## Santa Fe Independent School District
### 2019-2020 Academic Calendar

### New Teacher Professional Development Days:
- August 5-9

### Staff Professional Development (PD) and Student Holidays:
- **August 12-16:** Teacher Workday & PD
- **October 11:** Teacher Flex-Day (teacher holiday ONLY if attended district-provided summer PD; *Bad Weather Day*)
- **November 1:** Parent/Teacher Conf. (Elem. & SFJH); SFHS PD
- **January 6-7:** Teacher Workday & PD

### Staff and Student Holidays:
- **September 2:** Labor Day
- **October 14:** Columbus Day
- **November 25-29:** Thanksgiving Break
- **December 23-January 3:** Winter Break
- **January 20:** MLK Day
- **February 14 & 17:** President’s Day (*14th Bad Weather Day*)
- **March 9-13:** Spring Break
- **April 10 & 13:** Easter Holiday
- **May 25:** Memorial Day

### Important Dates:
- **August 19:** 1st Day of School
- **August 19 - October 18:** 1st Nine Weeks
- **October 21-December 20:** 2nd Nine Weeks
- **January 8-February 6:** 3rd Nine Weeks
- **March 6-June 6:** 4th Nine Weeks
- **June 4:** Last Day of School
- **June 5:** Graduation

### Testing Dates:
- **December 9-13:** EOC (HS) Retests
- **February 24-April 3:** TELPAS (Elem., JH, HS)
- **April 7-9:** STAAR/EOC (Elem, JH, HS)
- **March 30-April 21:** STAAR Alt 2 (Elem, JH, HS)
- **May 4-8:** EOC (JH-Alg. Only, HS):
- **May 11-15:** STAAR (Elem, JH)
- **June 22-26:** EOC (S, 8, HS) Retests

### School Hours:
- **Elementary:** 8:30-3:45 (Early Release 12:45)
- **SFJH:** 7:35-2:55 (Early Release 11:55)
- **SFHS:** 7:05-2:35 (Early Release 11:35); Late Start: 9:05-2:35

* Calendar exceeds the state requirement of 75,600 minutes of instruction for the school year

### Symbol Key
- Early release for all students/staff
- Early release for all students
- Early release for HS students only
- SFHS Late Start Days
  - Beginning of Nine Weeks
  - Ending of Nine Weeks
- Graduation

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