

Pella School District 2025-2026 Academic Calendar

(Updated 2/3/26 kjs)



(August 25 – May 22)
 Summary of Calendar
 Days/Hours in Classroom:
 1st Sem. 80 days/ 523 hrs
 2nd Sem. 90 days/ 582.42 hrs
 Total = 170 days/1103.92 hrs

CALENDAR LEGEND

Start or End of Quarter/Semester	
Early Out	
PD/Work Day	
No School	
Holidays	
No School	
Vacation Days	
No School	

HOLIDAYS

- Labor Day (9/1)
- Thanksgiving (11/27)
- Day after Thanksgiving (11/28)
- Christmas (12/25)
- New Year's Day (1/1)
- MLK Day (1/19)
- Good Friday (4/3)
- Memorial Day (5/25)

MAKE UP DAYS

1st - Jan 23	Built in hours
2nd	May 26
3rd	May 27
4th	May 28
5th	May 29
6th	Built in hours

TEACHER CONTRACT DAYS

Student Days	= 170
Parent-Teach Conf.	= 2
Work/ PD Days	= 7
Floating day for required training	= 3
Holidays	= 8
Total	= 190

August					Count	
M	T	W	Th	F	Days	Hrs
				1		
4	5	6	7	8		
11	12	13	14	15		
18	19	20	21	22		
25	26	27	28	29	5	32.25
September						
1	2	3	4	5	9	27
8	9	10	11	12	14	32.25
15	16	17	18	19	19	32.25
22	23	24	25	26	24	32.25
29	30				26	
October						
		1	2	3	29	32.25
6	7	8	9	10	34	32.25
13	14	15	16	17	39	32.25
20	21	22	23	24	42	25.75
27	28	29	30	31	5	32.25
November						
3	4	5	6	7	10	32.25
10	11	12	13	14	15	32.25
17	18	19	20	21	20	32.25
24	25	26	27	28	23	18.75
December						
1	2	3	4	5	28	32.25
8	9	10	11	12	33	32.25
15	16	17	18	19	38	32.25
22	23	24	25	26		
29	30	31				
January						
			1	2		
5	6	7	8	9	4	27
12	13	14	15	16	9	32.25
19	20	21	22	23	13	27
26	27	28	29	30	18	32.25
February						
2	3	4	5	6	23	32.25
9	10	11	12	13	27	27
16	17	18	19	20	31	31
23	24	25	26	27	36	32.25
March						
2	3	4	5	6	41	32.25
9	10	11	12	13	46	32.25
16	17	18	19	20		
23	24	25	26	27	5	32.25
30	31				7	
April						
		1	2	3	9	27
6	7	8	9	10	14	32.25
13	14	15	16	17	19	32.25
20	21	22	23	24	24	32.25
27	28	29	30		28	
May						
				1	29	32.25
4	5	6	7	8	34	26.59
11	12	13	14	15	39	32.25
18	19	20	21	22	44	29.83
25	26	27	28	29		
June						
1	2	3	4	5		TOTAL
8	9	10	11	12		1105.42

Date	Event
Aug 11-14	New Teacher Training
Aug 18-21	Teacher PD Days
Aug 20	MS P/T Conf #1 3:30-7:00
Aug 20	HS P/T Conf #1 4:30-8:00
Aug 21	District Meetings/ Building Mtgs
Aug 21	Staff Meetings/Teacher Work Day
Aug 25	Begin 1st Qtr, 1st Semester
Aug 25-26	K-3 P/T Conf - No School for K-3
Aug 27	First Day of School for K-3
Aug 27	90 min. early dismissal for PD
Sept 10,17,24	90 min. early dismissal for PD
Sep 1	Labor Day (No School)
Oct 1,8,15,22,29	90 min. early dismissal for PD
Oct 16	Jeff P/T Conf #1 3:30-7:00
Oct 21	K-3 & Jeff P/T Conf 3:30-7:00
Oct 22	90 minute early out – K-3 P/T conf.
Oct 22	End 1st Quarter
Oct 23-24	Fall Break - No School
Oct 27	MS P/T Conf #2 3:30-7:00
Oct 27	Begin 2nd Quarter
Nov 5,12,19,26	90 min. early dismissal
Nov 11	HS P/T Conf #2 4:30–8:00
Nov 18	HS P/T Conf #3 4:30–8:00
Nov 26	90 min. early dismissal for Holiday
Nov 27-28	Thanksgiving Holiday
Dec 3,10	90 min. early dismissal
Dec. 19	90 min. early dismissal
Dec. 19	End 2nd Qtr & 1st Semester
Dec 20-Jan 5	Winter Break
Dec 25	Christmas
Jan 14,28	90 min. early dismissal for PD
Jan 1	New Year's Day
Jan 5	Teacher Work Day 4-12
Jan 5	PD Day for K-3
Jan 6	Begin 2nd Semester
Jan 19	No School – MLK Day
Feb 4,18,25	90 min. early dismissal for PD
Feb 9	No School – PD for 4-12
Feb 9	Work Day for K-3
Feb 12	Jeff P/T Conf #3 3:30-7:00
Feb 16	HS P/T Conf #4 4:30–8:00
Feb 18	K-3 P/T Conf - 90 early out
Feb 19	K-3 P/T Conf - 90 early out
Feb 19	Jeff P/T Conf #4 3:30-7:00
Feb 20	No School
Mar 4,11,25	90 min. early dismissal for PD
Mar 2	MS P/T Conf #3 3:30-7:00
Mar 5	MS P/T Conf #4 3:30-7:00
Mar 13	End 3rd Quarter
Mar 16-20	Spring Break (No School)
Mar 23	Begin 4th Quarter
Mar 30 - April	ISASP Testing week
April 8,15,22,29	90 min. early dismissal for PD
April 3	No School - Good Friday
April 5	Easter
May 13	90 min. early dismissal for PD
May 7,8	Tulip Time 11:20 Dismissal
May 19	Seniors Last Day
May 22	End 4th Qtr & End 2nd Semester
May 22	12:30 Dismissal
May 23	Graduation
May 25	Memorial Day (No School)
May 26	Teacher work day