

## Spring 2021 Academic Calendar Update

To the Stevenson University Community:

The university has made several adjustments to the Spring 2021 academic calendar. Developing the academic calendar each year requires accommodating competing priorities while ensuring compliance with various regulations and requirements. We believe these adjustments will support both students and faculty as we navigate the ongoing challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic together.

The updated Spring 2021 academic calendar is posted [here](#).

Of note, Spring classes will now start Monday, January 25, 2021, instead of Tuesday, January 26 as originally planned. While a contiguous 5-day spring break week will not be scheduled this year due to the COVID-19 transmission risk posed by traditional spring break travel, the university has spaced those 5 break days across the semester to create a 3-day weekend, 3 mid-week break days, and a reading day on Friday, May 7. Final exams will begin Saturday, May 8, and conclude Thursday, May 13, 2021. The Easter holiday (SU closed) is scheduled for Friday, April 2-Sunday, April 4, 2021.

Please accept our best wishes for your safety, health, and well-being as you conclude the Fall semester and prepare to enjoy the holiday break.

Sincerely,

Susan Thompson Gorman, Ph.D.  
Executive Vice President & Provost