2026-27 JDAL STUDENT CALENDAR

School Hours: 8:30am - 3:20pm

- *Breakfast: 8 - 8:30*
- *Lunch: 11:10 - 11:55am*
- *No Dinner (Pick up at 3:20pm)*
    - *If you need to pick up later than 3:30,*
      We recommend your child go to the public library.

Important Summer Dates:

August 26: Registration, Open House (Parent/student orientation meetings), and Student Picture Day, 2:00-5:00 pm
August 27: Registration, Open House (Parent/student orientation meetings), and Student Picture Day, 8-11 am

Trimester 1: **8.31.26 - 11.20.26 (57 days)** ● *LatinX Heritage Month (Sept 15-Oct 15)* ● *Indigenous Heritage Month (November)*	***Trimester 2****:* **11.23.26- 2.26.27 (57 days)** ● *Universal Human Rights Month (December)* ● *Black History Month (February)*
August 24-28 Professional Development/Workday 31 First Day of School - New Students Only (All other students are asynchronous.) **September** 01 All Students Attend 07 No School - Labor Day 25 UWGB Learning Day **October** 09 Staff Professional Development, NO SCHOOL 12 Indigenous People's Day 16 Picture Retake Day 8:30-10am 23 UWGB Learning Day 30 Conference Conversion Day, NO SCHOOL **November** 01 Dia De Los Muertos 19 Event Night #1, 3:30 - 5pm 20 Last Day of Trimester 1 20 UWGB Learning Day	**November** 23 First Day of Trimester 2 24 Student Led Conferences, 4pm - 8pm 25 Student Led Conferences, 8am - 11am Staff Work Day 12-4pm, NO SCHOOL 26 Fall Recess, NO SCHOOL 27 Fall Recess, NO SCHOOL **December** 23 Last Day Before Winter Break 24-31 Winter Recess Begins, NO SCHOOL **January** 01 Last Day of Winter Recess, NO SCHOOL 04 School Resumes 15 Staff Professional Development, NO SCHOOL 16 National Appreciate a Dragon Day 18 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr Day, NO SCHOOL **February** 12 Staff Professional Development, NO SCHOOL 18 Event Night #2, 3:30 - 5pm 25 Student Led Conferences, 4pm - 8pm 26 End of Trimester 2 26 Student Led Conferences, 8am -11am Full Day for Students

Trimester 3: 3.01.27 - 6.3.27 (60 days)

- *Women's History Month (March)*
- *Mental Health Awareness Month (May)*

March
01 Start of Trimester 3
05 Staff Professional Development/Workday
NO SCHOOL
10 ACT Testing - Others Asynchronous
22-28 Spring Break Begins, NO SCHOOL
29 School Resumes

April
7 Pre-Act Testing, Grades 9-10 Others Asynchronous
30 Conference Conversion Day - NO SCHOOL

May
20 Event Night #3, 3:30 - 5pm
27 PBIS Celebration/Senior Farewell
27 Graduation 5pm Backstage
28 Staff Professional Development, NO SCHOOL
31 Memorial Day, NO SCHOOL

June
01 Final Assessments Due/SLC Preparation
02 Student Led Conference/ Transcript Review, 4pm-8pm
03 Normal school day for students with Student Led Conference/ Transcript Review, 8:00 am - 11:00 am
04 Teacher Work Day

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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Event Night Reminders

Please ensure students ask off of work and avoid scheduling other events during Event Night.

JDAL students are required to attend Event Night to fulfill the "public product" aspect of Gold Standard Project Based Learning.

Attendance Goal

If your student is feeling well, we want to see them at school. Missing more than 10 days of school means your student is chronically absent. Please connect with the Main Office or Student Services to discuss attendance concerns so we can work together.

Our school goal is to see at least 95% attendance *each and every* day!

Office Numbers

- Main Office: 920.272.7074
- Principal: 920.481.9367
- Social Worker: 920.228.9495
- Counselor: 920.481.9422

Other Forms of Communication

- Monthly Newsletter sent via Talking Points to email addresses in Infinite Campus and on our Social media page.
- Talking Points Text or App
- Website: www.jdal.gbaps.org
- Facebook: @gbapsjohndewey
- Instagram: @gbapsjohndewey

The mission of John Dewey Academy of Learning is to provide students with a rigorous project based curriculum and a safe, caring community in which to learn. By developing the whole person--academically, personally, and professionally--JDAL will assist students in reaching their full potential.