Adding, Dropping, or Withdrawal from a Course—Undergraduate and Graduate

Students are expected to attend and complete all classes for which they are registered. Students are eligible to participate in the add/drop period during the first seven calendar days of each semester (attendance policies apply during the add/drop period). Students who decide to withdraw from a course after the add/drop period must request their withdrawal with the Center for Career and Academic Advising. MPS graduate students who decide to withdraw from a course after the add/drop period must request their withdrawal with the Senior Director, School of Graduate and Professional Studies. Students will be eligible for a grade of "W" if withdrawing from the course by the deadline listed in the chart below. After that time, the student will be assigned a grade of "WF." A student who receives a "W" or "WF" will not be permitted to continue attending the course.

Course Withdrawal Timeline

Length of class	Typical meeting days	Last day to withdraw with a grade of "W"
3-week lab or lecture course	5 days per week	3rd class day
5-week lab course	3 days per week	3rd class day
6-week lecture course	2 days per week	6th class day
7-week lab course	5 days per week	7th class day
7-week lecture course	2 days per week	7th class day
7-week online lecture course	Online	Friday of 3rd week
9-week lecture course	4 days per week	9th class day
12-week lab or lecture course	1 day per week	6th class day
12-week lab or lecture course	2 days per week	12th class day
15-week lab course	2 days per week	6th class day
15-week lab or lecture course	1 day per week	7th class day
15-week lecture course	2 days per week	15th class day
15-week online lecture course	Online	Friday of 7th week