

Independence Community School District 26-27 Calendar

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Independence Community School District 2026-2027 School Calendar

Start – Finish
August 24 – May 26

Summary of Calendar:

Days in classroom:
First & Second Term 89
Third & Fourth Term 86
TOTAL CALENDAR DAYS **175**

Summary of Calendar:

Hours in classroom:
First & Second Term 555:20
Third & Fourth Term 537:20
TOTAL CALENDAR HRS **1092:40**

Student Day: 6 hours, 40 minutes

CALENDAR LEGEND

No School–Prof Learning
Early Dismissal & Late Starts
Parent/Teacher Conferences
End of Term
No School
Holidays/District Closed



HOLIDAYS:

Labor Day (9/7)
Thanksgiving (11/26-11/27)
Christmas (12/24-12/25)
New Year's (12/31-1/1)
Easter (3/26)
Memorial Day (5/31)

175 Student Days
1092:40 Instructional Hours
+ 19 Conference Hours
1111:40 Total Hours
- 1080 Required Hours
31:40 Hours Built In

Note: In-service Days may be classified as Career Development, Collaboration and/or Professional Learning depending on the content of the activities being performed.

Note: Additional makeup days may be added at the end of the school year calendar to meet the minimum 1080 hours by the discretion of the superintendent.

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August				Days/Hours		
M	T	W	Th	F		
3	4	5	6	7		
10	11	12	13	14		
17	18	19	20	21		
24	25	26	27	28	5	27:20
31					6	
September						
	1	2	3	4	10	58:40
7	8	9	10	11	14	83:20
14	15	16	17	18	19	114:40
21	22	23	24	25	24	146:00
28	29	30			27	
October						
			1	2	29	177:20
5	6	7	8	9	34	208:40
12	13	14	15	16	38	233:20
19	20	21	22	23	42	258:00
26	27	28	29	30	47	289:20
November						
2	3	4	5	6	52	320:40
9	10	11	12	13	57	352:00
16	17	18	19	20	62	383:20
23	24	25	26	27	64	396:40
30					65	
December						
	1	2	3	4	68	423:20
7	8	9	10	11	73	454:40
14	15	16	17	18	78	486:00
21	22	23	24	25	80	499:20
28	29	30	31			
January						
				1		
4	5	6	7	8	84	524:00
11	12	13	14	15	89	555:20
18	19	20	21	22	93	580:00
25	26	27	28	29	98	611:20
February						
1	2	3	4	5	103	642:40
8	9	10	11	12	108	674:00
15	16	17	18	19	112	698:40
22	23	24	25	26	117	730:00
March						
1	2	3	4	5	121	754:40
8	9	10	11	12	126	786:00
15	16	17	18	19	131	817:20
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29	30	31			135	
April						
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19	20	21	22	23	152	949:20
26	27	28	29	30	157	980:40
May						
3	4	5	6	7	162	1012:00
10	11	12	13	14	167	1043:20
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Events

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TBD Floating Work Day (Aug 1-17)
TBD New Teacher Day

Aug 18-20 Non-Student Days - Prof Learning
Aug 24 First Day of School
2 Hour Early Dismissal-Prof Learning
Aug 25 2 Hour Early Dismissal-Prof Learning
Aug 26-27 Full Days of School
Aug 28 2 Hour Early Dismissal-Prof Learning

Sept 7 Labor Day (No School)

Oct 15 2-Hour Early Dismissal
K-12 Parent Teacher Conf 2:15-7:45
Oct 16 Non-Student Day - Conferences
K-12 Parent Teacher Conf 8:00-12:00
Oct 19 Non-Student Day - Prof Learning
Oct 23 End of 1st Term K-12 (258:00)

Nov 25-27 Thanksgiving Break (No School)

Dec 4 No School
Dec 23-31 Winter Break (No School)

Jan 1 Winter Break (No School)
Jan 4 Non-Student Day - Prof Learning
Jan 5 Classes Resume
Jan 15 End of 2nd Term K-12 (297:20)
Jan 18 Non-Student Day - Prof Learning

Feb 15 Non-Student Day - Prof Learning

Mar 4 2-Hour Early Dismissal
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Mar 24 End of 3rd Term K-12 (282:00)
Mar 25-29 Spring Break (No School)
Mar 30 Non-Student Day - Prof Learning

May 19 Seniors Last Day of School (Min 1050)
May 23 Graduation Jr/Sr High School Gym
May 26 Last Day of School-2 Hour Early Dismissal
May 26 End of 4th Term K-12 (255:20)
May 27 Prof Learning
May 31 Memorial Day (No School)

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