The NPSI academic calendar is standardized and follows this format year after year. Classes begin on the first Friday after Labor Day and there will be three quarters that are each 12 weeks long. There are no breaks between quarters, but there are 5 vacation weeks during the academic year:

1) Friday after Thanksgiving
2) Two Fridays in December during the weeks of Christmas and New Year’s
3) Friday between Winter and Spring terms
4) Friday before Memorial Day (May)

During years when NPSI sponsors the International Evolving British Object Relations Conference, there will be 11 classes in that quarter and the Friday of EBOR substitutes for one day of classes. All candidates are expected to register for and attend the full EBOR Conference.

**Fall** classes will begin September 6 and end November 22 for the term. There will be 12 classes this term. These dates include September 6, 13, 20, 27, October 4, 11, 18, 25, and November 1, 8, 15, and 22 (No class on November 29).

**Winter** classes will begin December 6 and end March 6 for the term. These dates will include December 6, 13, 20 (No class on December 27 or January 3), January 10, 17, 24, 31, February 7, 14, 21, 28, and March 6.

(Spring Break. No class on March 13)

**Spring** classes will begin March 20 and end June 12 for the term. These dates will include March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15, 29 (No class on May 22), and June 5, 12.