2021
Last Day of Classes (PS-I SGO)	June 4, 2021
Grades Due (PS-I SGO)	June 8, 2021

DHS=Doctor of Health Science/DMD=Dental Medicine/MABS=Master of Arts, Biomedical Sciences/MBS=Master of Science, Biomedical Science/MPH=Master of Public Health/MS=Medicine/OP=Optometry/OT=Occupational Therapy/PA=Physician Assistant/PS AGO = Pharmacy Accelerated Graduation Option/ PS SGO = Pharmacy Standard Graduation Option/PSY=Clinical Psychology/PT=Physical Therapy/SLP=Speech Language Pathology