

Desert Sands Unified School District

2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

July 2016	August 2016	September 2016	October 2016
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SIGNIFICANT DATES

July 4	4th of July Observance
*Aug. 19 & 22	New Teachers Inservice
Aug. 23, 24	Teacher Preparation
Aug. 25	Instruction Begins
Sept. 5	Labor Day Observed
Oct. 10	Prof Dev Day/Non School Day
Nov. 11	Veterans Day
Nov. 21-23	Schools Closed
Nov. 24-25	Thanksgiving Holiday
Dec. 19-30, Jan. 2	Winter Break
Dec. 23 & 26	Classified Holiday
Dec. 30 & Jan. 2	Classified Holiday
Jan. 16	Martin Luther King Day
Jan. 27	Prof Dev Day/Non School Day
Feb. 13	Lincoln's Day Observance
Feb. 20	Presidents' Day
Apr. 10 - 14	Spring Break
Apr. 16	Easter
May 29	Memorial Day
June 13	Last Day of School

INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS

<u>Grades K-5</u>	
11/18	1st Trimester Ends (59)
3/10	2nd Trimester Ends (60)
6/13	3rd Trimester Ends (61)
<u>Grades 6-8</u>	
10/28	First Quarter Ends (45)
1/26	Second Quarter Ends (46)
3/31	Third Quarter Ends (43)
6/13	Fourth Quarter Ends (46)
<u>Grades 9-12</u>	
10/28	First Quarter Ends (45)
1/26	Second Quarter Ends (46)
3/31	Third Quarter Ends (43)
6/13	Fourth Quarter Ends (46)
TESTING WINDOW	
CELDT: 7/1 - 10/31/2016	
CAASPP: Science 4/11 - 5/16/2017	
CAASPP/SBAC: 3/13 - 6/13/2017 (Gr. 3-8)	
4/24 - 6/13/2017 (Gr. 11)	

MINIMUM DAYS

<u>Elementary</u>	
To Be Determined by Site	Parent Conferences
<u>Middle</u>	<u>High Schools</u>
<u>Col. Paige Middle</u>	Indio High
<u>Desert Ridge Academy</u>	La Quinta High
	Palm Desert High
	Shadow Hills
<u>Glenn Middle</u>	
<u>Indio Middle</u>	Amistad High
<u>Jefferson Middle</u>	Summit High
<u>La Quinta Middle</u>	Horizon School
<u>Palm Desert Charter Middle</u>	

	* New Teachers Inservice
	*8/19 Sp Ed & 8/22 Gen Ed
	Teacher Work Days
	School Recess

CALENDAR KEY

	Instruction Begins
	Last Day of School

	Holidays
	Staff Development Days
	Non-instructional Days