

JAMES S. RICKARDS HIGH SCHOOL  
2025-2026 SCHOOL CALENDAR

**2025**

<b>July</b>	31	Teacher Report/Teacher Planning/Inservice Days
<b>August</b>	01	Teacher Report/Teacher Planning/Inservice Days
	04-08	Teacher Report/Teacher Planning/Inservice Days
	08	New Student Orientation, 8 AM
	11	Students Report/Welcome Back Greeting (2 <sup>nd</sup> Period)
	12	Grade Level Assembly, 9th (2nd period) & 10th (3rd period)
	13	Grade Level Assembly 11th (2nd period) & 12th (3rd period)
	22	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	29	Diploma Name Form Released to Class of 2026 Remind/FOCUS
<b>September</b>	01	Labor Day Holiday
	09	Underclassmen Picture Day, Auditorium
	10	Freshmen Parent Night, 6 PM, Cafeteria
	10	Interim Progress Report
	14	Diploma Name Form Closes
	17	Seniors Parent Night/NCAA Clearing House, 6 PM, Cafeteria
	22	Title I Open House, 5:30 PM Media Center
	16	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	24	AVID College/Career Fair, 8 AM – 11 AM, Gym
	30	Senior Fees 1 <sup>st</sup> Payment Due
<b>October</b>	02	Fall Holiday
	06	IB College Application Day
	07	Non-IB College Application Day
	08	Sophomores/Juniors Parent Night, 6 PM, Cafeteria
	09	Senior's Picture Day -Retakes/Last Chance
	10	End of First-Nine Weeks
	13	Teacher Planning/Inservice Day
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	TBA	Report Cards Uploaded to FOCUS
	31	Senior Fees 2 <sup>nd</sup> Payment Due
<b>November</b>	11	Veterans Day Holiday
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	TBA	Interim Report
	24-28	Thanksgiving Holiday
<b>December</b>	05	Senior Fees 3 <sup>rd</sup> Payment Due
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	19	End of Second Nine-Weeks
	23-31	Winter Holidays

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<b>January</b>	01-02	Winter Holidays
	05-06	Teacher Planning/Inservice Day
	07	Students Return
	TBA	Report Cards Uploaded to FOCUS
	TBA	Cap & Gown Picture Day
	15	IB Open House
	19	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	TBA	Senior Fees 4 <sup>th</sup> & Final Payment Due
<b>February</b>	TBA	Interim Report
	16	President's Day Holiday
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
<b>March</b>	8	AVID College/Career Fair, 8 AM – 11 AM, Gym
	12	Testing Night
	13	End of Third Nine-Weeks
	16-20	Spring Break
	23	Teacher Planning/Inservice Day
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	TBA	Report Cards Uploaded to FOCUS
<b>April</b>	03	Spring Holiday
	07	Curriculum Night
	10	Senior Honor Forms Due/Senior Scholarship Information Due
	11	Junior/Senior Prom
	16-18	GradBash
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	TBA	Interim Report
	28-30	IB Exams
	30	IB CAS Night
<b>May</b>	2-20	IB Exams
	04-08	AP Exams
	11-15	AP Exams
	15	Senior Picnic/Senior Last Day
	19	Convocation/Awards Ceremony
	TBA	School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting, 6 PM, Media Center
	20	Graduation Practice (10 AM)/Brunch (12 PM)
	21	Graduation, 7 PM, Civic Center
	22	Last Day of School/End of Fourth Nine-Weeks
	25	Memorial Day Holiday
	26-28	Teacher Planning/Inservice