Palo Alto Unified School District
SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR FOR 2025-2026

JULY 2025

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		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 2025 — 12 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	DD	9-12 SD / K-8 WD	WD	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30

SEPTEMBER 2025 — 21 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	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 2025 — 22 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	SD	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	K	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

NOVEMBER 2025 — 14 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	H	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23/30	LH	LH	LH	H	LH	29

DECEMBER 2025 — 15 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	LH	LH	LH	H	LH	27
28	LH	LH	LH			

Important Dates

Aug 12	K-8 Teacher Work Day Staff Development Day
Aug 14	First Day of School
Oct 20	First Day of Full-Day Kindergarten
Jan 5	9-12 Teacher Work Day K-8 Staff Development
Jan 6	Students Return to School
Jun 4	Early Release/Last Day of School

No School Days

Sept 1	Labor Day
Oct 3	Staff Development Day
Nov 11	Veterans' Day
Nov 24-28	Thanksgiving Break
Dec 22 - Jan 5	Winter Break
Jan 19	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Feb 13	Local Holiday
Feb 16	Washington's Birthday observed
Mar 9	Local Holiday
Mar 10	Staff Development Day
Apr 6-10	Spring Break
May 1	Local Holiday
May 25	Memorial Day

Early Release Days

Aug 29, Oct 31, Nov 21, Dec 19, Apr 3, & Jun 2, 3, and 4

Quarters/Semesters

Oct 17	End of 1st Quarter
Nov 7	End of 1st Trimester
Dec19	End of 1st Semester 84 days - secondary
	End of 2nd Quarter
Feb 27	End of 2nd Trimester
Mar 13	End of 3rd Quarter
Jun 4	End of 2nd Semester 96 days - secondary
	End of 3rd Trimester
	End of 4th Quarter

Legend

H	Federal/State Holiday
LH	Local Holiday
DD	District Day
WD	Teacher Work Day
SD	Staff Professional Development Day
	All Schools Early Release Day
	Last day of School & Early Release Day
K	First Day of Full-Day Kindergarten

JANUARY 2026 — 18 Days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				H	LH	3
4	K-8 SD / 9-12 W	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	H	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

FEBRUARY 2026 — 18 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	LH	14
15	H	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

MARCH 2026 — 20 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	LH	SD	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

APRIL 2026 — 17 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	LH	LH	LH	LH	LH	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

MAY 2026 — 19 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					LH	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31	H	26	27	28	29	30

JUNE 2026 — 4 days

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	WD	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	H	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				