## Innovation Science and Technology Academy 2023-2024 School Calendar

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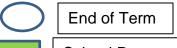
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No School

Professional Development Day, **No school for students** 

Last day of the term

School Resumes



Conferences, after school

Afternoon planning for teachers **School ends at 1:15 p.m.** 



**WBWF Meeting** 

•	Teacher Workshop, No School
	First day of School
	Parent Teacher Conferences
Oct. 19 & 20	MEA, No School
Nov.3	End of Term
Nov. 9	Progress Reports Sent Home
Nov-22	Professional Development, No School
Nov. 23 – 24	Thanksgiving, No School
Dec. 20 – Jan 2	Winter Break, No School
Jan. 1	New Year, No School

Jan. 2,	School Resumes after Winter Break
Jan 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, No School
	End of Term 2
	Progress Reports Sent Home
Jan. 24 & 25	Parent Teacher Conferences
Feb. 19	Presidents Day, No School
March 13-22	Spring Break, No School
March 25	School Resumes after spring break
March 29	End of Term 3
April 8	Professional Development, No School
April 11	Progress Reports Sent Home
	Parent Teacher Conferences
May 25	WBWF Meeting
	Memorial Day, No School
	End of Term 4, Last Day of School
	Staff Last Day
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Term	Dates	Number of Days			
Term 1	September 5 - November 3, 2023	43			
Term 2	November 6, 2022 – January 19, 2023	42			
Term 3	January 22, 2023 – March 29, 2023	43			
Term 4	April 1, 2023 – June 6, 2023	48			
Total Number of Student School Days 174					

Teacher Work Days: 193 174 (student days)+14 (August) +5 (PD)= 1,1 24 Instructional Hours

## **NW** EA Testing Windows: Sep 18 - 29, Jan 15 - 31, May 16 - 31

Innovation Academy Standardized Testing Schedule 2024

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Tests	Dates	Grades					
WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs	1/29 -3/22	K - 6					
MCA Math	3/4 - 5/3	3 - 6					
MCA Reading	3/4 - 5/3	3 - 6					
MCA Science	3/4 -5/10	5					

TEST	Average Time	Conten t	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Purpose / Rationale	Test Format	Results
Approx. 45 min./test Fall/Winter/Spr	min./test	Reading	x	x	x	x	Formative data used to improve instruction. RIT score used in class placement.	Computer-based, adaptive test.	Nationally normed with same-age peers. Available upon request from
		Math	x	x	x	х			
MAP District Required	Fall/Winter/Sprin g								case manager / advisor. Reported at IEP meetings.
	Fall/Winter/Sprin g	Science			X				
MCA / MTAS State Required	3 <sup>rd</sup> grade-2-3hrs 4 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs 5 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs 6 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs	Reading	x	x		x	Summative assessment measures achievement on the Minnesota Academic Standards	MCA: computer-based test with technology enhanced items. Math & Reading MCAs are adaptive tests. Science MCAs are linear tests.  MTAS: manipulative-based test, administered 1:1.	Report distributed to families in the fall.
	3 <sup>rd</sup> grade-2-3hrs 4 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs 5 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs 6 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs	Math	x	x			and measures academic progress of students over time. Minnesota Statutes, section		
	5 <sup>th</sup> grade-2-3hrs	Science			X		120B.30 and ESEA.		

ACCESS / Alt. ACCESS Required ONLY for those who qualify (ELL)	ACCESS: 170 min. Alt. ACCESS: 80 min.	Reading, Writing, Listening, Speaking	x	x	x	x	To measure progress for English language learners (ELLs). English learners who receive special education services and meet the participation guidelines may take the Alternate ACCESS for ELLs.	ACCESS is computer- based. Alternate ACCESS is administered 1:1.	Each student \receives a language proficiency score from 1–6. Report distributed to families in the fall.
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