RICE ISD

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL:	AUGUST 4, 2026
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	MAY 21, 2027
SCHOOL BEGINS AT:	7:45 AM
SCHOOL DISMISSES AT:	4:10 PM

2026/2027 INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR

JULY

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NEW TEACHER | PARENT/TEACHER CONF. | STAFF DEVELOPMENT | STUDENT/TEACHER HOLIDAY | TESTING

DATES TO REMEMBER

AUG 4 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL	**MARCH 26** GOOD FRIDAY
OCT 19 PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES	**APRIL 6-30** STATE TESTING
NOV 24-27 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY	**MAY 21** LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
DEC 1-11 STATE TESTING	**MAY 22** GRADUATION
DEC 22-JAN 1 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY	**JUNE 15-25** STATE TESTING
MARCH 16-19 SPRING BREAK	**JUNE 18** JUNETEENTH OBSERVATION

INSTRUCTIONAL TIME

1ST SEMESTER	76 DAYS
	38,380 MINUTES
2ND SEMESTER	75 DAYS
	37,875 MINUTES
TOTAL TIME	76,255 MINUTES

GRADING PERIODS

AUG 4-OCT 2	FIRST 9 WEEKS
OCT 6 - DEC 18	SECOND 9 WEEKS
JAN 5 - MAR 12	THIRD 9 WEEKS
MAR 23-MAY 21	FOURTH 9 WEEKS

BOARD APPROVED

April 15, 2026

LEARNERS TODAY. LEADERS TOMORROW. BULLDOGS F♥REVER.