### 2018 - 2019 Calendar

**August**
- 6 - 7: District Professional Learning Day
- 8 - 10, 13: Professional Learning Day
- 14: Teacher Work Day
- 15: First Day of Classes (Beginning of 1st Nine Weeks)

**September**
- 3: Holiday/Labor Day
- 28: Holiday/Construction Day

**October**
- 18: End of 1st Nine Weeks
- 19: Professional Learning Day
- 22: Beginning of 2nd Nine Weeks

**November**
- 19 - 23: Holiday/Thanksgiving Break

**December**
- 18 - 21: Exams
- 20: Early Release - MS/HS
- 21: Early Release - All Students
- 24 - 28: Last Student Day/End of Second Semester

**January**
- 1 - 4: Holiday/Winter Break
- 7: Professional Learning Day (4 Hours)
- 8: Beginning of 3rd Nine Weeks
- 21: Holiday/Martin L. King, Jr. Day

**February**
- 15: Professional Learning Day

**March**
- 8: End of 3rd Nine Weeks
- 11 - 15: Holiday/Spring Break
- 18: Beginning of 4th Nine Weeks

**April**
- 19: Holiday
- 22: Professional Learning Day

**May**
- 21 - 24: Exams
- 23: Early Release - MS/HS
- 24: Early Release - All Students
- 27: Last Student Day/End of Second Semester
- 28: Holiday/Memorial Day

**June**
- 1: Last Student Day/End of Second Semester

**July**
- 1: Last Student Day/End of Second Semester

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**This Calendar Reflects the Following:**
- Total Days of Instruction: 175
- Total Teacher Contract Days: 187
- Operational Minutes per Full Day: 435
- Operational Minutes per Early Release Day: 240
- Total Operational Minutes Pre-Waiver: 75,345
- Waiver Minutes for Professional Learning: 1,410
- **Total Operational Minutes w/Approved Waivers:** 76,755

**Bank of Operational Minutes:** 1,155 or 2.65 days

 HB 2442 requires a minimum of 75,600 operational minutes with any applicable waivers and at least a minimum bank of 840 operational minutes. The bank of operational minutes can be used in the event of bad weather and other issues of health and safety. FBISD reserves the right to revise the calendar, pending Board approval, to meet the minimum required operational minutes each year.

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### Grading Periods

**First Semester**
- 1st Nine Weeks: August 15 - October 18
- 2nd Nine Weeks: October 22 - December 21

**Second Semester**
- 3rd Nine Weeks: January 8 - March 8
- 4th Nine Weeks: March 18 - May 24

**Total**
- 85 Days
- Cultural and religious observances of families in FBISD can be accessed on the [Anti-Defamation League Website](https://www.adl.org) or the [Interfaith Calendar Website](https://www.interfaithcalendar.com).

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Spring 2019 Graduation Dates TBD
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