



MESQUITE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 2016-17 School Calendar

Fall Semester - 76 Instructional Days

JULY 2016						
S	M	T	W	T	SH	2
3	4	5	6	7	SH	9
10	11	12	13	14	SH	16
17	18	19	20	21	SH	23
24	25	26	27	28	SH	30
31						

July 4 4th of July (Offices Closed)

AUGUST 2016						
S	1	2	3	4	SH	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			

Aug. 1-4 Elem. New Teacher Camp
 Aug. 8-10 Sec. New Teacher Camp
 Aug. 11-19 Staff Professional Days
 Aug. 22 First Day of School

SEPTEMBER 2016						
S	M	T	W	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	

Sept. 5 Labor Day
 Sept. 26 Staff Professional Day

OCTOBER 2016						
S	M	T	W	T	F	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					

Oct. 3 Fair Day
 Oct. 24 Staff Professional Day

NOVEMBER 2016						
S	M	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			

Nov. 21-25 Thanksgiving Break*

DECEMBER 2016						
S	M	T	W	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

Dec. 15 Early Release (High School)
 Dec. 16 Early Release (All)
 Dec. 19 - 30 Winter Break

Spring Semester - 99 Instructional Days

JANUARY 2017						
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				

Jan. 2 Staff Professional Day
 Jan. 16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day

FEBRUARY 2017						
S	M	T	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				

Feb. 20 Staff Professional Day

MARCH 2017						
S	M	T	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	

March 13-17 Spring Break

APRIL 2017						
S	M	T	W	T	F	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						

April 14 Bad Weather Day #2

MAY 2017						
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			

May 29 Memorial Day
 May 31 Early Release (High School)

JUNE 2017						
S	M	T	W	1	2	3
4	5°	6	7	8	SH	10
11	12	13	14	15	SH	17
18	19	20	21	22	SH	24
25	26	27	28	29	SH	

June 1 Early Release (All)
 June 2 Bad Weather Day #1
 Staff Professional Day

CALENDAR SYMBOLS KEY:

- School Holiday
- Staff Professional Day (No Classes)
- Elementary New Teacher Camp
- Secondary New Teacher Camp
- Bad Weather Day
- Early Release
- Elementary End of Grading Period
- Secondary End of Grading Period
- SH** Summer Hours - Offices Closed

HIGH SCHOOL BLOCK SCHEDULE KEY:

- “A Days” indicated by bold red numbers.
- “B Days” indicated by blue numbers.

***About Bad Weather Days:**

June 2 and April 14 are “makeup” days if schools must be closed due to bad weather during the year. Please take these two dates into account when planning activities.

°If classes are held on **June 2:** June 2 will be the last day of school for students, and June 5 will be the Final Staff Professional Day for staff.

° **November 21-22** are regular workdays for 226-day employees.

Sixth-grade students residing on a middle school campus will follow the secondary schools’ grading-period schedule (indicated with green).

2016-2017 IMPORTANT STATE ASSESSMENT DATES:

	Writing	Math	Reading	Social Studies	Science
3rd Grade	-	May 8	May 9	-	-
4th Grade	March 28	May 8	May 9	-	-
5th Grade	-	March 28	March 29	-	May 10
6th Grade	-	May 8	May 9	-	-
7th Grade	March 28	May 8	May 9	-	-
8th Grade	-	March 28	March 29	May 11	May 10

	English 1	English 2	Algebra I, Biology, U.S. History
High School	March 28	March 30	May 1-5

REPORT CARD AND PROGRESS REPORT DATES FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS

(Includes sixth-grade students residing on a middle school campus.)

September 15, 2016	Progress Report*
October 7, 2016	Report Card
October 27, 2016	Progress Report*
November 11, 2016	Report Card
December 8, 2016	Progress Report*
January 6, 2017	Report Card
January 26, 2017	Progress Report*
February 24, 2017	Report Card
March 23, 2017	Progress Report*
April 21, 2017	Report Card
May 11, 2017	Progress Report*
End of Year (Mailed)	Report Card

REPORT CARD DATES FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

(Includes sixth-grade students residing on an elementary campus.)

October 20, 2016	Report Card
January 5, 2017	Report Card
March 23, 2017	Report Card
End of Year	Report Card

** Progress reports are only required for students who are not passing classes at the grading period mid-point. Elementary progress report dates vary by campus.*

2017 GRADUATION DATES AND TIMES:

North Mesquite High School	Saturday, May 27	9 a.m.	Curtis Culwell Center, 4999 Naaman Forest Blvd., Garland 75040
Poteet High School	Saturday, May 27	1 p.m.	Curtis Culwell Center, 4999 Naaman Forest Blvd., Garland 75040
Mesquite High School	Saturday, May 27	5 p.m.	Curtis Culwell Center, 4999 Naaman Forest Blvd., Garland 75040
John Horn High School	Sunday, May 28	2 p.m.	Curtis Culwell Center, 4999 Naaman Forest Blvd., Garland 75040
West Mesquite High School	Sunday, May 28	6 p.m.	Curtis Culwell Center, 4999 Naaman Forest Blvd., Garland 75040
The Mesquite Academy*	Thursday, June 1	7 p.m.	Sunnyvale Baptist Church, 3018 N. Beltline Road, Sunnyvale 75182

** Academy information tentative.*

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SCHOOL HOURS:

Pre-K Morning Session	7:55 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.
Pre-K Afternoon Session	12:05 p.m. – 3:05 p.m.
Elementary	7:55 a.m. – 3:05 p.m.
Middle School	8:25 a.m. – 3:35 p.m.
High School	8:45 a.m. – 3:55 p.m.

EARLY RELEASE TIMES:

Elementary Students	12:05 p.m.
Middle School Students	12:35 p.m.
High School Students	12:55 p.m.