

Rhode Island Schools RIDE 2024/25 School Calendar

AUGUST 2024					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
19	20	21	22	23	(--)
26	27	28	29	30	

SEPTEMBER 2024					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
2*	3	4	5	6	19
9	10	11	12	13	
16	17	18	19	20	
23	24	25	26	27	
30					

OCTOBER 2024					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
	1	2^	3^	4^	22
7	8	9	10	11^	
14*	15	16	17	18	
21	22	23	24	25	
28	29	30	31		41

NOVEMBER 2024					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
				1	17
4	5	6	7	8	
11*	12	13	14	15	
18	19	20	21	22	
25	26	27	28*	29	58

DECEMBER 2024					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
2	3	4	5	6	15
9	10	11	12	13	
16	17	18	19	20	
23	24	25*	26	27	
30	31				73

JANUARY 2025					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
		1*	2	3	21
6	7	8	9	10	
13	14	15	16	17	
20*	21	22	23	24	
27	28	29	30	31	94

FEBRUARY 2025					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
3	4	5	6	7	15
10	11	12	13	14	
17*	18	19	20	21	
24	25	26	27	28	
					109

MARCH 2025					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
3	4	5	6	7	21
10	11	12	13	14	
17	18	19	20	21	
24	25	26	27	28	
31^					130

APRIL 2025					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
	1	2	3	4	17
7	8	9	10	11	
14	15	16	17	18	
21	22	23	24	25	
28	29	30			147

MAY 2025					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
			1	2	21
5	6	7	8	9	
12	13	14	15	16	
19	20	21	22	23	
26*	27	28	29	30	168

JUNE 2025					
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Days
2	3	4	5	6	(--)
9	10	11	12	13	
16	17	18	19*	20	
23	24	25	26	27	
30					

Key:
X No School; *Holiday
^ Observance Day

2024/25 School Calendar Overview

August/September

First Day of School – LEA Decision

September

2* – Labor Day (No School)
 10 – State Primary Day

October

2-4^ – Rosh Hashanah (begins at sundown on the 2nd)
 11^ – Yom Kippur (begins at sundown)
 14* – Columbus Day / Indigenous People’s Day (No School)

November

5* – Election Day (No School)
 11* – Veterans’ Day (No School)
 28*, 29 – Thanksgiving Recess (No School)

December

23-31 – Holiday Recess (No School)

January

1* – New Year’s Day (No School)
 20* – Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day (No School)

February

February 17-20 – Winter Recess (No School)

March

31^ - Eid al-Fitr

April

14-18 - Spring Recess (No School)

May

26* – Memorial Day (No School)

June

Graduation (After 171st Day) – LEA Decision
 Last Day of School – LEA Decision
 19* – Juneteenth National Freedom Day (No School)

School Calendar Notes

1. **This calendar provides a base of 168 days from September through May.** LEA calendars shall include at least 184 days (the statutory minimum required 180 school days + four (4) additional days to address exigent contingencies.)
2. **The Tuesday after the first Monday in November (November 5) is Election Day. The Statewide Primary (September 10) takes place on the eighth Tuesday preceding the election.** School will not be in session for students on these dates. LEAs may choose to use these days to conduct staff professional development.¹ *(Updated January 31, 2024)*
3. **The Wednesday before Thanksgiving (November 27) is designated as a school day.** Including this day as part of Thanksgiving recess is a LEA decision.
4. **The recommended week for Winter Recess is February 17-21.** LEAs are not required to use the full week for Winter Recess.
5. **As a reminder, Regulations Governing the School Calendar and Length of the School Day can be found at [§ 200-RICR-20-05-1](#).**
 - a. A school year has no less than 180 days for students.²
 - b. A school day consists of no less than 5.5 hours or 330 minutes of instructional time for all grades.³
6. LEAs' tentative calendars should account for 184 school days: 180 days plus four make-up days in the event of closure due to inclement weather.
 - Any LEAs utilizing Right-to-Read Professional Development Days should indicate designated days on their submitted calendar.
 - Any LEAs leveraging § 200-RICR-20-05-1.14 (D) must submit a detailed school day plan and proposed school calendar to RIDE no later than May 1, 2024.
7. **The first day of school shall be no later than September 5, 2024.**
8. **Graduation shall be scheduled after the 171st school day.**

¹ Block Island School in New Shoreham is not subject to the provisions of RIGL § 17-18-15.

² For the 2024-2025 school year, school districts shall be able to replace up to three (3) instructional days per year with teacher professional development days related only to the Right to Read Act in order to meet the requirements of H7164.

³ In the case of inclement weather or other emergency, [virtual instruction](#) or in-person instruction requires at least three hours of instructional time.