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Atlanta's John Marshall Law School	
Academic Calendar 2020-2021*	
FALL SEMESTER 2020	
New Student Orientation – (See separate schedule)	August 10 – 15, 2020
First Day of Upper-Level Classes	Monday, August 10, 2020
First Day of First-Year Classes	Monday, August 17, 2020
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (w/out penalty)	Friday, August 14, 2020 – 2:00p.m.
Labor Day Holiday – School Closed	Monday, September 7, 2020
Mid-Term Exam Period (refer to course syllabus)	Monday, September 21, 2020 –
	Wednesday, September 30, 2020
Last Day of Upper-Level Classes	Monday, November 16, 2020
Upper-Level Reading Period	Tuesday, November 17, 2020
Last Day of First-Year Classes	Monday, November 23, 2020
First-Year Reading Period	Tuesday, November 24, 2020 & Monday,
	November 30, 2020
Thanksgiving Break	Wednesday – Friday, November 25-27, 2020
Final Exam Period for Upper-Level Classes (See	Wednesday, November 18 – Friday, December 11,
separate schedule)	2020
Final Exam Period for First-Year Classes (See	Tuesday, December 1 – Friday, December 11, 2020
separate schedule)	
School Closed Monday, December 21, 2020 to Monday, January 4, 2021	
SPRING SEMESTER 2021	
First Day of Classes	Monday, January 11, 2021
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (w/out penalty)	Friday, January 15, 2021 –2:00p.m.
MLK, Jr. Holiday – School Closed	Monday, January 18, 2021
Mid-Term Exam Period (refer to course syllabus)	Monday, February 22, 2021 –
Mid-Semester Reading Period – No Classes	Wednesday, March 3, 2021  Monday, March 15 – Friday, March 19, 2021
Last Day of Classes	Monday, April 26, 2021
Reading Period	Tuesday, April 27, 2021
Final Exam Period (See separate schedule)	Wednesday, April 28, 2021 – Friday, May 14, 2021
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COMMENCEMENT	Saturday, May 22, 2021 (subject to change)
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SUMMER INTERSESSION 2021	
First Day of Classes	Monday, May 17, 2021
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (w/out penalty)	Tuesday, May 18, 2021
Last Day of Classes	Friday, May 21, 2021
Last Day for Final Projects	Friday, May 28, 2021
	hen an Intersession cannot be held using this schedule.
Students should plan as if the Intersession will not be held.	
SUMMER SESSION 2021	
First Day of Classes	Monday, May 24, 2021
Last Day to Add/Drop Classes (w/out penalty)	Friday, May 28, 2021 – 2:00p.m.
Memorial Day Holiday – School Closed	Monday, May 31, 2021
Independence Day Holiday – School Closed	Monday, May 31, 2021 Monday, July 5, 2021
Last Day of Classes	Tuesday, July 13, 2021 (Monday schedule)
Reading Period	Wednesday, July 14, 2021
	Thursday, July 15, 2021 – Friday, July 23, 2021
Final Exam Period (See separate schedule)	Thursday, July 13, 2021 – Friday, July 23, 2021