



2026-2027 Gerlach Calendar - ASSESSMENT

WCSD Assessment Support, updated 07.10.26

Modified from Enrollment and Records calendar updated 12.15.26

July 2026							# of School Days = 0
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	No Classes on Shaded Days Testing Scheduled on Student/School Days Only
			1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Year-Long:
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Special programs, students with special needs (Aug-Oct; upon enroll.)
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	Confirm participation in district/state assessments
26	27	28	29	30	31		Review allowed testing accommodations/supports by assessment
							Select and document appropriate testing accommodations/supports
							Request authorization to use special documented accommodations
							*i-Ready Inform for Reading used toward fulfillment of Nevada requirement to screen for indicators of dyslexia (NRS 388.439)
							*TIP: First i-Ready Inform assessment sets "baseline" for growth goals and initiates path for personalized instruction

January 2027							# of School Days = 15
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	Dec 21-31 - Winter Break January 1 - New Year's Day January 4 - Teacher Professional Development Jan 5-Feb 25: ELPA (ACCESS or Alt ACCESS), eligible Kindergarten Jan 11-Feb 25: ELPA (ACCESS or Alt ACCESS), eligible gr1-12 January 18 - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
					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							

August 2026							# of School Days = 12
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	Aug 2026-Mar 19, 2027 - NV Seal of Biliteracy (High School) WCSD Language Prof. Cert. ACTFL exams (AAPPL, AVANT, OPI)
						1	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	August 4-5 - Teacher Professional Development
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	August 6 - Teacher Work Day
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	August 10 - First Day of School for Students
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	Aug 10-Oct 20: KEA - Teaching Strategies (K; first quarter instruction)
30	31						Aug 10-27, Sep 8-10: EL Services 20-Day Screening Window (K-12)
							Aug 12-27: i-Ready Inform--Reading (1-3), RBG3 fall, state
							Aug 12-27: i-Ready Inform--Math & Reading (1-8) BOY/fall
							Aug 31-Sep 3 - Gerlach Break

February 2027							# of School Days = 15
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	Feb 1-Mar 18: Civics Exam - HS Gov/Econ; Window 2 Feb 8-Mar 18: CTE WRS & End-of-Pgm Assessments February 15 - President's Day Feb 23 - Statewide ACT for CCR; HS ONLY non-testing students excused Feb 23: NV ACT (paper, state); gr11 all, gr12 as needed Feb 23-26, Mar 1-4: NV ACT (online, state); gr11/gr12 Feb 23-26, Mar 1-4: NV ACT (paper w/ accommodations, state)
	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							

September 2026							# of School Days = 17
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	cont.-Sep 3 - Gerlach Break September 7 - Labor Day Sep 8-17: GATE Screening (NNAT-3), universal (2&5) Sep 8, begin: EL Services 10-Day Screening Window (K-12) Sep 8-10: i-Ready Inform--Math & Reading (1-8, new enroll, BOY)
			1	2	3	4	
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
27	28	29	30				

March 2027							# of School Days = 12
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	Mar 1-18: GATE Spring Referral and Out of District Testing (CogAT) Mar 9-18, Apr 5-29: NAA (Nevada Alternate), eligible gr3-8, 11 March 11 - End of Grading Period Mar 18 - Assessment deadline for NV Seal of Biliteracy Mar 22-Apr 1 - Spring Break
	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				

October 2026							# of School Days = 17
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	Oct - PSAT/NMSQT (dates vary by school); gr10 (no fee), gr11 (\$18) October 12 - Teacher Professional Development Oct 14-Dec 16: Civics Exam - HS Gov/Econ; Window 1 October 15 - End of Grading Period October 19-22 - Elementary Conference Week October 30 - Nevada Day Observed
				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	

April 2027							# of School Days = 16
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	cont., Apr 5-29: NAA (Nevada Alternate), eligible gr3-8, 11 Apr 5-29: NV Science (gr 5&8); HS Science (gr 9 or 10) Apr 5-29: NV Summative (gr 3-8, ELA & Math Smarter Bal.) Apr 5-May 13: Civics Exam - HS Gov/Econ; Window 3 Apr 6: NV ACT (paper, state window 2); gr11 all, gr12 as needed Apr 6-8, 12-15: NV ACT (online, accommodated; state window 2) Apr 12-22: CTE Retest WRS & End-of-Program Apr 20: NV ACT (paper, state window 3); gr11 all, gr12 as needed Apr 20-22, 26-29: NV ACT (online, accommodated; state window 3) Apr 29: Last Day--NAA, Science, & Summative Smarter Balanced
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
25	26	27	28	29	30		

November 2026							# of School Days = 14
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	November 3 - Teacher Professional Development November 11 - Veterans Day November 25-26 - Thanksgiving Break Nov 30-Dec 16: i-Ready Inform--Reading (K-3) RBG3 winter, state Nov 30-Dec 16: i-Ready Inform--Math & Reading (K-8) MOY/winter
	1	2*	3	4	5	6	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
29	30						

May 2027							# of School Days = 16
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	TBD: AP Exams (College Board; HS select courses) May 10-27: i-Ready Inform--Reading (K-3) RBG3 spring, state May 10-27: i-Ready Inform--Math & Reading (K-8) EOY/spring May 13 - Assessment deadline for NV Seal of Civics May 31 - Memorial Day
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
30	31						

December 2026							# of School Days = 10
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	cont.-Dec 16: i-Ready Inform--Reading (K-3) RBG3 winter, state cont.-Dec 16: i-Ready Inform--Math & Reading (K-8) MOY/winter Dec 10-16: Semester Final Assessments (MS, HS) December 16 - End of Grading Period December 17 - Teacher Work Day Dec 21-31 - Winter Break
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
27	28	29	30	31			

June 2027							# of School Days = 4
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S	May 27, Jun 1-3: Semester Final Assessments (MS, HS) June 3 - End of Grading Period June 3 - Last Day of School June 7-9 - Contingency Days June 19 - Juneteenth Make-up Finals (within 3-wks of fall 2027 semester)
			1	2	3	4	
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
27	28	29	30				

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Y	
35	32	38	39	144	Number of Days per Quarter
67		77		144	Number of Days per Semester
					Teacher Work Days: Aug 4,5,6; Dec 17
					*Certified & Admin Prof. Learning: Oct 12, Nov 3, Jan 4
					Contingency Days: June 7-9

*October 12, November 3, and January 4 are non-student days used for professional development but counted as school days in session per NAC 387.120

July 2027						
S	M	T	W	TH	F	S
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Note to Families: Check with your student's school for the schedule of assessments your child will take. Testing may not be scheduled for every student or every day during an administration window.

>>Test dates, windows and events subject to change.<<