



New Caney Independent School District

2008-09 Academic Calendar

Focused on Excellence

1ST DAY INSTRUCTION—Teachers/Students
 Supt. Meets New Teachers Aug. 14, 2008
 1st Day for Teachers Aug. 18, 2008
 1st Day for Students Aug. 25, 2008
 Last Day for Students June 5, 2009
 Last Day for Teachers June 6, 2009

STAFF DEVELOPMENT (Student Holiday)
 August 18-21, 2008

Total Staff Dev. Days—4

TEACHER PREP (Student Holiday)
 August 22, 2008
 January 19, 2009
 June 6, 2009

Total Teacher Prep Days—3

WEATHER DAYS
 April 13, 2009
 June 8, 2009

Total Weather Days—2

EARLY DISMISSAL
 December 19, 2008
 March 27, 2009 (UIL 6th Gr. only)
 May 8, 2009 (UIL Elementary only)
 June 5, 2009

Total Early Dismissal Days—4

DISTRICT HOLIDAYS
 July 4, 2008—Independence Day
 September 1, 2008—Labor Day
 Nov. 24-28, 2008—Thanksgiving
 Dec. 22- Jan. 2, 2009—Winter Break
 March 16-20, 2009—Spring Break
 April 10, 2009—Good Friday
 May 25, 2009—Memorial Day

REPORTING PERIODS

FIRST SEMESTER

1st Six Weeks [Aug. 25—Oct. 10, 2008]
 25 days
 2nd Six Weeks [Oct. 13 - Nov. 14, 2008]
 25 days
 3rd Six Weeks [Nov. 17—Jan. 16, 2009]
 30 days

Total Days 80 Days

SECOND SEMESTER

4th Six Weeks [Jan. 20,—Feb. 27, 2009]
 29 days
 5th Six Weeks [Mar. 2- Apr. 24, 2009]
 33 days
 6th Six Weeks [Apr. 27—June 5, 2009]
 29 days

Total Days 91 Days

Total Instructional days 180 Days

July 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	H	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		

August 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	SD	SD	SD	SD	TP	23
24	{25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

September 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	H	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				

October 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		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	

November 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	{17	18	19	20	21	22
23	H	H	H	H	H	29
30						

December 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	ER	20
21	H	H	H	H	H	27
28	H	H	H			

January 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				H	H	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	TP	{20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

February 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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

March 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	{2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	H	H	H	H	H	21
22	23	24	25	26	ER	28
29	30	31				

April 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	H	11
12	WD	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	{27	28	29	30		

May 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
3	4	5	6	7	ER	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	H	26	27	28	29	30
31						

June 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	ER	TP
7	WD	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

TESTING DATES

Oct. 21-24, 2008 TAKS Exit (retest)
Mar. 3, 2009 TAKS Gr. 3, 5, 8, 9, Rdg. & Spanish Rdg; TAKS Gr. 10, 11, ELA; TAKS Gr. 4, 7, Writing
Mar. 3, 2009 TAKS Exit (retest)
Mar. 9-Apr. 10, 2009 TELPAS Texas English Language Proficiency Assessment System Gr. 5-12
Apr. 6-9, 2009 TAKS Gr. 5, 8 Math
Apr. 27, 2009 TAKS Gr. 3-4, 6-7, 9, 10 Math; TAKS Gr. 3-8 Rdg.; Gr. 5, 8, 10 Science;
 TAKS Gr. 8, 10 Social Studies; TAKS Exit Level (retest)
May 19, 2009 TAKS Gr. 5, 8 Math (retest)

*Dates subject to change by TEA—Go to www.tea.state.tx.us/student assessment/

Legend

Staff Development /Teacher Prep
 Holidays
 Weather Days
 Early Dismissal

*Indicates TAKS Testing Days