



SD School for the Blind and Visually Impaired

2025 - 2026 SCHOOL CALENDAR

AUGUST (0 / 0 school days)

- 21 - 22: New Staff On Duty; Orientation Days**
- 25 - 29: Professional Development / Classroom Prep**

SEPTEMBER (20 / 20 school days)

- 1: Closed; Labor Day Holiday**
- 2: No Classes; Registration Day; Dorm opens at 1:00 PM**
- 3: Classes Begin (School Day is 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM); 1st Quarter Begins / 1st Semester Begins**

OCTOBER (22 / 42 school days)

- 10: Homegoing; Full day of school - Classes dismiss at 3:00 PM; Supper will be served; Dorm closes at 6:00 PM**
- 13: Closed; Native American Day Holiday**
- 14: No Classes; Parent / Teacher Conferences; Dorm opens 10:00 AM**
- 15: Classes Resume**
- 31: 1st Quarter Ends**

NOVEMBER (17 / 59 school days)

- 3: 2nd Quarter Begins**
- 11: In Session - Veterans Day**
- 25: Homegoing; Classes dismiss at 12:10 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM; Professional Development**
- 26: Closed; Veterans Day Holiday Observed**
- 27: Closed; Thanksgiving Day Holiday**
- 28: Closed**
- 30: Dorm opens at 1:00 PM**

DECEMBER (17 / 76 school days)

- 1: Classes Resume**
- 19: Christmas Program**
- 23: Homegoing; Classes dismiss at 12:10 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM; Professional Development**
- 24 - 26: No Classes**
- 25: Closed; Christmas Day Holiday**
- 29 - 31: No Classes**

JANUARY (20 / 96 school days)

- 1: Closed; New Year's Day Holiday**
- 1 - 2: No Classes**
- 4: Dorm opens 1:00 PM**
- 5: Classes Resume**
- 16: 2nd Quarter Ends (44 Days) / 1st Semester Ends (86 Days)**
- 19: In Session - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; 3rd Quarter Begins / 2nd Semester Begins**

FEBRUARY (18 / 114 school days)

- 12: Homegoing; Classes dismiss at 12:10 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM; Professional Development**
- 13: Closed; Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday Observed**
- 16: Closed; Presidents' Day Holiday**
- 17: No Classes; Parent / Teacher Conferences; Dorm opens 10:00 AM**
- 18: Classes Resume**

MARCH (22 / 136 school days)

- 20: 3rd Quarter Ends (43 Days)**
- 24: 4th Quarter Begins**

APRIL (20 / 156 school days)

- 2: Spring Concert; Homegoing; Classes dismiss at 12:10 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM; Professional Development**
- 3: No Classes; Good Friday**
- 5: Easter Sunday**
- 6: No Classes; Dorm opens at 1:00 PM; Easter Monday**
- 7: Classes Resume**

MAY (15 / 171 school days)

- 21: Awards Program; Commencement; Last Day of School; Classes dismiss at 12:10 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM; 4th Quarter Ends (42 Days); 2nd Semester Ends (85 Days); 171 Total Days 2025-2026 School Year; Professional Development**
- 25: Closed; Memorial Day Holiday**
- 31: Dorm opens at 1:00 PM for ESY**

JUNE

- 1 - 18: Extended School Year (ESY)**
- 18: June ESY Ends at 12:30 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM**
- 19: Closed; Juneteenth Holiday**

JULY

- 3: Closed; Independence Day Holiday Observed**
- 4: Independence Day**
- 5: Dorm opens at 1:00 PM for ESY**
- 6 - 24: Extended School Year (ESY)**
- 24: July ESY Ends at 12:30 PM; Lunch will be served; Dorm closes at 1:00 PM**