Hawaii State Department of Education-Ho`okena Elementary School

2026-2027 OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR

Teachers' Work Year - 1st Semester: July 28, 2026 - January 4, 2027; 2nd Semester: January 5, 2027 - May 31, 2027

Students' Work Year - 1st Semester: August 3, 2026 - December 18, 2026; 2nd Semester: January 5, 2027 - May 27, 2027

Week		Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa				
	July 2026	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	**1st SEMESTER - 89 Student Days (Ends December 18)**			
1	***August***	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	July 28-31 Teacher/Admin Days			
2		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	July 31 Meet and Greet 2: 30-4pm			
3		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	August 3: Students' First Day			
4		16	17	18	19	20	**21**	22	August 21: Statehood Day- No School			
5		23	24	25	26	27	28	29				
6	***September***	30	31	1	2	3	4	5				
7		6	**7**	8	9	10	11	12	September 7: Labor Day No School			
8		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Sept. 8 & 9 Complex Wide F			
9		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	Sept. 22 Picture Taking Day			
10	***October***	27	28	29	30	1	2	3				
11		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	October 5-9: Fall Break***			
12		11	12	13	14	15	16	17				
13		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	Parent Conf 19-23 1pm dismissal	Oct 23 Qtr 1 Awards Assembly	1:15-2pm	
14		25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Oct. 30 Trunk or Treat 4-6pm			
15	***November***	1	2	**3**	4	5	6	7	November 3: Election Day No School			
16		8	9	10	**11**	12	13	14	November 11: Veterans' Day			
17		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	November 26: Thanksgiving			
18		22	23	24	25	**26**	**27**	28	November 27: School Holiday****			
19	***December***	29	30	1	2	3	4	5				
20		6	7	8	9	10	11	12				
21		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Dec 18 Winter Program 1-2pm			
22		20	21	22	23	24	**25**	26	December 25: Christmas			
23	***January 2027***	27	28	29	30	31	**1**	2	January 1: New Year's Day			
24		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	January 4: Teacher Workday (no students)*			
25		10	11	12	13	14	15	16				
26		17	**18**	19	20	21	22	23	Jan18: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day			
27		24	25	26	27	28	29	30				
28	***February***	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	*February 8-12: Institute Day (TBD)*			
29		7	*8*	*9*	*10*	*11*	*12*	13				
30		14	**15**	16	17	18	19	20				
31		21	22	23	24	25	26	27	February 15: Presidents' Day			
32	***March***	28	1	2	3	4	5	6				
33		7	8	9	10	11	12	13	3rd Qtr Assembly Talent Show			
34		14	15	16	17	18	19	20	March 15 - 19: Spring Break***			
35		21	22	23	24	25	**26**	27	March 26: Good Friday			
36	***April***	28	**29**	30	31	1	2	3	March 29: Kuhio Day (observed)			
37		4	5	6	7	8	9	10				
38		11	12	13	14	**15**	16	17				
39		18	19	20	21	22	23	24				
40	***May***	25	26	27	28	29	30	1				
41		2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
42		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	May 21: May Day 9am-12pm			
43		16	17	18	19	**20**	21	22	May 27 Last Day for Students/Splash Day			
44		23	24	25	26	27	28	29	May 27 Last Day Students/Splash Day	May 28 Last Day for Teachers		
45	***June***	30	**31**	1	2	3	4	5	May 31: Memorial Day			
		6	7	8	9	10	11	12				

*Teacher workday between semesters: Jan. 4

***For 10-month teachers: Intersession: Oct. 5-9; Recesses: Dec. 21-Jan. 1 and Mar. 15-19

****For 12-month teachers: Paid break days include the day after Thanksgiving: Nov. 27 and Winter Break: Dec. 21-Jan. 1

Educational Officer & Teacher Institute Days: TBD (one day per island)

^2 Instructional days shall be converted to a non-student day for school planning and collaboration.
^^The work year for teachers consists of 193 days. Teachers report to campus for 189 days and 4 additional days, converted to 27 hours, shall be scheduled contiguous to the teacher's work day. 21 hours are used for job-embedded professional development and 6 hours for training, planning and assessment, or teacher evaluation meetings.

STATE HOLIDAYS: 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

Statehood Day:	August 21, 2026
Labor Day:	September 7,2026
Election Day:	November 3, 2026
Veterans' Day:	November 11, 202
Thanksgiving Day:	November 26, 202
Christmas Day:	December 25, 202
New Year's Day:	January 1, 2027
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day:	January 18, 2027
Presidents' Day:	February 15, 2027
Good Friday:	March 26, 2027
Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalanianaole I	March 29, 2027
Memorial Day:	May 31, 2027