

MADISON CITY SCHOOLS CALENDAR 2026-2027

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2026

JULY						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

AUGUST						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

18 days

SEPTEMBER						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

21 days

OCTOBER						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

17 days

NOVEMBER						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

17 days

DECEMBER						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

14 days

2027

JANUARY						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

17 days

FEBRUARY						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28						

19 days

MARCH						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

18 days

APRIL						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

22 days

MAY						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

17 days

JUNE						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

JULY	4	-----	System Closed for Independence Day Holiday
	30	-----	Institute Day
AUG	Jul 31-Aug 5	-----	Professional Development and Teacher Workdays
	6	-----	First Day for Students
SEPT	7	-----	System Closed for Labor Day Holiday
	16	-----	Half Day for All Students (Early Dismissal);*Teacher Collaborative Day
OCT	2	-----	End of 1st Nine Weeks (41)
	5-9	-----	System Closed for Fall Break
	14	-----	PreACT for 10th grade; E-learning for 9th/11th/12th grade
	21	-----	PSAT for 9th/10th/11th grade; E-learning 11th/12th grade
NOV	11	-----	System Closed for Veterans' Day Holiday
	25-27	-----	System Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday
DEC	17	-----	Half Day for All Students (Early Dismissal);*Teacher Collaborative Day
	18	-----	Half Day for All Students/End of 1st Semester (46) (87)
DEC 22-JAN 4		-----	System Closed for Winter Holidays
JAN	5	-----	No School for Students;Prof. Dev./Teacher Workday
	6	-----	Students Return for Second Semester
	18	-----	System Closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
FEB	10	-----	Half Day for All Students (Early Dismissal);*Teacher Collaborative Day
	15	-----	System Closed for Presidents' Day Holiday
MAR	12	-----	End of 3rd Nine Weeks (46) (133)
	15-19	-----	System Closed for Spring Break
APR	6	-----	ACT for 11th Grade; Workkeys for 9th grade; E-Learning for 10th/12th grade
	14	-----	Half Day for All Students (Early Dismissal);*Teacher Collaborative Day
MAY	17	-----	Graduation Day BJHS and JCHS;E-Learning for all students
	24	-----	Half Day for All Students (Early Dismissal)-*Teacher Collaborative Day
	25	-----	Half Day for All Students/End of 2nd Semester (47) (180)
	26	-----	Teacher Workday (No School for students)
	31	-----	System Closed for Memorial Day Holiday
JUNE	19	-----	System Closed for Juneteenth Holiday

Dismissal Times for 1/2 Days: PreK-11:00; Elementary-11:30; Secondary-12:15

	Student Instructional Day
	Change in High School Schedule Only - see notation above
	*Teacher Collaborative Day - Half Day for Student (Early Dismissal)
	Weather Day (If Needed)
	Teacher Workday/Professional Development Day (No Classes for Students)
	School System Closed
	Elearning day for all students

	Student Days	Teacher Days
First Semester	87	92
Second Semester	93	95
	180	187

Assessment Testing Dates for 2026-2027

Tests

Testing Dates (Windows)

<i>PreACT Secure</i> (Grade 10)	September 28-October 23, 2026
<i>ACT WorkKeys Paper Testing</i> (Grade 12) – Initial	October 14, 2026
<i>ACT WorkKeys Paper Testing with Accommodations/Supports</i> – Initial	October 14-16, 19-23, & 26, 2026
<i>ACT WorkKeys Online Testing</i>	October 14-November 6, 2026
<i>ACT WorkKeys Paper Testing</i> (Grade 12) – Makeup.....	October 28, 2026
<i>ACT WorkKeys Paper Testing with Accommodations/Supports</i> – Make-up.....	October 28-30, & November 2-6, 2026
<i>NAEP</i> (Selected Schools and Grades Only)	TBD
<i>WIDA ACCESS Online</i>	January 19-March 12, 2027
<i>WIDA Alternate ACCESS</i>	January 19-March 12, 2027
<i>ACT WorkKeys Online Retest</i> (Grade 12)	February 24-March 8, 2027
<i>ACT WorkKeys Paper Accommodations Retest</i> (Grade 12)	February 24-26, March 1-5, & March 8, 2027
<i>ACAP Alternate</i> (Grades 2-8, 10 and 11)	March 1-April 2, 2027
<i>ACT with Writing Paper Testing</i> (Grade 11) – Initial	March 9, 2027
<i>ACT with Writing Paper Testing with Accommodations/Supports</i> – Initial.....	March 9-12 & March 15-19, 2027
<i>ACT with Writing Online Testing</i> – Initial	March 9-12 & March 15-19, 2027
<i>ACAP Summative</i> (Grades 2-8) ***	March 15-April 23, 2027
<i>ACT with Writing Paper Testing</i> (Grade 11) - Make-up.....	April 6, 2027
<i>ACT with Writing Paper Testing with Accommodations/Supports</i> – Make-up	April 6-9 & April 12-16, 2027
<i>ACT with Writing Online Testing</i> – Make-up	April 6-9 & April 12-16, 2027
<i>ACAP Supplemental Reading Test - Window 1</i>	June 21-25, 2027
<i>ACAP Supplemental Reading Test - Window 2</i>	July 19-23, 2027

***Districts are required to test **all** second and third grade students on the *ACAP Summative* English language arts assessment during the **first four weeks of the ACAP Summative Testing Window (March 15-April 9, 2027)**.

Dates are Subject to Change