



DUKE UNIVERSITY
 School of Medicine
 Pathologists' Assistant Program

Academic Calendar 2021-2022

Class of 2023

First Year Fall Term 2021

August

5-6	Thursday/Friday	First Year Orientation	Mandatory
9	Monday	Begin Classes	Introduction to Practical Pathology Techniques
20	Friday	End Classes	Introduction to Practical Pathology Techniques
23	Monday	Begin Classes	Human Structure and Function

September

6	Monday	Labor Day	Student Holiday
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November

23	Tuesday	6:00 PM Suspend Classes	Human Structure and Function
24-28	Wednesday	Thanksgiving Break	Student Holiday
29	Monday	Resume Classes	Human Structure and Function

December

17	Friday	Suspend Classes	Human Structure and Function
17	Friday	6:00 PM Begin Winter Break	Student Holiday

2022

First Year Spring Term 2022

January

3	Monday	Resume Classes	Human Structure and Function
17	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr.	Student Holiday
31	Monday	End Classes	Human Structure and Function

February

1	Tuesday	Begin Classes	Body and Disease
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March

18	Friday	Suspend Classes	Body and Disease
19-27	Saturday	Spring Break	Student Holiday
28	Monday	Resume Classes	Body and Disease

May

8	Sunday	Graduation	Class of 2022-Luncheon and Recognition Ceremony
30	Monday	Memorial Day	Student Holiday

July

1	Friday	End Classes	Body and Disease
2-10	Saturday	Summer Break	Student Holiday

First Year Summer Term 2022

July

11	Monday	Second Year Orientation	Mandatory
12	Tuesday	Begin Clinical Rotations	Summer Clinical Rotations
14	Thursday	2 nd Year Senior Seminars	

August

TBA	Thursday/Friday	1 st Year Orientation	
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September

2	Friday	1 st Summer Rotation Ends	
3-11	Saturday	Fall Break	Student Holiday

Class of 2022

First Year Summer Term 2021

July

12	Monday	Second Year Orientation	Mandatory
13	Tuesday	Begin Clinical Rotations	Summer Clinical Rotations
15	Thursday	2 nd Year Senior Seminars	

August

TBA	Thursday/Friday	1 st Year Orientation	
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September

3	Friday	1 st Summer Rotation Ends	
6-12	Saturday	Fall Break	Student Holiday

Second Year Fall Term 2021

September

13	Monday	Begin Classes	Fall Clinical Rotations
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November

19	Friday	Suspend Classes	Fall Clinical Rotations
20-28	Saturday	Thanksgiving Break	Student Holiday
29	Monday	Resume Classes	Fall Clinical Rotations

December

17	Friday	End Classes	Fall Clinical Rotations
18-Jan 2, 2022	Saturday	Winter Break	Student Holiday

2022

Second Year Spring Term 2022

January

3	Monday	Begin Classes	Spring Clinical Rotations
17	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	Student Holiday

April

8	Friday	Suspend Classes	Spring Clinical Rotations
9-17	Saturday	Spring Break	Student Holiday
18	Monday	Resume Classes	Spring Clinical Rotations

May

2	Monday	Spring Portfolios Due	
6	Friday	End Classes	Spring Clinical Rotations
8	Sunday	Graduation	Luncheon and Recognition Ceremony
9	Monday	2 nd Year Student Holiday	

Second Year Summer Term 2022

11	Tuesday	Begin Classes	Summer Practicums
30	Monday	Memorial Day	Student Holiday

July

4	Monday	Independence Day Holiday	Student Holiday
8	Friday	Summer Portfolios Due	
11	Monday	Seminar Dress Rehearsals	
14	Thursday	Senior Seminars	
14	Thursday	Certification Banquet	