

Zion-Benton Township High School District 126

2025 - 2026 School Calendar

Monday, August 11, 2025	Teacher Institute Day – No Students/Buildings Closed
Tuesday, August 12, 2025	Teacher Institute Day – No Students
Wednesday, August 13, 2025	Freshman Zero Day – Freshmen Only
Thursday, August 14, 2025	First Day of School – All Students
Monday, September 1, 2025	Labor Day – No School/Buildings Closed
Wednesday, September 10, 2025	Fall Assessment Day & 721 Planning Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 11:00 a.m.; ZBTHS @ 11:15 a.m.
Thursday, September 25, 2025	Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 12:26 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m. Parent Teacher Conferences – ZBE @ 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Friday, September 26, 2025	Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:35 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:51 p.m.
Monday, October 13, 2025	Indigenous Peoples' Day – No School/Buildings Closed
Wednesday, October 15, 2025	SIP Early Dismissal – ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m.
Tuesday, November 11, 2025	Veterans' Day – School in Session
Wednesday, November 12, 2025	SIP Early Dismissal – ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m.
Tuesday, November 25, 2025	Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:35 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:51 p.m.
Wednesday, November 26, 2025	Day before Thanksgiving – No School/Buildings Closed
Thursday, November 27, 2025	Thanksgiving Day – No School/Buildings Closed
Friday, November 28, 2025	Day after Thanksgiving – No School/Buildings Closed
Wednesday, December 10, 2025	SIP Early Dismissal – ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m.
Wednesday, December 17, 2025	Exams – Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:05 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:20 p.m.
Thursday, December 18, 2025	Exams – Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:05 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:20 p.m.
Friday, December 19, 2025	Exams - Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 11:30 a.m.; ZBTHS @ 11:45 a.m.
Monday, December 22, 2025 - Friday, January 2, 2026	Winter Break – No School (12-month holidays = December 24, December 25, and January 1/Buildings Closed)
Monday, January 5, 2026	Teacher Institute Day – No School
Tuesday, January 6, 2026	Classes Resume – Start of Semester 2
Wednesday, January 14, 2026	Winter Assessment Day & 721 Planning Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 11:00 a.m.; ZBTHS @ 11:15 a.m.
Monday, January 19, 2026	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No School/Buildings Closed
Thursday, February 5, 2026	Parent Teacher Conferences – ZBE @ 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Friday, February 6, 2026	Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:35 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:51 p.m.
Wednesday, February 11, 2026	SIP Early Dismissal – ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m.
Monday, February 16, 2026	Presidents' Day – No School/Buildings Closed
Monday, March 2, 2026	Casimir Pulaski Day - No School/Buildings Closed
Wednesday, March 11, 2026	SIP Early Dismissal – ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m.
Friday, March 20, 2026	Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:35 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:51 p.m.
Monday, March 23, 2026 - Friday, March 27, 2026	Spring Break – No School
Friday, April 3, 2026	School Holiday – No School/Buildings Closed
Monday, April 6, 2026	School Holiday – No School/Offices Open
Wednesday, April 15, 2026	Spring Assessment Day Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 10:45 a.m.; ZBTHS @ 11:00 a.m. (Freshmen, Sophomores) ZBE @ 11:45 a.m.; ZBTHS @ 12:00 p.m. (Juniors). Seniors not in attendance – Independent 721 planning.
Wednesday, May 13, 2026	SIP Early Dismissal – ZBTHS @ 12:40 p.m.
Sunday, May 17, 2026	Graduation – ZBE @ 12:00 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 3:00 p.m.
Tuesday, May 19, 2026	Exams – Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:05 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:20 p.m.
Wednesday, May 20, 2026	Exams – Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 1:05 p.m.; ZBTHS @ 1:20 p.m.
Thursday, May 21, 2026	Exams – Student Early Dismissal – ZBE @ 11:30 a.m.; ZBTHS @ 11:45 a.m.
Friday, May 22, 2026	Teacher Institute Day – No School
Monday, May 25, 2026	Memorial Day – No School/Buildings Closed
Tuesday, May 26, 2026 – Monday, June 1, 2026	Emergency Make – Up Days (if needed)
Thursday, June 18, 2026	Observance of Juneteenth Holiday – No School/Buildings Closed
Monday, July 6, 2026	Observance of July 4 Holiday – No School/Buildings Closed