



# MARTINSVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear MISD Students, Parents, and Staff,

MISD has revised the school calendar for the 2020-2021 school year. The changes have been made as a result of 3 months of lost on campus instruction time due to the current public health crisis, and also to plan for any future closings. The Texas Education Agency is recommending school districts revise school calendars to prepare for future closings if needed. Please note the following key dates for next year's calendar:

1. The first day of school for students is Monday, August 10, 2020.
2. The first day for staff is Monday, August 3, 2020.
3. The last day of school for students is Thursday, May 27, 2021.
4. High School Graduation will be Friday, May 28, 2021.
5. Thanksgiving holiday, Christmas holidays, and Spring Break dates **HAVE NOT CHANGED**.
6. COVID 19 Flex Days have been added in case school is closed again next year and make up days are needed during the school year. This will greatly reduce the need to add make up days to the end of the school year. The Flex days are in pink on the attached calendar below. **Parents, students, and staff should PLAN ON BEING IN SCHOOL DURING COVID 19 FLEX DAYS AND NOT MAKE TRAVEL PLANS.** If the Flex days are not needed, they could be designated as holidays or possibly be used to end the school year earlier than May 28, 2021. Having this flexibility will allow us to best adjust to any closings that could occur next school year. This information is being provided now to allow time to plan for travel, vacations, and childcare. Please note it may be necessary to make further changes as a result of public health considerations. Please continue to monitor our school website and social media accounts for the latest information. We will look forward to seeing students back on campus on Monday, August 10, 2020.

Sincerely,

David Simmons, Ph.D.

Superintendent of Schools

**Martinsville ISD**  
**2020-2021**  
**School Calendar**



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July 2020						
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Student Holidays	
Labor Day	September 7, 2020
Student Holiday	October 12, 2020
Thanksgiving Holidays	November 23 - 29, 2020
Christmas Holidays	December 21 - January 4
MLK	January 18, 2021
Spring Break	March 8-12, 2021
Good Friday	April 2, 2021

January 2021						
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Early Release Dates	
September 18, 2020	February 26, 2021
October 30, 2020	April 16, 2021
December 18, 2020	May 21, 2021

February 2021						
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Important Instructional Dates	
First Day of School	August 10, 2020
Fall Semester	August 10 - December 18, 2020
Spring Semester	January 11 - May 28, 2021
Last Day of School	May 28, 2021
Kindergarten Graduation	May 25, 2021
8th Grade Graduation	May 27, 2021
High School Graduation	May 28, 2021
<b>STAAR/EOC Testing Dates are Red</b>	

March 2021						
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Six Weeks Dates	
8/10 - 9/18	29
9/21 - 10/30	29
11/02 - 12/18	25
1/11 - 2/26	29
3/01 - 4/16	29
4/19 - 5/28	30

April 2021						
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<b>COVID Flex Days</b>	
November 16-20, 2020	
January 4-8, 2021	February 15-19, 2021
First Semester	83
Second Semester	88
<b>Total Instructional Days</b>	<b>171</b>

May 2021						
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<b>Staff Development/ Work Days</b>	August 3-7, 2020
	June 1-4, 2021

December 2020						
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June 2020						
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