



EL PASO ISD 2026-27 ACADEMIC YEAR CALENDAR

EL PASO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

| BELL SCHEDULE | | | | | | | |
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| | ELEMENTARY | MS PK8 | HS | TMECHS MWF | TMECHS TR | ACE | YWA |
| 1ST BELL | 8 AM | 7:35 AM | 8:35 AM | 8:25 AM | 8:05 AM | 7:35 AM | 8:20 AM |
| START TIME | 8:15 AM | 7:50 AM | 8:45 AM | 8:40 AM | 8:20 AM | 7:50 AM | 8:30 AM |
| END TIME | 3:25 PM | 3 PM | 4:10 PM | 4 PM | 4 PM | 3:45 PM | 4 PM |
| EARLY RELEASE | NOON | 11:35 AM | 12:35 PM | 12:25 PM | 12:05 PM | 11:35 AM | 12:30 PM |

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| Elementary, Middle, PK8 Instructional Days = 175 Total Minutes = 77,465 Inclement Weather Days = 3 | ACE Schools Instructional Days = 175 Total Minutes = 85,250 Inclement Weather Days = 20 | High Schools Instructional Days = 175 Total Minutes = 79,195 Inclement Weather Days = 7 |
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| KEY | |
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| Professional Learning | Early Release |
| Teacher Work Day | Intersession (Extended Year Calendar (23) Days (only the students who are required to attend)) |
| New Teacher Professional Learning | State Testing Window STAAR & EOC |
| Teacher 1/2 Day Credit (Exchange) | [Semester Begins |
| Parent/Teacher Conferences |] Semester Ends |
| Holiday/District Closed | < Beginning of Grading Period |
| ADSY - Additional Days School Year | > End of Grading Period |

Teacher 1/2 Day Exchange Credit for extra hours worked during PT Conferences Jan. 4 and March 29. Approved by the Board of Trustees March 24, 2026.

| JULY 2026 | | | | | | | AUGUST 2026 | | | | | | | SEPTEMBER 2026 | | | | | | | OCTOBER 2026 | | | | | | | NOVEMBER 2026 | | | | | | | DECEMBER 2026 | | | | | | | |
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| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | > | 26 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | | | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 29 | 30 | | | | | | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |

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| <p>JULY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 Independence Day Holiday 20-22 New Teacher Academy 24, 29 Teacher Work Day 23, 27, Teacher Professional Development 28, 30, (PD) Week 31 | <p>AUGUST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 First day of classes | <p>SEPTEMBER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7 No School, Labor Day Holiday 9 Early Release/PT Conferences (High School Students ONLY) 15 Early Release/PT Conferences (Elementary School Students ONLY) 17 Early Release/PT Conferences (Middle/PK-8 School Students ONLY) 25 End of 1st Grading Period 28 - Oct. 2 Fall Accelerated Instruction Intersession - ADSY | <p>OCTOBER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5-9 Fall Break/District Closed 12 Teacher PD, No school 13 Start of 2nd Grading Period | <p>NOVEMBER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11 No School, Veteran's Day Holiday 23-27 No School, Thanksgiving Break 30 Start of EOC Testing Window | <p>DECEMBER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1-11 EOC Testing Window 18 End of 2nd 9 grading period Full Day 21-Jan 1 No School, Holiday Break for Teachers & Staff |
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| JANUARY 2027 | | | | | | | FEBRUARY 2027 | | | | | | | MARCH 2027 | | | | | | | APRIL 2027 | | | | | | | MAY 2027 | | | | | | | JUNE 2027 | | | | | | |
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| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 21 | <22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 24 | 31 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 28 | | | | | | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | 30 | 31 | | | | | | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | |

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| <p>JANUARY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Teacher Work Day, No School Exchange Credit for July Fiesta & Fall PT Conferences 5 Teacher PD, No School 6 Start of 3rd Grading Period Start of 2nd Semester 18 No School Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday | <p>FEBRUARY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Early Release/PT Conferences (Elementary School Students ONLY) 3 Early Release/PT Conferences (High School Students ONLY) 9 Early Release/PT Conferences (Middle/PK-8 School Students ONLY) | <p>MARCH</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5 End of 3rd 9 grading period 8 - 12 Spring Accelerated Instruction/Intersession - ADSY 15 - 19 Spring Break/District Closed 22 Start of 4th Grading Period 26 No School, Spring Holiday 29 Teacher PD, No School, Exchange for Spring PT Conference | <p>APRIL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5-30 STAAR / EOC Testing Window | <p>MAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 31 No School Memorial Day Holiday | <p>JUNE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 End of 4th Grading Period Last Day of Classes, Full Day 4 Teacher Work Day 7-July 2 Summer Intersession - ADSY |
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