

Northwestern University 2013-14 Academic Calendar

Fall Quarter 2013

September 2013

Tue	Sep	1	Fall Tuition Due
Fri	Sep	13	Registration for Continuing Students for Fall Quarter 2013 ends 5 p.m.
Mon	Sep	16	Wildcat Welcome (New Student Orientation)
Thu	Sep	19	New Graduate Student Fall Registration begins
Fri	Sep	20	New Undergraduate Student Fall Registration
Tue	Sep	24	Fall Classes begin 8 a.m.
Tue	Sep	24	Change of Registration (Drop/Add)/Late registration for returning students begins
Mon	Sep	30	Last day to add a class or change a section for Fall
Mon	Sep	30	No reductions are made to bills for dropped or swapped classes after this date. Last day for a tuition refund.
Mon	Sep	30	Last day to change status to or from part time with tuition adjustment

October

Fri	Oct	11	Last day for undergrads to change grading status from grade to P-N or vice versa for Fall
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November

Fri	Nov	1	Last day to withdraw for Fall
Fri	Nov	1	Last day to drop a class for Fall. (No tuition adjustment after Sept. 30)
Fri	Nov	8	Application for a Degree due to The Graduate School to receive a degree in Fall
Mon	Nov	11	Pre-registration for Winter Quarter begins
Mon	Nov	18	Registration for Winter Quarter begins
Wed	Nov	27	Thanksgiving vacation begins 6 p.m.
Thu	Nov	28	Thanksgiving day

December

Mon	Dec	2	Fall Classes resume 8 a.m.
Mon	Dec	2	WCAS Reading Period Begins
Mon	Dec	2	Last day to file ugrad financial aid applications for Winter Quarter
Fri	Dec	6	Dissertation/supporting materials due to TGS for Fall PhD candidates
Sat	Dec	7	Last day of Fall classes
Sun	Dec	8	WCAS Reading Period Ends
Mon	Dec	9	Fall examinations begin
Fri	Dec	13	Master's Completion form due for TGS Fall master's candidates
Fri	Dec	13	Fall examinations end
Fri	Dec	13	Winter Break begins 6 p.m.
Mon	Dec	16	Fall grades due at 3 p.m.
Mon	Dec	30	Fall degrees conferred

Winter Quarter 2014

January

Wed	Jan	1	Winter Tuition due
Sun	Jan	5	Winter Break Ends
Mon	Jan	6	Winter Classes begin 8 a.m.
Mon	Jan	6	Winter Change of Registration (Drop/Add)/Late registration begins
Tue	Jan	14	No reductions are made to bills for dropped or swapped classes after this date. Last day for a tuition refund - Extended from 1/10/2014
Tue	Jan	14	Last day to change status to or from part time with tuition adjustment - Extended from 1/10/2014
Tue	Jan	14	Last day to add a class or change a section for Winter - Extended from 1/10/2014

Mon Jan 20 Suspension of classes for observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day
 Fri Jan 24 Last day for undergrads to change grading status from grade to P-N or vice versa for Winter

February

Fri Feb 7 Application for a Degree due to The Graduate School to receive a degree in Winter
 Fri Feb 14 Last day to withdraw for Winter
 Fri Feb 14 Last day to drop a class for Winter. (No tuition adjustment after Jan. 14)
 Mon Feb 17 Pre-registration for Spring Quarter begins
 Mon Feb 24 Registration for Spring Quarter begins
 Fri Feb 28 Dissertation/supporting materials due to TGS for Winter PhD candidates

March

Mon Mar 3 Last day to file ugrad financial aid applications for Spring Quarter
 Fri Mar 7 Master's Completion form due for TGS Winter master's candidates
 Tue Mar 11 WCAS Reading Period Begins
 Sat Mar 15 Winter classes end
 Sun Mar 16 WCAS Reading Period Ends
 Mon Mar 17 Winter exams begin
Fri Mar 21 Winter exams end
 Fri Mar 21 Spring Break Begins at 6 p.m.
 Mon Mar 24 Winter grades due at 3 p.m.
 Sun Mar 30 Spring Break Ends

Spring Quarter 2014

Mon Mar 31 Spring Classes begin 8 a.m.

Mon Mar 31 Spring Change of Registration (Drop/Add)/Late registration begins
 Mon Mar 31 Winter degrees conferred

April

Tue Apr 1 Spring Tuition due
 Fri Apr 4 Last day to add a class or change a section for Spring
Fri Apr 4 No reductions are made to bills for dropped or swapped classes after this date. Last day for a tuition refund
 Fri Apr 4 Last day to change status to or from part time with tuition adjustment
 Fri Apr 4 Last day for students in The Graduate School to change grading status from grade to P-N or vice versa for Spring Quarter
 Mon Apr 7 Registration for Summer begins
 Fri Apr 18 Application for a Degree due to The Graduate School to receive a degree in Spring
 Fri Apr 18 Last day for undergrads to change grading status from grade to P-N or vice versa for Spring

May

Thu May 1 Last day to file ugrad Financial Aid applications for 2014-15
 Fri May 9 Dissertation/supporting materials due to TGS for Spring PhD candidates
 Fri May 9 Last day to withdraw for Spring
 Fri May 9 Last day to drop a class for Spring. (No tuition adjustment after April 4)
 Mon May 12 Pre-Registration for Fall 2014 begins
 Fri May 16 Master's Completion form due for TGS Spring master's candidates
 Mon May 19 Registration for Fall 2014 begins
 Mon May 26 Memorial Day (no classes)

June

Mon June 2 Summer Tuition due
 Tue June 3 WCAS Reading Period Begins
 Sat June 7 Spring classes end
 Sun June 8 WCAS Reading Period Ends
 Mon June 9 Spring exams begin

Fri	June 13	Spring exams end
Mon	June 16	Spring Grades Due at 3 p.m.
Thu	June 19	Baccalaureate
Fri	June 20	Commencement
Fri	June 20	Spring Degrees Conferred

Summer Session 2014

Mon	June 23	Summer Classes Begin
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Mon	June 23	Summer Change of Registration (Drop/Add)/Late registration begins
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July

Fri	July 4	Independence Day (no classes)
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Mon	July 7	Application for a Degree due to The Graduate School to receive a degree in Summer
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August

Fri	Aug 1	Dissertation/supporting materials due to TGS for Summer PhD candidates
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Sat	Aug 2	Six-week Summer session ends
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Fri	Aug 8	Master's Completion form due for TGS Summer master's candidates
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Sat	Aug 16	Eight-week Summer session ends
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Sat	Aug 30	Ten-week Summer session ends
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September 2014

Fri	Sep 5	Summer degrees conferred
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