

# Finlandia University Calendar 2020-2021

## First Semester - Fall 2020

### **August 20, Thursday**

Residence hall opens for incoming students  
New Student Check-In Day

### **August 21 - 22, Friday - Saturday**

New Student Orientation

### **August 22, Saturday**

Residence Hall opens for returning students

### **August 24, Monday**

Classes begin

### **August 28, Friday**

Drop/add period ends (full semester) 4:00 pm

### **September 7, Monday**

No classes (Labor Day)

### **September 25, Friday**

End of "W" period (1<sup>st</sup> half semester classes) 4:00 pm

### **October 13, Tuesday**

Mid-semester grades due online 3:00 pm  
First-half class final grades due online 3:00 p.m.

### **October 14, Wednesday**

Second half semester classes begin

### **October 16, Friday**

Drop/add period ends (2<sup>nd</sup> half semester classes) 4:00 pm

### **October 29, Thursday**

End of "W" period (full semester) 4:00 pm

### **November 12, Thursday**

End of "W" period (2<sup>nd</sup> half semester classes) 4:00 pm

### **November 21, Saturday**

Residence hall closes at noon for the Fall 2020 semester

### **November 23 – 27, Monday - Friday**

Thanksgiving Break

### **November 30, Monday**

Classes resume - Remotely

### **December 7 – 11, Monday-Friday**

Final Exam Week  
End of semester, Friday, December 11

### **December 15, Tuesday**

Final Semester Grades due online 3:00 pm

## Second Semester - Spring 2021

### **January 9, Saturday**

Residence hall opens for international students

### **January 16, Saturday**

Residence hall opens for domestic students

### **January 18, Monday**

MLK Day of Service – No regular classes

### **January 19, Tuesday**

First day of classes

### **January 22, Friday**

Drop/add period ends (full-semester and first-half classes) 4:00 p.m.

### **February 18, Thursday**

End of "W" period (1<sup>st</sup> half semester classes) 4:00 pm

### **March 9, Tuesday**

Mid-semester grades due online 3:00 pm  
First half semester final grades due online 3:00 pm

### **March 10, Wednesday**

Second half semester classes begin

### **March 12, Friday**

Drop/add period ends (2<sup>nd</sup> half semester classes) 4:00 pm

### **March 25, Thursday**

End of "W" period (full semester) 4:00 pm

### **April 2, Friday**

No classes; campus closed (Good Friday)

### **April 8, Thursday**

End of "W" period (2<sup>nd</sup> half semester classes) 4:00 pm

### **April 16, Friday**

Honors Banquet

### **April 26 – 30, Monday – Friday**

Final Exam Week  
End of semester, Friday, April 30

### **May 2, Sunday**

Baccalaureate/Commencement  
Residence hall closes at 6:00 pm

### **May 4, Tuesday**

Final Semester Grades due online 3:00 pm