

Isleta Elementary School

2023-2024 School Calendar Survey

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Isleta Elementary School (IES) is seeking your input in establishing the school year calendar and main schedule for the 2023-2024 school year. This survey asks 11 questions and will take about 5-10 minutes to complete.

You can also take this survey online by going to www.isletaelementary.com and clicking on the link under the Announcements & Notifications. You only need to complete this survey once, by paper or online.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS SURVEY (BY PAPER OR ONLINE) BY MARCH 24, 2023

General School Calendar

1. What is your role? **CHECK ALL THAT APPLY**

- Parent/Guardian of an IES Student
- Community Member, but not a Parent/Guardian of an IES Student
- IES School Employee
- Other: _____

2. We understand that families may have other children attending school in a neighboring school district. To minimize the burden on families, we aim to complement the school calendar most preferred by parents, school employees, and community members. IES will make the greatest effort to match a calendar from the Albuquerque Public Schools (APS) or Los Lunas Schools (LLS) while considering the BIE requirements for student instructional time and employee contract days.

To view the proposed APS 2023-2024 school calendar, go to <https://www.aps.edu/news/news-from-2022-2023/what-do-you-think-of-proposed-2023-2024-aps-calendars>. Los Lunas School District has not publicly released a proposed 2023-2024 school calendar at this time.

I prefer that the 2023-2024 IES School Calendar follow: **SELECT ONE**

- Albuquerque Public Schools (APS) calendar
- Los Lunas Schools (LLS) calendar
- No preference
- Other: _____

3. I prefer the school day to start & end at: (Note: Breakfast is served after the bell)

SELECT ONE

- Start at 8:00 am, End at 3:00 pm
- Start at 8:15 am, End at 3:15 pm
- Start at 8:30 am, End at 3:30 pm

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2-Hour Delay and Early Release Days

Use the following definitions to answer the next set of questions.

- *Regular School Day* - The school day starts and ends at the regularly scheduled time.
- *Early Release Day* - The school day starts at the regular time and students are dismissed after lunch.
- *2-Hour Delay Day* - The school day is delayed by 2-hours. Breakfast is not served. Students are dismissed at the regular time.
- *Staff Only Day* - No school for students. IES staff report to work.
- *School Vacation Day* - No school for students. No work for IES staff.

4. I prefer *Early Release Days* to dismiss at: **SELECT ONE**
- 12:00 pm
 - 12:30 pm
 - 1:00 pm
 - No preference
5. Teachers and school employees meet regularly for training and staff meetings. During these times, students are not at school. I would prefer that these days take place on: **SELECT ONE**
- 2-Hour Delay Days* where students arrive at 10:00 am and breakfast will not be served.
 - Early Release Days* where students are dismissed early from school.
 - Staff Only Days*
 - Regular School Days* where students arrive and are dismissed at the normal times.
 - No preference.
6. If *2-Hour Delay Days* or *Early Release Days* are regularly scheduled on the calendar, I would prefer that these days take place occur: **SELECT ONE**
- Every week
 - Twice per month
 - Once per month
 - No preference
 - Never, except for unexpected events (i.e., adverse weather, unsafe driving conditions) or special events (i.e., traditional/cultural days, parent teacher conference).
7. If *2-Hour Delay Days* or *Early Release Days* are regularly scheduled on the calendar, what day of the week would you prefer this to occur: **SELECT ONE**
- Monday
 - Tuesday
 - Wednesday
 - Thursday
 - Friday
 - No preference
 - Never, except for unexpected events (i.e., adverse weather, unsafe driving conditions) or special events (i.e., traditional/cultural days, parent teacher conference).

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Special Events and Days

Use the following definitions to answer the next set of questions.

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- *2-Hour Delay Day* - The school day is delayed by 2-hours. Breakfast is not served. Students are dismissed at the regular time.
- *Staff Only Day* - No school for students. IES staff report to work.
- *School Vacation Day* - No school for students. No work for IES staff.

8. I prefer to have Parent-Teacher Conferences: **SELECT ONE**

- after 3:00 pm on a *Regular School Day*.
- after 1:00 pm on an *Early Release Day*.
- after 8:00 am on a *Staff Only Day*.

9. I prefer that Student Awards Assemblies occur on: **SELECT ONE**

- a *Regular School Day* and the event is in the morning.
- a *Regular School Day* and the event is in the afternoon.

10. What other special events or special days should we consider?

- Provide the name and date of the event.
- Include your recommendation for the type of school day for the event (*Regular, 2-Hour Delay, Early Release, Staff-Only*)

11. Are there any other scheduling needs that we should consider for next year's school calendar? ****OPTIONAL****

Thank you for your input in planning the school year calendar and schedule for next year.