



The *mission* of DeSoto ISD is to ensure students, without exception, learn and grow at their highest levels.

Our *vision* is to inspire curiosity and consciousness, develop character, build courage, and nurture compassion.

2021-2022 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL: August 16, 2021

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL: May 27, 2022

IMPORTANT DATES:

Student Holiday/PD Day	Sept. 3
Labor Day	Sept. 6
Student Holiday/PD Day	Oct. 8
Fair Day	Oct. 11
Student Holiday/PD Day	Nov. 5
Thanksgiving Holiday	Nov. 22 – 26
Early Release Day	Dec. 17
Winter Break	Dec 20 – Dec 31
Student Holiday/Teacher Workday	Jan 3
Student Holiday/ PD Day	Jan 4
MLK Day	Jan. 17
Student Holiday/PD Day	Feb 17 & 18
President's Day	Feb 21
Early Release Day/Parent Conferences	Mar 11
Spring Break	March 14-18
Student Holiday/ PD Day	April 14
Good Friday	April 15
Inclement Weather Day	May 23
Early Release Day/Last Day of School	May 27
Memorial Day	May 30

SIX-WEEKS GRADING PERIODS:

- 1st Six-Weeks (Aug. 16 – Sept. 24)
- 2nd Six-Weeks (Sept. 27 – Nov. 5)
- 3rd Six-Weeks (Nov. 8 – Dec. 17)
- 4th Six-Weeks (Jan. 5 – Feb. 18)
- 5th Six-Weeks (Feb. 22 – Apr. 8)
- 6th Six-Weeks (Apr. 11 – May 27)

SCHOOL HOURS:

PK-2	7:45 – 3:35
3rd – 5th	8:00 – 3:50
Middle	8:30 – 4:20
High School	7:30 – 3:20
Katherine Johnson	8:00 – 3:50
Ruby Young	8:30 – 4:20

Approved by the DeSoto ISD School Board
on Monday, March 22, 2021.

UPDATED: Jan. 25, 2022

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KEY

- Student Holiday/Professional Development
- Student & Staff Holiday
- Inclement Weather Make-up Day
- Student Holiday/Teacher Work Day
- Early Release Day (All grades)
- ◇ STAAR/EOC Testing
- ↔ Beginning & End of Six Weeks
- First & Last Day of School
- △ Semester Exams/Early Release (Secondary Only)
- Teacher Work Days & Professional Development