

General Assembly

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Draft provisional programme of work and timetable
of the First Committee for 2021¹

Programme/meeting	Dates	Number of meetings
Meeting for the organization of work	Thursday 30 September	1
General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items ^{a,b}	Monday, 4 October to Wednesday, 13 October	8
Closure of the list of speakers for the general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items	Tuesday, 5 October, at 6 p.m.	
Thematic discussion on specific subjects and introduction and consideration of all draft resolutions and decisions submitted under agenda items, including:	Thursday, 14 October, to Wednesday 27 October	12
(a) Exchange with the High Representative for Disarmament Affairs including on follow-up of resolutions and decisions adopted by the Security Council		
Closure of the list of speakers for the thematic discussion	Tuesday, 12 October, at 6 p.m.	
Action on all draft resolutions and decisions submitted under agenda items	Thursday 28 October to Friday, 5 November	6

¹ This draft provisional programme of work is based on the assumption of UNHQ returning to normal circumstances at the conclusion of Phase 3 of the reopening of UNHQ.

a A rolling list of speakers will be opened about a month before the beginning of the session. Delegations are encouraged to li

