



ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE CALENDAR 2021–22

University of California, Santa Cruz



Key Dates

	Fall '21	Winter '22	Spring '22	Summer '22
QUARTER BEGINS	Sept 18 Sat	Jan 3 Mon	Mar 28 Mon	June 20 Mon
ORIENTATION See orientation schedule for details (orientation.ucsc.edu).				
INSTRUCTION BEGINS	Sept 23 Thur	Jan 3 Mon	Mar 28 Mon	June 20 Mon
INSTRUCTION ENDS	Dec 3 Fri	Mar 11 Fri	June 3 Fri	Aug 26 Fri
FINAL EXAMINATIONS	Dec 6-10 Mon-Fri	Mar 14-18 Mon-Fri	June 6-9 Mon-Thur	varies
QUARTER ENDS	Dec 10 Fri	Mar 18 Fri	June 9 Thur	Aug 26 Fri
NUMBER OF DAYS OF INSTRUCTION	M-10, T-10, W-10, Th-9, F-10	M-8, T-10, W-10, Th-10, F-10	M-9, T-10, W-10, Th-10, F-10	
TOTAL DAYS OF INSTRUCTION	49	48	49	
COMMENCEMENTS			June 10-12 Fri-Sun	
HOLIDAYS OBSERVED	Sept. 6–Labor Day Nov. 11–Veterans Day Nov. 25-26–Thanksgiving Holidays Dec. 23, 24, 30, 31–Winter Holidays* Jan. 17–Martin Luther King, Jr. Day * Revised 8/31/21	Feb. 21–Presidents' Day March 25–César Chávez Day May 30–Memorial Day June 20–Juneteenth Day July 4–Independence Day		
CAMPUS CLOSURE DATES –The campus is closed from Thursday, Dec. 23 through Sunday, Jan. 2 (pending approval).				

Advising and Advance Enrollment

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Continuing and Readmitted Students (includes visitors)				
ADVISING WEEK	May 10-14 Mon-Fri	Nov 5-11 Fri-Thur	Feb 15-22 Tues-Tues	Mar 15 Tues
Continuing and readmitted undergraduates. Class search available.				
PRIORITY ENROLLMENT BEGINS	May 17 Mon	Nov 12 Fri	Feb 22 Tues	May 1 Sun
Continuing and readmitted graduate and undergraduate students, by appointment.				
Priority Enrollment for Fall 2022				
ADVISING WEEK	May 9*			
PRIORITY ENROLLMENT BEGINS	May 16*			
*Pending approval				
Enrollment continues following priority enrollment. For more information, see the online Schedule of Classes at registrar.ucsc.edu/soc/index.html . For more dates for first and second pass, and waitlist appointments, see Schedule of Classes.				

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New Students		
PRIORITY ENROLLMENT		
New graduate students.	June 17 Thur	Nov 12 Fri
New undergraduates by appointment	July 23 Fri	Nov 12 Fri
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E-BILLS AVAILABLE ON UCSC eBILL/ePAY	Aug 27 Fri	Nov 23 Tues	Feb 25 Fri	Varies*
Including registration and housing fees.				
STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE	Sept 15 Wed	Dec 15 Wed	Mar 15 Tues	Jul 15 Thurs
Deadline to apply for waiver. Cowell Student Health Center.				
MINIMUM CREDIT LIMIT ENFORCED	Sept 14 Wed	Dec 28 Tues	Mar 21 Mon	N/A
Twelve credits for undergraduates and five credits for graduates.				
FINANCIAL AID DISBURSED TO STUDENT ACCOUNTS	Sept 14 Wed	Dec 28 Tues	Mar 21 Mon	Varies*
HOUSING AND DINING FEES DUE	Sept 16 Thur	Dec 15 Wed	Mar 22 Tues	Varies*
Late housing fee of \$25 assessed after this date. Financial Service Center.				
UNDERGRADUATE REGISTRATION FEES DUE	Sept 16 Thur	Dec 15 Wed	Mar 22 Tues	Varies*
Late registration fee of \$50 assessed after this date. Financial Service Center.				
WITHDRAW FROM THE UNIVERSITY	Sept 23 Thur	Jan 3 Mon	Mar 28 Mon	N/A
Deadline to file to withdraw during quarter and receive full registration fees refund. College/Division of Graduate Studies.				
UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT DEADLINE	Sept 27 Mon	Jan 5 Wed	Mar 30 Wed	Varies*
Students must be enrolled in one class by this date, or \$50 late enrollment fee assessed.				
GRADUATE STUDENT ENROLLMENT AND FEE PAYMENT DEADLINE	Oct 1 Fri	Jan 10 Mon	Apr 4 Mon	N/A
\$50 late enrollment fee after this date. Financial Service Center.				
GRADUATE STUDENT PART-TIME/IN ABSENTIA	Oct 1 Fri	Jan 10 Mon	Apr 4 Mon	N/A
Deadline to apply for a reduced class load and fees. Department.				
CLASS PERMISSION NUMBERS REQUIRED	Oct 2 Sat	Jan 12 Wed	Apr 6** Wed	N/A
ADD/DROP/SWAP CLASSES ENDS	Oct 13 Wed	Jan 24 Mon	Apr 15 Fri	Varies*
Deadline to process enrollment transactions.				
UNDERGRADUATE PART-TIME PROGRAM	Oct 13 Wed	Jan 24 Mon	Apr 15 Fri	N/A
Deadline to apply for a reduced class load and fees. Office of the Registrar.				
LATE ADD BY PERMISSION BEGINS	Oct 14 Thur	Jan 25 Tues	Apr 16 Sat	N/A
First day to add a class by permission or petition (\$10 fee). MyUCSC.				
UNDERGRADUATE WITHDRAW FROM A CLASS BEGINS	Oct 14 Thur	Jan 25 Tues	Apr 16 Sat	Varies*
Students petition for a W (Withdraw) notation. College.				
DECLARATION/CHANGE OF MAJOR/MINOR	Oct 22 Fri	Feb 4 Fri	Apr 29 Fri	N/A
Deadline to file petition. Contact your department for major/minor declaration information.				
UNDERGRADUATE WITHDRAW FROM A CLASS ENDS	Nov 3 Wed	Feb 14 Mon	May 6 Fri	Varies*
Deadline to petition for a W (Withdraw) grade notation, except for emergency reasons. Office of the Registrar.				
UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT BY PETITION ENDS	Nov 3 Wed	Feb 14 Mon	May 6 Fri	N/A
Deadline to file petition to challenge a class (\$10 fee). Office of the Registrar.				

*See summer.ucsc.edu for session dates and deadlines.

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WITHDRAW FROM UCSC/ LEAVE OF ABSENCE	Nov 3 Wed	Feb 14 Mon	May 6 Fri	N/A
Undergraduates: deadline to petition to withdraw or to request a leave of absence, except for emergency reasons. College. Graduates: deadline to withdraw during the quarter, except for emergency reasons; for Leave of Absence, see below. Division of Graduate Studies.				
UNDERGRAD/GRAD GRADE CHANGE OPTION	Nov 28 Sun	Mar 4 Fri	May 27 Fri	Varies*
Deadline to change grade option. MyUCSC.				
UNDERGRADUATE NO PASS FROM A CLASS ENDS	Nov 28 Sun	Mar 4 Fri	May 27 Fri	Varies*
Deadline to file petition for a NP (No Pass) grade except for emergency reasons. Office of the Registrar.				
UNDERGRAD/GRAD LATE ADD BY PERMISSION ENDS	Nov 28 Sun	Mar 4 Fri	May 27 Fri	N/A
Deadline to add a class by permission or petition (\$10 fee). MyUCSC.				
CHANGE OF COLLEGE	Dec 3 Fri	Mar 11 Fri	Jun 3 Fri	N/A
Deadline to file petition to be effective the following quarter. College.				
UNDERGRADUATE REMOVAL OF INCOMPLETE	Dec 10 Fri	Mar 18 Fri	June 9 Thur	Dec. 9 Fri
Deadline to file petition (\$10 fee) and submit class work for Incomplete grade from preceding quarter. Office of the Registrar.				
GRADUATE STUDENT REMOVAL OF INCOMPLETE	Dec 10 Fri	Mar 18 Fri	June 9 Thur	N/A
Deadline to file petition (\$10 fee) and submit class work for Incomplete grade within the last three quarters. Office of the Registrar.				
LEAVE OF ABSENCE/GRADUATE REMOVAL OF INCOMPLETE	Fri	Dec 10 Fri	Mar 18 Fri	Aug 26 N/A
Deadline to petition for leave beginning the next quarter. Division of Graduate Studies.				
GRADES DUE	Dec 15 Wed	Mar 23 Wed	June 14 Tues	Varies*
From instructors.				
EVALUATIONS DUE	Jan 4 Tues	Apr 11 Mon	June 30 Thur	Varies*
From instructors. Optional.				

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Announcing Candidacy for Degree/Apply to Graduate

UNDERGRADUATES				
Deadline to apply with no fee.	Oct 22	Feb 4	April 29	July 29
Late deadline to apply with \$75 fee.	Dec 10	March 18	June 9	Aug 26
Final deadline to apply with \$100 fee.	Jan 21	Apr 29	July 25	Oct 7
UNDERGRADUATES	Dec 10	Mar 18	June 9	Aug 26
Deadline to complete all requirements for degree and for the Office of the Registrar to receive transcripts from other institutions.				
GRADUATE STUDENTS	Sept 30	Jan 13	Apr 7	July 8
Deadline to announce for master's or Ph.D., or pay for filing fee, if applicable.				
GRADUATE STUDENTS	Dec 10	Mar 18	May 31*	Aug 26
Deadline to complete all requirements for degree.				

* Students not participating in June commencement have until June 9 to complete all requirements for degree.

Intercampus Visitor/Exchange Programs

UNDERGRADUATES	Apr 30	Oct 31	Jan 31	
Deadline to file application. Office of the Registrar.				
GRADUATE STUDENTS	Aug 30	Dec 20	March 14	
Deadline to file application. Division of Graduate Studies.				

Financial Aid

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION FOR UNDERGRADUATES

• Submit the free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa> (or Dream App at dream.csac.ca.gov if applicable) by March 2 prior to each academic year for enrollment in fall 2021, file by March 02, 2021 for enrollment in fall 2022 file by March 02, 2022

• Complete your financial aid application by providing all supporting documentation requested via MyAid Verify as accessed through your MyUCSC To Do List by June 2 prior to the year for which you are applying (July 1 for new transfers).

• For summer consideration, complete a financial aid application as indicated above. Enroll by June 1 to ensure summer aid disburses on time.

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION FOR GRADUATES

• To apply for federal student loans, submit the Free Application for Federal Aid (FAFSA) each year at <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>. Applications are accepted throughout the academic year in which you are enrolled.

• To apply for other types of graduate support, contact your academic department.

Readmission

UNDERGRADUATE READMISSION APPLICATION

Filing period for priority/first pass enrollment. Office of Admissions.

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Jan. 01, 2021- March 31, 2021	July 01, 2021 Sept. 30, 2021	Oct. 01, 2021- Dec. 31, 2021	April 01, 2022- May 31, 2022

FALL EXTENDED APPLICATION PERIOD

April 1, 2021-May 31, 2021
Late submission after April 1 may affect enrollment appointment.

GRADUATE STUDIES APPLICATION FOR READMISSION

Division of Graduate Studies.
July 31, 2021
Sat

Oct 31, 2021
Sun

Jan 31, 2022
Mon

Summer Session 2022

Summer term active in class search–March 15, 2022
Enrollment opens–May 01, 2022
Session 1 dates–June 20–July 22, 2022
Session 2 dates–July 25–Aug 26, 2022
8-week dates–June 20-Aug 12, 2022
10-week dates–June 20-Aug 26, 2022

For additional information, see summer.ucsc.edu.

Additional Resources

For more information on procedures and deadlines, including links to the UCSC *General Catalog* and *Navigator Undergraduate Handbook*, go to registrar.ucsc.edu.

Graduate students may also refer to the *Graduate Student Handbook* at <https://graddiv.ucsc.edu/current-students/index.html>

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