

Essence Prep 2023-2024 Academic Calendar

July 2023						
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					

0 Instructional Days

October 2023						
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				

21 Instructional Days

January 2024						
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			

20 Instructional Days

April 2024						
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				

21 Instructional Days

QUARTERS	Q1 = 43 days	Q3 = 43 days
	Q2 = 42 days	Q4 = 42 days

August 2023						
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		

14 Instructional Days

November 2023						
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	

16 Instructional Days

February 2024						
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		

20 Instructional Days

May 2024						
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	

22 Instructional Days

182 Instructional Days
195 Teacher Days
75,430 Minutes
School Hours: 7:45a - 4:30p

September 2023						
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						

20 Instructional Days

December 2023						
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						

11 Instructional Days

March 2024						
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						

14 Instructional Days

June 2024						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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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						

3 Instructional Days

Key	
	School Not in Session
	Staff Professional Development
	Student & Family Orientation
	Early Release
	Student/Staff Holiday - No School
	Extended Student/Staff Holiday
	Student Holiday/Staff PD
	Student Testing
	Project Week/EOC Exams
	Summer School
	Early Release/PD Day
	RISE Summer School

Days of Interest

August

July 31-Aug. 11: Staff Professional Development (No School)
August 11: Meet the Teacher Night (5:30-6:30 PM)
August 14: First Day of School
August 14: Start of Quarter 1

September

September 4: Student/Staff Holiday (Labor Day)
September 29: CBE Acceleration (Grades 1-5)

October

October 9: Student/Staff Holiday (Indigenous Peoples Day)
October 13: End of Quarter 1
October 16: Start of Quarter 2

November

November 20-24: Student/Staff Holiday (Fall Break)
November 27: Student Holiday (Staff PD: Data Day)
November 30: CBE Acceleration (Grades 1-5)

December

December 18-January 1: Student/Staff Holiday (Winter Break)

January

January 2: Student Holiday (Staff PD: Data Day)
January 5: End of Quarter 2
January 8: Start of Quarter 3
January 15: Student/Staff Holiday (MLK, Jr. Day)

February

February 19: Student/Staff Holiday (Presidents' Day/Bad Weather)

March

March 8: End of Quarter 3
March 11-15: Student/Staff Holiday (Spring Break)
March 18: Student Holiday (Staff PD)
March 19: Start of Quarter 4
March 26-28: TELPAS Testing
March 29: Student/Staff Holiday (Good Friday)

April

April 16-18: STAAR ALT Testing (Grades 3-5)

April 26: Student/Staff Holiday (Battle of Flowers)

May

May 7: STAAR Testing (Science, Grade 5)
May 9: STAAR Testing (Math, Grades 3-8)
May 17: End of Quarter 4
May 27: Student/Staff Holiday (Memorial Day)
May 28-30: Project Week & Final Course Exams

June

June 5: Last Day of School; Early Release
June 10 - July 14: RISE Summer School
June 17: Student/Staff Holiday (Observe Juneteenth)

COVID-19 Contingency Plan

If Essence Prep needs to make up for instructional minutes due to extended closures or shortened school days, the additional minutes will be added onto the end of the school year or via virtual learning. At this time, Essence Prep is not adopting an intercessional calendar.