

DeSoto County Schools Academic Calendar

2023-2024 School Year

August 1, 2023	Teachers' First Day
August 3, 2023	Students' First Day
September 4, 2023	Labor Day Holiday
October 9, 2023	Fall Break
November 20 - 24, 2023	Thanksgiving Holidays
December 15, 2023	First Semester Ends
December 18, 2023- January 1, 2024	Christmas Break
January 2, 2024	Staff Development Day
January 3, 2024	Staff Development Day
January 4, 2024	Students Return
January 15, 2024	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
February 16, 2024	Staff Development Day
February 19, 2024	Presidents' Day Holiday
March 11 -15, 2024	Spring Break
March 29, 2024	Good Friday Holiday
April 1, 2024	Easter Break
May 22, 2024	Students' Last Day
May 24, 2024	Teachers' Last Day

Tentative Make-up Days: February 16, February 19, April 1, May 23

Graduations:

Friday, May 17th	Southaven High School	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 18th	Olive Branch High School	10:00 a.m.
Saturday, May 18th	Lake Cormorant High School	3:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 18th	Center Hill High School	7:00 p.m.
Sunday, May 19th	Lewisburg High School	3:00 p.m.
Monday, May 20th	Hernando High School	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, May 21st	Horn Lake High School	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, May 22nd	DeSoto Central High School	7:00 p.m.

Number of Days	Start	End
182*	August 1, 2023	May 22, 2024
187	August 1, 2023	May 24, 2024
190	July 27, 2023	May 24, 2024
200	July 17, 2023	May 29, 2024
205	July 17, 2023	June 5, 2024
210	July 10, 2023	June 5, 2024
230**	July 1, 2023	June 30, 2024

*Employees who work 182 days will not work on the following dates:

January 2, 2024
January 3, 2024
February 16, 2024
May 23, 2024
May 24, 2024

**Employees who work 230 days will receive two additional holidays on July 3, 2023 and July 4, 2023.

Student Days:

August – 21 student days
September – 20 student days
October – 21 student days
November – 17 student days
December – 11 student days

January – 19 student days
February – 19 student days
March – 15 student days
April – 21 student days
May – 16 student days

Staff Development Days:

August 1, 2023
August 2, 2023
January 2, 2024
January 3, 2024
February 16, 2024
May 23, 2024
May 24, 2024

Report Cards:

End of First Nine Weeks: Thursday, October 5; Report Cards - October 12 (45 Days)

End of Second Nine Weeks: Friday, December 15; Report Cards – January 4 (45 days)

End of Third Nine Weeks: Monday, March 18; Report Cards - March 21 (45 Days)

End of Fourth Nine Weeks - Wednesday, May 22 (45 Days)

Progress Reports:

1st Nine Weeks: Week of Sept. 11
2nd Nine Weeks: Week of Nov. 6
3rd Nine Weeks: Week of Feb. 5
4th Nine Weeks: Week of April 15