

INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Critical Deadlines for Degree Completion

	Fall 2020	Spring 2021	Summer 2021
Graduation Application Open	8/1/2020	1/1/2021	1/1/2021
Deadline to Apply for Graduation	10/1/2020	3/1/2021	6/1/2021 ⁺
Academic Department Provides Notice of Final Thesis/Dissertation Defense to CGPS	10/5/2020	3/2/2021	6/4/2020
Conduct Public Oral Defense of Thesis/Dissertation	10/12/2020	3/8/2021	6/11/2021
Submit Thesis/Dissertation for Department Chair Review	Set by Department Chair		
Submit Thesis/Dissertation for Associate Dean Review	Set by Home College Associate Dean		
Submit Thesis/Dissertation for CGPS Review	11/9/2020	4/5/2021	7/9/2021
Order Academic Regalia at Barnes & Noble Bookstore	11/1/2020	4/1/2021	
Final Copy of Thesis/Dissertation Is Approved in Proquest	12/1/2020	4/27/2021	7/27/2021
Graduation (end of term)	12/12/2020	5/8/2021	7/30/2021

⁺Summer graduates participating in May commencement ceremonies must apply for graduation by March 1, 2021.