# 2023-2024 Academic Calendar
## For Biomedical Graduate Programs

### SUMMER 2023
- **May 18**: New Student Orientation
- **May 22**: Classes Begin
- **May 29**: MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY
- **June 12**: Last day to add/drop a course; *Deadline for September graduates: Statement of Intent to Graduate module*
- **June 19**: JUNETEENTH HOLIDAY
- **July 4**: INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY
- **July 5**: Course Registration for the next term opens
- **August 9**: *Deadline for September graduates: Last day to defend*
- **August 16**: Classes End; *Deadline for September graduates: ETD Student Advisor Agreement, submission of final copy of thesis/dissertation, Exit Survey*
- **August 17 – 19**: Examinations
- **August 28**: Grades Due
- **September 5**: Graduation (Degrees Conferred)

### FALL 2023
- **August 23**: New Student Orientation
- **August 25**: Ethics RCR Bootcamp (GRAD 713)
- **August 28**: Classes Begin
- **September 4**: LABOR DAY HOLIDAY
- **September 18**: Last day to add/drop a course; *Deadline for January graduates: Statement of Intent to Graduate module*
- **November 6**: Course Registration for the next term opens
- **November 22 – 24**: THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY
- **December 12**: *Deadline for January graduates: Last day to defend*
- **December 14**: Classes End
- **December 15 – 19**: Examinations
- **December 18**: *Deadline for January graduates: ETD Student Advisor Agreement, submission of final copy of thesis/dissertation, Exit Survey*
- **January 4**: Grades Due
- **January 12**: Graduation (Degrees Conferred)

### SPRING 2024
- **January 4**: New Student Orientation
- **January 8**: Classes Begin
- **January 15**: MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. HOLIDAY
- **January 29**: Last day to add/drop a course; *Deadline for May graduates: Statement of Intent to Graduate module*
- **March 4 – 8**: SPRING BREAK
- **March 18**: Course Registration for the next term opens
- **April 18**: *Deadline for May graduates: Last day to defend*
- **April 26**: Classes end
- **April 29 – May 3**: Examinations
- **May 3**: *Deadline for May graduates: ETD Student Advisor Agreement, submission of final copy of thesis/dissertation, Exit Survey*
- **May 10**: Grades Due
- **May 18**: Hooding and Awards Ceremony/Graduation (Degrees Conferred)
- **May 20**: Wake Forest University Commencement

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