

TGS/MS in Neurobiology Academic Calendar 2026-27

September	
Friday, September 18, 2026	Fall Registration for new TGS graduate students <i>(Department will register students)</i>
Wednesday, September 23, 2026	Fall classes begin
Wednesday, September 23, 2026	MS Neurobiology Orientation 9:30-11:30am Location: Pancoe 2-401 <i>Orientation occurs during the first session of Neurobio 402</i>
October	
Friday, October 23, 2026	Student Advisor Agreement form due
November	
Monday, November 2, 2026	Winter quarter courses viewable in CAESAR
Friday, November 13, 2026	Submit Winter elective choices to Program Assistant
Monday, November 16, 2026	Registration for Winter quarter begins <i>(Students register for elective)</i>
December	
Friday, December 4, 2026	Fall seminar summaries due
January	
Monday, January 4, 2027	Winter classes begin
Friday, January 29, 2027	Thesis Proposal Form due
February	
Friday, February 5, 2027	Application for Degree form due in GSP to receive a degree in Spring
Monday, February 8, 2027	Spring quarter courses viewable in CAESAR
Friday, February 12, 2027	Submit Spring elective choices to Program Assistant
Monday, February 22, 2027	Registration for Spring Quarter begins <i>(Students register for elective)</i>
March	
Friday, March 12, 2027	Winter seminar summaries due
Tuesday, March 30, 2027	Spring classes begin <i>Northwestern Monday schedule</i>

April	
Friday, April 30, 2027	Thesis Defense Approval form due in GSP for Spring graduates
May	
Friday, May 14, 2027	Master's Degree Completion form due in GSP for Spring graduates
June	
Friday, June 4, 2027	Spring seminar summaries due
June 11 – June 14, 2027	Graduation weekend 2027 <i>Spring and Summer graduates invited to attend</i>
Monday, June 21, 2027	Spring degrees conferred
July	
Friday, July 9, 2027	Application for Degree form due in GSP to receive a degree in Summer
August	
Friday, August 13, 2027	Thesis Defense Approval form due in GSP for Summer graduates
Friday, August 20, 2027	Master's Degree Completion form due in GSP for Summer graduates