

**Southern Adventist University**  
**ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2021 - 2032**

<b><u>Summer</u></b>	<b><u>2021</u></b>	<b><u>2022</u></b>	<b><u>2023</u></b>	<b><u>2024</u></b>	<b><u>2025</u></b>
Summer	May 10-Aug 19	May 9-Aug 18	May 8-Aug 17	May 6-Aug 22	May 12-Aug 23
1 <sup>st</sup> Session classes begin	May 10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
classes end	May 28	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2 <sup>nd</sup> Session classes begin	June 1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
classes end	July 23	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Smart Start classes begin	July 26	July 25	July 24	July 29	July 28
( <i>Smart Start</i> ) classes end	Aug 19	Aug 18	Aug 17	Aug 22	Aug 23
New Student Orientation	Aug 18-20	Aug 17-19	Aug 16-18	Aug 21 - 23	Aug 20-22

<b><u>School Year</u></b>	<b><u>2021-2022</u></b>	<b><u>2022-2023</u></b>	<b><u>2023-2024</u></b>	<b><u>2024-2025</u></b>	<b><u>2025-2026</u></b>
Classes begin 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	Aug 23	Aug 22	Aug 21	Aug 26	Aug 25
Census Date/Last Day to Add	Sep 6	Sep 5	Sep 4	Sep 9	Sep 8
Mid-semester break	Oct 14-17	Oct 13-16	Oct 12-15	Oct 17-20	Oct 16-19
Last Day to Receive a “W” Grade	Oct 28	Oct 27	Oct 26	Oct 31	Oct 30
Thanksgiving break	Nov 22-28	Nov 21-27	Nov 20-26	Nov 25-Dec 1	Nov 24-30
Semester exams/End of Term	Dec 13-16	Dec 12-15	Dec 11-14	Dec 16-19	Dec 15-18
Graduation	Dec 16	Dec 15	Dec 14	Dec 19	Dec 18
Christmas break	Dec 17-Jan 9	Dec 16-Jan 8	Dec 15-Jan 7	Dec 20-Jan 12	Dec 19-Jan 11
Classes begin 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	Jan 10	Jan 9	Jan 8	Jan 13	Jan 12
MLK Holiday/Comm. Serv. Day	Jan 17	Jan 16	Jan 15	Jan 20	Jan 19
Census Date/Last Day to Add	Jan 25	Jan 24	Jan 23	Jan 28	Jan 27
Spring break	Mar 11-20	Mar 10-19	Mar 8-17	Mar 14-23	Mar 13-22
Last Day to Receive a “W” Grade	Mar 24	Mar 23	Mar 21	Mar 27	Mar 26
Semester exams	May 2-5	May 1-4	April 29-May 2	May 5-8	May 4-7
Graduation	May 8	May 7	May 5	May 11	May 10

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Summer	May 11-Aug 20	May 10-Aug 19	May 8-Aug 17	May 7-Aug 23	May 13 – Aug 22	May 10 – Aug 19
Smart Start classes begin	July 27	July 26	July 24	July 30	July 29	July 29
Smart Start classes end	Aug 20	Aug 19	Aug 17	Aug 23	Aug 22	Aug 21
New Student Orientation	Aug 19-21	Aug 18-20	Aug 16-18	Aug 22-24	Aug 21-23	Aug 20-22

<b><u>School Year</u></b>	<b><u>2026-2027</u></b>	<b><u>2027-2028</u></b>	<b><u>2028-2029</u></b>	<b><u>2029-2030</u></b>	<b><u>2030-2031</u></b>	<b><u>2031-2032</u></b>
Classes begin 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	Aug 24	Aug 23	Aug 21	Aug 27	Aug 26	Aug 25
Census Date/Last Day to Add	Sep 7	Sep 6	Sep 4	Sep 10	Sep 9	Sep 8
Mid-semester break	Oct 15-18	Oct 14-17	Oct 12-15	Oct 18-21	Oct 17-20	Oct 16-19
Last Day to Receive a “W” Grade	Oct 29	Oct 28	Oct 26	Nov 1	Oct 31	Oct 30
Thanksgiving break	Nov 23-29	Nov 22-28	Nov 20-26	Nov 19-25	Nov 25-Dec 1	Nov 24-Dec 1
Semester exams	Dec 14-17	Dec 13-16	Dec 11-14	Dec 17-20	Dec 16-19	Dec 15-18
Graduation	Dec 17	Dec 16	Dec 14	Dec 20	Dec 19	Dec 18
Christmas break	Dec 18-Jan 10	Dec 17-Jan 9	Dec 15-Jan 7	Dec 21-Jan 13	Dec 20-Jan 12	Dec 16-Jan 11
Classes Begin 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	Jan 11	Jan 10	Jan 8	Jan 14	Jan 13	Jan 12
MLK Holiday/Comm. Serv. Day	Jan 18	Jan 17	Jan 15	Jan 21	Jan 20	Jan 19
Census Date/Last Day to Add	Jan 26	Jan 25	Jan 23	Jan 29	Jan 28	Jan 27
Spring break	Mar 12-21	Mar 10-19	Mar 9-18	Mar 8-17	Mar 14-23	Mar 12-21
Last Day to Receive a “W” Grade	Mar 25	Mar 23	Mar 22	Mar 28	Mar 27	Mar 25
Semester exams	May 3-6	May 1-4	Apr 30-May 3	May 6-9	May 5-8	May 3-6
Graduation	May 9	May 7	May 6	May 12	May 11	May 9