



PALOS VERDES PENINSULA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 2008-2009 SCHOOL YEAR

School Month	First Week					Second Week					Third Week					Fourth Week					Days of Instruction			Teacher Work Days	SCHEDULE OF SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND SCHOOL RECESSES FOR 2008-2009
	M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F	M	T	W	T	F	K-5	6-8	9-12		
First	25	26	27	28	29	1	#2	3	4	5	8	9	10	11	12	15	16	17	18	19	14	14	14	17	Friday, July 4, 2008 Independence Day
Second	22	23	24	25	26	29	30	1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	13	14	15	16	17	20	20	20	20	Friday, August 15, 2008 CA Admission Day Observance
Third	20	21	22	23	24	27	28	29	30	31	3	4	5	6	7	10	11	12	13	14	18	18	18	19	Monday, September 1, 2008 Labor Day
Fourth	17	18	19	20	21	24	25	#26	27	28	1	2	3	4	5	8	9	10	11	12	18	18	18	18	Tuesday, November 11, 2008 Veterans' Day
Fifth	15	16	17	18	#19	22	23	[24]	25	26	29	30	[31]	1	2	5	6	7	8	9	10	10	10	10	Thursday, November 27, 2008 Thanksgiving Day
Sixth	12	13	14	15	16	19	20	21	22	23	26	27	28	29	30	2	3	4	5	6	19	19	19	19	Friday, November 28, 2008 Local Holiday
Seventh	9	10	11	12	13	16	17	18	19	20	23	24	25	26	27	2	3	4	5	6	18	18	18	18	Wednesday, December 24, 2008 Local Holiday
Eighth	9	10	11	12	13	16	17	18	19	20	23	24	25	26	27	30	31	1	2	#3	20	20	20	20	Thursday, December 25, 2008 Christmas Day
Ninth	6	7	8	9	[10]	13	14	15	16	17	20	21	22	23	24	27	28	29	30	1	15	15	15	15	Wednesday, December 31, 2008 Local Holiday
Tenth	4	5	6	7	8	11	12	13	14	15	18	19	20	21	22	25	26	27	28	29	19	19	19	19	Thursday, January 1, 2009 New Year's Day
Eleventh	1	2	3	4	5	8	9	10	#11	12	15	16	17	18	19	22	23	24	25	26	9	9	9	10	Monday, January 19, 2009 Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday Observance
TOTALS																			180	180	180	185			

TEACHER SERVICE DAYS

- Pre- & Post-School Service Days: Two teacher work days coordinated with principal.
- Mandatory "Buy Back" Days: August 26, 27, & 28, and November 10, if funded by the State. Unit members must attend three (3) "buy back" days.

FIRST DAY OF INSTRUCTION

- Tuesday, September 2 (minimum day K-12 students)

LAST DAY OF CLASSES, K-12

- Thursday, June 11 (minimum day K-12 students)

GRADUATION

- Grade 8 - Wednesday, June 10 (minimum day 6-8 students)
- Grade 12 - Thursday, June 11 (minimum day K-12 students)

VACATION RECESS PERIODS

- Winter Recess: December 22 through January 2
- Spring Recess: April 6 - 10

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TRIMESTER REPORTING PERIODS - GRADES K-8

- 1st: September 2 - November 26
- 2nd: December 1 - March 13
- 3rd: March 16 - June 11

QUARTER REPORTING PERIODS - HIGH SCHOOL

- 1st: September 2 - October 31
- 2nd: November 3 - January 23
- 3rd: January 26 - April 3
- 4th: April 6 - June 11

PARENT CONFERENCE DAYS FOR 1-8 STUDENTS

- Grades 1-5**
 - Parent conferences December 2, 3, & 4 and March 18 will be on a minimum day schedule.
- Grades 6-8**
 - Parent conferences January 21 and 22 will be on a minimum day schedule.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT

- K-5 September 18
- 6-8 September 25
- 9-12 October 2

NOTE: Minimum day schedules will prevail at the level designated on the day after back-to-school night

TENTATIVE DATES FOR 2009 SUMMER SESSION

- Grades 1-8 - TBD
- Grades 9-12 - TBD

LEGEND

- Legal Holiday
- If funded by the State, mandatory staff development for teachers; work day for classified staff; K-12 classes not in session
- Local Holiday
- Vacation Recess
- 1-8 Parent Conference Days (Minimum Day Schedule)
- Floating pre/post work day for teachers; work day for classified staff; K-12 classes not in session
- # -- K-12 minimum day

NOTE: All schools and the District offices will close at the end of the work day on Friday, December 19, 2008, and reopen at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, January 5, 2009; exact Maintenance/Operations Department schedule to be determined.