RICE CHALLENGE ACADEMY

2026

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2026-2027

CODES

	Preparation Day/Student Holiday
	4 Day Work Week/School Holiday
	STARR/EOC TESTING
[	Reporting Period Begins
]	Reporting Period Ends
	Intake/Graduation

Reporting Periods

Cycle 23	**82**
1st 9 weeks	**8/3/2026 - 10/1/2026**
2nd 9 weeks	**10/5/2026 - 12/10/2026**
Cycle 24	**82**
3rd 9 weeks	**1/25/2027 - 3/25/2027**
4th 9 weeks	**3/30/2027 - 6/3/2027**
Total School Days	**164**

STUDENT/STAFF HOLIDAYS

Labor Day	**September 7th**
PRAP	**11/24/2026 - 11/27/2026**
Winter Break	**12/14/2026 - 1/22/2027**
MLK Day	**January 18th**
President's Day	**February 15th**
Good Friday	**March 26th**
SEM 2 PRAP	**5/19/27 - 5/24/27**
Memorial Day	**May 31st**

RCA CYCLE SCHEDULE

School Hours = 7:45 am - 3:30 pm

164 days of instruction - 76,260 minutes

1st Semester (82 days) - Cycle 23

2nd Semester(82 days) - Cycle 24

First Day of School: 8/3/2026 - Cycle 23

Last Day of School: 12/10/2026 - Cycle 23

First Day of School: 1/25/2027 - Cycle 24

Last Day of School: 6/3/2026 - Cycle 24

Fall Graduation: December 19th, 2026

Spring Graduation: June 12, 2027

2027

JANUARY

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