

Hawaii State Department of Education 2026-2027 OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR

Teachers' Work Year - 1st Semester: July 28, 2026 - January 4, 2027; 2nd Semester: January 5, 2027 - May 31, 2027
Students' Work Year - 1st Semester: August 3, 2026 - December 18, 2026; 2nd Semester: January 5, 2027 - May 27, 2027

Week	Student Days	Teacher Days		Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	
	0	0	July 2026	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	1st SEMESTER - 89 Student Days (Ends December 18)
1	0	4	August	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	July 28: Teachers' First Day
2	5	9		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	July 28 - July 31: Teacher Work Days (no students)
3	10	14		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	August 3: Students' First Day
4	14	18		16	17	18	19	20	21	22	August 21: Statehood Day
5	19	23		23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
6	24	28	September	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	
7	28	32		6	7	8	9	10	11	12	September 7: Labor Day
8	33	37		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
9	38	42		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
10	43	47	October	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	
11				4	5	6	7	8	9	10	October 5-9: Fall Break***
12	48	52		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
13	53	57		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
14	58	62		25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
15	62	66	November	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	November 3: Election Day
16	66	70		8	9	10	11	12	13	14	November 11: Veterans' Day
17	71	75		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	November 26: Thanksgiving
18	74	78		22	23	24	25	26	27	28	November 27: School Holiday****
19	79	83	December	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	
20	84	88		6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
21	89	93		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	December 21-January 1: Winter Break***/****
22				20	21	22	23	24	25	26	2nd SEMESTER - 93 Student Days (Ends May 27)
23			January 2027	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	December 25: Christmas
24	93	98		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	January 1: New Year's Day
25	98	103		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	January 4: Teacher Workday (no students)*
26	102	107		17	18	19	20	21	22	23	January 18: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day
27	107	112		24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
28	112	117	February	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	February 8-12: Institute Day
29	116	122		7	8	9	10	11	12	13	(One day with no students during the week.)
30	120	126		14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Date for each island TBD.)
31	125	131		21	22	23	24	25	26	27	February 15: Presidents' Day
32	130	136	March	28	1	2	3	4	5	6	
33	135	141		7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
34				14	15	16	17	18	19	20	March 15 - 19: Spring Break***
35	139	145		21	22	23	24	25	26	27	March 26: Good Friday
36	143	149	April	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	March 29: Kuhio Day (school observed)
37	148	154		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
38	153	159		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
39	158	164		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
40	163	169	May	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	
41	168	174		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
42	173	179		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
43	178	184		16	17	18	19	20	21	22	May 27: Last Day for Students & Second Semester Ends**
44	182	189		23	24	25	26	27	28	29	May 28: Last Day for Teachers
45	182	189	June	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	May 31: Memorial Day
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Q1
43 days

Ends
Oct. 2

Q2
46 days

Ends
Dec. 18

Q3
46 days

Ends
Mar. 12

Q4
47 days

Ends
May 27

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*Teacher workday between semesters: Jan. 4
 **For 10-month teachers: Intersession: Oct. 5-9; Recesses: Dec. 21-Jan. 1 and Mar. 15-19
 ****For 12-month teachers: Paid break days include the day after Thanksgiving: Nov. 27 and Winter Break: Dec. 21-Jan. 1
 Educational Officer & Teacher Institute Days: TBD (one day per island)

STATE HOLIDAYS: 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR	
Statehood Day:	August 21, 2026
Labor Day:	September 7, 2026
Election Day:	November 3, 2026
Veterans' Day:	November 11, 2026
Thanksgiving Day:	November 26, 2026
Christmas Day:	December 25, 2026
New Year's Day:	January 1, 2027
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day:	January 18, 2027
Presidents' Day:	February 15, 2027
Good Friday:	March 26, 2027
Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana'ole Day:	March 26, 2027
Memorial Day:	May 31, 2027

^2 Instructional days shall be converted to a non-student day for school planning and collaboration.
 ^^The work year for teachers consists of 193 days. Teachers report to campus for 189 days and 4 additional days, converted to 27 hours, shall be scheduled contiguous to the teacher's work day. 21 hours are used for job-embedded professional development and 6 hours for training, planning and assessment, or teacher evaluation meetings.