

# 2026-2027 MS1 Academic Calendar

Exam check in – 8:00 am

Exam Start time – 8:30 am

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| July/August<br>2026  |   |
| Tuesday, July 21 <sup>st</sup> – Wednesday July 29 <sup>th</sup> | MS1 Professional Development Week                         |
| Thursday, July 30 <sup>th</sup>                                  | Cellular Function & PDCI begins                           |
| Thursday, August 13 <sup>th</sup>                                | <b>Study day, no classes</b>                              |
| Friday, August 14 <sup>th</sup>                                  | <b>Cellular Function Exam #1</b>                          |
| Thursday, August 27 <sup>th</sup>                                | <b>Study day, no classes</b>                              |
| Friday, August 28 <sup>th</sup>                                  | <b>Cellular Function Exam #2</b>                          |
| September 2026   |   |
| Monday, September 7 <sup>th</sup>                                | <b>Labor Day Recess</b>                                   |
| Thursday, September 10 <sup>th</sup>                             | <b>Study day, no classes</b>                              |
| Friday, September 11 <sup>th</sup>                               | <b>Cellular Function Exam #3</b>                          |
| Sunday, September 13 <sup>th</sup>                               | Rosh Hashanah (Day of Special Concern)                    |
| Sunday, September 20 <sup>th</sup>                               | Yom Kippur (Day of Special Concern)                       |
| Monday, September 28 <sup>th</sup>                               | <b>PDCI Exam</b>  |
| Tuesday, September 29 <sup>th</sup>                              | <b>Study day, no classes</b>                              |
| Wednesday, September 30 <sup>th</sup>                            | <b>Cellular Function Exam #4</b>                          |
| October 2026   |   |
| Thursday, October 1 <sup>st</sup>                                | <b>Study day, no classes</b>                              |
| Friday, October 2 <sup>nd</sup>                                  | <b>Biochemistry NBME Exam</b>                             |
| Monday, October 5 <sup>th</sup>                                  | <b>Human Structure Starts</b>                             |
| Thursday, October 22 <sup>nd</sup>                               | <b>Study day, no classes</b>                              |
| Friday, October 23 <sup>rd</sup>                                 | <b>Human Structure Exam #1 (AM) &amp; Lab Exam (1 PM)</b> |
| November 2026  |   |

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| Tuesday, November 3 <sup>rd</sup>                                       | <b>Election Day Recess</b>  |
| Wednesday, November 11 <sup>th</sup>                                    | <b>Veteran's Day (Day of Special Concern)</b>                           |
| Thursday, November 12 <sup>th</sup>                                     | <b>Study day, no classes</b>  |
| Friday, November 13 <sup>th</sup>                                       | <b>Human Structure Exam #2 (AM) &amp; Lab Exam (1 PM)</b>               |
| Saturday, November 21 <sup>st</sup> – Sunday, November 29 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Thanksgiving Recess</b>  |
| <b>December 2026</b>  |   |
| Monday, December 7 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>PDCI Exam (AM)</b>   |
| Tuesday, December 8 <sup>th</sup>                                       | <b>Study day, no classes</b>  |
| Wednesday, December 9 <sup>th</sup>                                     | <b>Human Structure Exam #3 (AM) &amp; Lab Exam (1 PM)</b>               |
| Thursday, December 10 <sup>th</sup>                                     | <b>Study day, no classes</b>  |
| Friday, December 11 <sup>th</sup>                                       | <b>Gross Anatomy NBME Exam</b>  |
| Saturday, December 12 <sup>th</sup> – Sunday, January 3 <sup>rd</sup>   | <b>Winter Recess</b>  |
| <b>January 2027</b>   |   |
| Monday, January 4 <sup>th</sup>   | <b>Pathology, Microbiology, Pharmacology, PDCI 2, and Ethics starts</b> |
| Monday, January 18 <sup>th</sup>  | <b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day Recess</b>                                |
| Thursday, January 21 <sup>st</sup>                                      | <b>Study day, no classes</b>  |
| Friday, January 22 <sup>nd</sup>  | <b>Integrated Exam #1</b>   |
| <b>February 2027</b>  |   |
| Sunday, February 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Ramadan Begins (Day of Special Concern)                                 |
| Tuesday, February 9 <sup>th</sup>                                       | <b>Ethics ends</b>  |
| Wednesday, February 10 <sup>th</sup>                                    | Ash Wednesday (Day of Special Concern)                                  |
| Thursday, February 11 <sup>th</sup>                                     | <b>Study day, no classes</b>  |
| Friday, February 12 <sup>th</sup>                                       | <b>Integrated Exam #2</b>   |
| Monday, February 15 <sup>th</sup>                                       | <b>Neuroscience, Human Behavior, and PBL starts</b>                     |
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| March 2027   |  |
| Thursday, March 4 <sup>th</sup>                              | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Friday, March 5 <sup>th</sup>                                | <b>Integrated Exam #3</b>  |
| Wednesday, March 24 <sup>th</sup>                            | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Thursday, March 25 <sup>th</sup>                             | <b>Integrated Exam #4</b>  |
| Friday, March 26 <sup>th</sup>                               | <b>Spring Holiday Recess</b>   |
| Sunday, March 28 <sup>th</sup>                               | Easter (Day of Special Concern)  |
| Monday March 29 <sup>th</sup> – Sunday April 4 <sup>th</sup> | <b>M1 Spring Break</b>   |
| April 2027   |  |
| Thursday, April 15 <sup>th</sup>                             | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Friday, April 16 <sup>th</sup>                               | <b>Integrated Exam #5</b>  |
| May 2027   |  |
| Monday, May 3 <sup>rd</sup>                                  | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Tuesday, May 4 <sup>th</sup>                                 | <b>Integrated Exam #6</b>  |
| Wednesday, May 5 <sup>th</sup>                               | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Thursday, May 6 <sup>th</sup>                                | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Friday, May 7 <sup>th</sup>                                  | <b>PDCI Final Exam</b>   |
| Monday, May 10 <sup>th</sup>                                 | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Tuesday, May 11 <sup>th</sup>                                | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Wednesday, May 12 <sup>th</sup>                              | <b>Neuroscience NBME Exam</b>  |
| Thursday, May 13 <sup>th</sup>                               | <b>Study day, no classes</b>   |
| Friday, May 14 <sup>th</sup>                                 | <b>Behavioral Science NBME Exam</b>  |
| Monday, May 24 <sup>th</sup>                                 | <b>Summer Term Starts:<br/>Public Health &amp; Prof. Development Experiences</b> |
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