



All required annual paperwork can be completed online via Infinite Campus. Scan the QR code to the left or visit bit.ly/SPS_IC to access Infinite Campus. The app can be downloaded on a smart phone.

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2026-27 School Year - East and West Middle Schools

Below is a list of important actions that should be completed before school begins for Grades 6-12 on Tuesday, September 1, 2026.

1



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR DEVICE PICK UP, SCHEDULE RELEASE AND OPEN HOUSE

Middle school class schedules will be released in Infinite Campus at 8:00AM on August 19, 2026 and available at Open House.

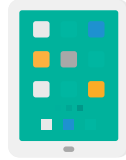
7th/8th Grade Device Pick-Up is on August 20, 2026 from 8:00AM - 6:00PM at each middle school - main entrance.

East & West Middle School Open Houses*

Wednesday, August 26, 2026
3:30 - 4:30PM (6th Grade Only)
4:30 - 7:30PM (Open to ALL Grades)

**Families may bring locker supplies and/or donations. School/Student ID photos will be taken by Lifetouch Photography. Devices will be provided to 7th/8th Grade students who were unable to pick up on August 20th. Siblings are welcome. Palmer Bus Services will be available for questions. No RSVP needed.*

2



REVIEW SCHOOL PROCEDURES & DIGITAL DEVICE AGREEMENT - MIDDLE SCHOOL HANDBOOK

General reminders for digital devices:

- A protective case for iPads is provided by the school.
- Earphones are NOT provided by the school.
- Do NOT attempt to try to repair any digital learning device yourself.
- The district will not cover damage or loss that occurs due to a dishonest, fraudulent, intentional, negligent or criminal act. Each family will be responsible for the full amount of any repair/replacement. Such acts include altering device software in any way that damages the device or repeatedly losing a device.



3



COMPLETE REQUIRED ANNUAL UPDATE



Log into Infinite Campus to complete the required enrollment information (QR code above) before the first day of school.

1. General and emergency contact information
2. Contact preferences
3. Household information
4. Health information; immunization records can also be emailed or delivered to the school nurse
5. Educational Meal Benefits form

An optional media-opt out form is also available. Only complete this form if you do NOT want your child's photograph or likeness used in school related publications

4



OBTAIN SCHOOL SUPPLIES OR CONNECT WITH YOUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR FOR SUPPORT

Scan the above QR code or visit bit.ly/SPSFall2026Guide for a list of school supplies by building/grade. Donated backpacks and school supplies are available to those in need, while supplies last.

5



LOG INTO INFINITE CAMPUS ON OR AFTER AUG 10 TO OBTAIN BUS ROUTE DETAILS

Students who receive Special Education transportation services will receive information directly from Palmer Bus Services Questions:

transportation@shakopee.k12.mn.us



ADDITIONAL REMINDERS

Connect with the school nurse on any medical or support needs.

bit.ly/SPSHealthForms

Free hearing, vision and dental screenings are offered for 7th Grade students. More information will be sent during the school year.



Scan the QR code to explore secondary athletics and activities opportunities.

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NEW: ADJUSTED FIRST DAY* SCHEDULE FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

A strong start sets the tone for the entire school year. To foster engagement and student success, the first day of school for Grades 6-8 will be structured as follows.

Scan the QR code to view the full 2026-27 school year district calendar.



6th Grade, In-Person
Sept. 1, 2026
East/West Middle School

6th Grade, In-Person, East/West Middle School, Tuesday, September 1

- All 6th Grade students will report to their assigned middle school on the first day of school.
- Transportation (for those who qualify) will be provided as normal; food services will also operate as normal.



7 - 8th Grade, Online
Sept. 1, 2026
In-Person Starting
Sept. 2, 2026

Grades 7-8, Online Day via Canvas, Tuesday, September 1

- All students in Grades 7-8 will engage in a robust, structured asynchronous day online on Tuesday, September 1.
- Students will NOT report to their assigned middle school, in-person, until Wednesday, September 2.
- Though students will not be receiving live direct instruction for each course, students must log in to each class on Canvas throughout the duration of the school day on September 1.

**Please note: Any student in Grade 6-8 who receives center-based special education services will report to school, in-person, on Tuesday, September 1, 2026 and receive information directly from the Special Services team.*



SCHOOL BELL TIMES

Shakopee HS	8:15AM-3:05PM
TLC	8:20AM-3:00PM
East & West MS	7:40AM-2:30PM
Red Oak Elem.	9:00AM-3:50PM
Sweeney Elem.	9:00AM-3:50PM
Jackson Elem.	9:00AM-3:50PM
Sun Path Elem.	9:00AM-3:50PM
Eagle Creek Elem.	8:15AM-3:05PM
Pearson Early Learning Center	9:05AM-3:05PM

Middle school students have a four (4) minute passing time between classes.



TECHNOLOGY TIPS

Grades E-12

Campus Parent/Student Portal

- Check Food Service balance & add funds
- View Report Cards
- Find Transportation info
- Complete Annual Update forms
- Review school messages
- Complete Educational Benefits form
- Update emergency contacts
- Submit attendance
- **Access the school store to purchase field trips, yearbooks and more!**



bit.ly/SPSCampusParent

Questions about a **Parent Portal** account?
Contact the Shakopee Tech Team:
parenthelp@shakopee.k12.mn.us



Request Technology Support

Help Desk: 952.697.8701 (voicemail only)
E-mail: parenthelp@shakopee.k12.mn.us
Please provide a detailed description along with the following information

- Name
- Email Address
- Phone Number
- Student's Name
- Student ID
- School

**Our voicemail includes options to leave a message in English, Spanish and Somali.*

Grades 6-12



Canvas for Families

- View grades
- Get feedback from teachers
- View calendar & to-do list
- View assignments, discussions and quizzes (and submission status)

bit.ly/SPSCanvasforFamilies



Grades E-12



Bound - Activities

Purchase activities tickets and download passes for most schools events. Tickets are **only sold online**. All students will need to have a pass (free) downloaded. All K-8 students **MUST** have an adult with them at district events.

ShakopeeSabers.com



Grades E-12



StopFinder

A FREE and optional app is available to access accurate, up-to-the-minute PreK-12 bus route information on a smart phone or tablet.

Download the app and look for a registration email in August.



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