

Mississippi School for Mathematics and Science – 2025-2026 Calendar–FINAL (subject to change)

JULY 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	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		

4 Independence Day



1-2 Winter Holidays

- 5 PD/Faculty Contract Day 4
- 6 Classes Begin (3rd Quarter)
- 19 Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Extended Weekend
- 20 Classes Resume

JANUARY 2026

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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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

Instructional Days: 18

AUGUST 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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- 1 Professional Development
- Faculty Contract Days 1
- 2 Junior Move-in
- 3 Senior Move-in
- 4 Opening Convocation/
Classes Begin (1st Quarter)
- 10 Ceremony of Lights
- 23 Family Day
- Faculty Contract Day 2

Instructional Days: 20

- 1 MSMS Application Deadline
- 16 Extended Weekend
- 17 Classes Resume
- 21 Application Review/
Faculty Contract Day 5

FEBRUARY 2026

S	M	T	W	Th	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

Instructional Days: 19

SEPTEMBER 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

- 1 Labor Day Holiday/
Extended Weekend
- 2 Classes Resume

Instructional Days: 21

9-13 Spring Break

- 16 Classes Resume
- 18 3rd Quarter Ends
- 19 4th Quarter Begins
- 21 MSMS Interview Day
- 24 Make-up Interview Day
- 27 Final Selection

MARCH 2026

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Q3: 45 Days

Instructional Days: 17

OCTOBER 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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26	27	28	29	30	31	

- 6 1st Quarter Ends
- 7 2nd Quarter Begins
- 13-14 Fall Break (No Classes)
- 14 Faculty Contract Day 3
- 15 Classes Resume

Q1: 45 Days

Instructional Days: 21

3-6 Easter Holiday

- 7 Classes Resume
- 25 New Student Orientation
- Faculty Contract Day 6

APRIL 2026

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26	27	28	29	30		

Instructional Days: 20

NOVEMBER 2025

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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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24-28 Thanksgiving Holidays



Instructional Days: 15

- 14 Tutorial Day
- 15, 18-20 Exams
- 21 Make-Up Exam
- Day/Residence Halls Close
- 22 Faculty Contract Day 7
- 23 Graduation/
Faculty Contract Day 8
- 25 Memorial Day Holiday

Spring Semester:

89 Instructional Days
96 Faculty Contract Days

MAY 2026

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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Q4: 44 Days

Instructional Days: 15

DECEMBER 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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- 1 Classes Resume
- 11 Tutorial Day
- 12, 15-17 Exams
- 18 Makeup Exams/
End of 2nd Quarter
- 20 – 31 Winter Holidays

Q2: 46 Days

Instructional Days: 14

Fall Semester:
91 Instructional Days
94 Contract Days

19 Federal Holiday

Total Instructional Days: 180
Total Faculty Contract Days: 190

*Two additional faculty contract days for 2 extra MSMS weekend events...

- Junior Move-in Day
- Middle School Science Bowl
- MSMS Quiz Bowl or Robotics
- Weekend Field Trip
- Prom or Winter Formal
- Other events as approved

JUNE 2026

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