



**Graduate Teaching Assistant
Fall Orientation
August 2025**

Wednesday, August 13, 2025

8:30 am – 4:00 pm

Welcome (8:30 am)

Melanie Morgan, Dean, Graduate College, Oklahoma State University

Session 1 (8:45 to 10:45 am)

What Does Brain Research Reveal About Teaching and Learning? Drs. Kristi Dickey and Gina Morris, Teaching Support Specialists, ITLE

Session 2 (11:00 am – 12:00 pm)

Supporting Student Success, Dr. Shannon Baker, Associate Provost for Student Success, Academic Affairs

Lunch (12:00 – 1:00 pm)

Session 3 (1:00 pm – 3:30 pm)

What Factors Enhance Student Motivation and Engagement? Drs. Kristi Dickey and Gina Morris, Teaching Support Specialists, ITLE