

FORT WORTH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

2011-2012 KEY CALENDAR DATES

APPROVED: FEBRUARY 22, 2011

• FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL		Monday, August 22, 2011
• LAST DAY OF SCHOOL		Friday, June 15, 2012
• HOLIDAYS		
• Labor Day Holiday		Monday, September 5, 2011
• Thanksgiving Holiday (240 & 245-Day Employees Work Nov. 21 & 22)		Monday, November 21 – Friday, November 25, 2011
• Winter Break		Monday, December 19 – Friday, December 30, 2011
• Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday		Monday, January 16, 2012
• Spring Break (245-Day Employees Work)		Monday, March 12 – Friday, March 16, 2012
• Snow Days (240 & 245-Day Employees work Apr. 6 - All employees work June 18 if snow day not needed)		Friday, April 6 and Monday, June 18, 2012 (if needed)
• Memorial Day Holiday		Monday, May 28, 2012
• Independence Day Holiday		Wednesday, July 4, 2012
• INTERSESSION (240 & 245-Day Employees Work)		Monday, October 17 - Friday, October 21, 2011 Monday March 5 - Friday, March 9, 2012
• STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS		Tuesday, August 16 – Friday, August 19, 2011
• STAFF DEVELOPMENT WAIVER DAYS		Friday, September 16, Monday, October 10, Monday, November 7, 2011; Monday, January 2; Friday, February 3, 2012
• TEACHER PREPARATION DAYS		Monday, August 15, 2011 Friday, January 13, 2012 Monday, June 18, 2012 Tuesday, June 19, 2012 (if 2nd snow day needed)
• REPORTING PERIODS		
• 1st Reporting Period (2 staff dev. waiver days)	39 days	August 22 – October 14, 2011
• 2nd Reporting Period (2 staff dev. waiver days)	44 days	October 24, 2011 – January 12, 2012
• { } Fall Semester	83 days	
• 3rd Reporting Period (1 staff dev. waiver day)	48 days	January 17 – April 5, 2012
• 4th Reporting Period	49 days	April 9 – June 15, 2012
• { } Spring Semester	97 days	
• Total Instructional Days: 180		
• (Includes 5 Staff Development Waiver Days)		
• TAKS TESTING DATES (including TAKS, TAKS-Accommodated and TAKS-Modified)		
• Wednesday, March 7		Gr. 10 ELA, Exit Level ELA
• Monday, April 23		Gr. 10 LAT Math
• Tuesday, April 24		Gr. 10 Math, Gr. 10 ELA LAT
• Wednesday, April 25		Exit Level Math
• Thursday, April 26		Gr. 10 Science, Gr. 10 LAT Science, Exit Level Science
• Friday, April 27		Gr. 10 Social Studies, Exit Level Social Studies
• TAKS Exit Level Retest		ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies - October 18– 21, March 5, 7-9, April 24 – 27, July 9 – 12
• STARR/INCLUDING STARR-MODIFIED TESTING DATES		
• Monday, March 26		Gr. 5 Math, Gr. 5 Math Spanish, Gr. 8 Math, English I & III Writing
• Tuesday, March 27		Gr. 5 Reading, Gr. 5 Reading Spanish, English I & III Reading, Gr. 4 Writing Day 1, Gr. 4 Writing Spanish Day 1, Gr. 7 Writing Day 1
• Wednesday, March 28		English II Writing, Gr. 4 Writing Day 2, Gr. 4 Writing Spanish Day 2, Gr. 7 Writing Day 2
• Thursday, March 29		English II Reading
• Tuesday, April 24		Gr. 3-4 Math, Gr. 3-4 Spanish Math, Gr. 6-7 Math
• Wednesday, April 25		Gr. 3-4 Reading, Gr. 3-4 Spanish Reading, Gr. 6-7 Reading
• Thursday, April 26		Gr. 5 Science; Gr. 5 Spanish Science, Gr. 8 Science
• Friday, April 27		Gr. 8 Social Studies
• Monday, May 7 through Friday, May 11		Algebra I, U.S. History, Biology, Geometry, World Geography
• Monday, May 14 through Thursday, May 17		Physics, World History, Algebra II, Chemistry
• Monday, July 9		World Geography, Geometry, English III-Writing
• Tuesday, July 10		Algebra I, English II-Writing, and English III-Reading
• Wednesday, July 11		Biology, English II-Reading, Algebra II
• Thursday, July 12		English I-Writing, Chemistry, U.S. History
• Friday, July 13		English I-Reading, World History, Physics