

2026 AOP NEON Flight Campaign Schedule

Start	End	Domain	Sites Scheduled
05 April	08 April	17	San Joaquin Experimental Range NEON (SJER)
14 April	01 May	03	Disney Wilderness Preserve NEON (DSNY) Flint River NEON (FLNT)  [†] Lake Barco NEON (BARC)  [†] Lake Suggs NEON (SUGG)  [†] Ordway-Swisher Biological Station NEON (OSBS) The Jones Center At Ichauway NEON (JERC)
03 May	18 May	08	Black Warrior River NEON (BLWA)  ^{*†} Dead Lake NEON (DELA) [*] Lenoir Landing NEON (LENO) Lower Tombigbee River NEON (TOMB)  [†] Mayfield Creek NEON (MAYF) [†] Talladega National Forest NEON (TALL)
13 May	29 May	13 15	Moab NEON (MOAB) Onaqui NEON (ONAQ)
20 May	03 July	07	Great Smoky Mountains National Park NEON (GRSM) LeConte Creek NEON (LECO) [†] Mountain Lake Biological Station NEON (MLBS) Oak Ridge NEON (ORNL) Walker Branch NEON (WALK) [†]
31 May	07 June	10	Central Plains Experimental Range NEON (CPER)
09 June	03 July	09	Chase Lake National Wildlife Refuge NEON (WOOD) Dakota Coteau Field Site NEON (DCFS) Northern Great Plains Research Laboratory NEON (NOGP) Prairie Lake NEON (PRLA)  [†] Prairie Pothole NEON (PRPO)  [†]
04 July	05 July	15	Red Butte Creek NEON (REDB) [*]
05 July	08 Aug	02	Blandy Experimental Farm NEON (BLAN) Lewis Run NEON (LEWI) [†] Posey Creek NEON (POSE) [†] Smithsonian Conservation Biological Institute NEON (SCBI) Smithsonian Environmental Research Center NEON (SERC)
06 July	14 July	17	Lower Teakettle NEON (TEAK) Soaproot Saddle NEON (SOAP) Teakettle Creek - Watershed 2 NEON (TECR) [†] Upper Big Creek NEON (BIGC) [†]
16 July	16 Aug	10 13	Como Creek NEON (COMO) [†] Niwot Ridge NEON (NIWO) North Sterling NEON (STER) Rocky Mountains NEON (RMNP) West St. Louis Creek NEON (WLOU) [*]
10 Aug	03 Sept	01	Bartlett Experimental Forest NEON (BART) Harvard Forest & Quabbin Watershed NEON (HARV) Lower Hop Brook NEON (HOPB) [*]
18 Aug	31 Aug	14	Jornada Experimental Range NEON (JORN) Santa Rita Experimental Range NEON (SRER) Sycamore Creek NEON (SYCA) [*]

[†] Aquatic site flown within terrestrial site flight box

^{*} Subject to completion of higher priority sites, favorable weather conditions, and available budget

 Coincident water quality grab sampling occurring

Notes: 1) Per a [select modification of NEON data products in 2026](#), no coincident canopy foliar chemistry (CFC) sampling is scheduled to occur. 2) NEON sites MOAB and MLBS have the potential to be flexed into other survey windows based off favorable weather and peak greenness conditions. MOAB from 13|15 into 10|13, MLBS from 07 into 02.