# OCA and OCTECHS Academic Calendar
## Ector County ISD 2020-21 / Revised December 2020

### August 2020
- **2**: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
- **9**: 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15
- **16**: 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22
- **23**: 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29
- **30**: 31

Aug 5-11: Professional Development  
Aug 12: First Day of School  
Aug 24: Beginning of Fall I or college classes

### September 2020
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5
- **6**: 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
- **13**: 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
- **20**: 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
- **27**: 28, 29, 30

Sep 7: Labor Day Holiday

### October 2020
- **1**: 2, 3
- **4**: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
- **11**: 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17
- **18**: 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24
- **25**: 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

Oct 14: Testing PSAT  
Oct 14: End of Fall I for college classes  
Oct 16: Holiday for OCA & OCTECHS  
Oct 19: Beginning of Fall 2 for college classes

### November 2020
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
- **8**: 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14
- **15**: 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21
- **22**: 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28
- **29**: 30

Nov 25-27: Student Holiday / Teacher Holiday

### December 2020
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5
- **6**: 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
- **13**: 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
- **20**: 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
- **27**: 28, 29, 30, 31

Dec 8-11: Testing STAAR / EOC  
Dec 10: End of Fall 2 for college classes  
Dec 10-12: OC Fall Graduation  
Dec 17: End of Semester I / Student Early Release  
Dec 18: Records Day / Student Holiday  
Dec 21-31: Winter Break

### January 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30

Jan. 1-3: Winter Break  
Jan 4: First Day Sem. 2  
Jan 11: Beginning of Spring I for college classes  
Jan. 18: MLK JR Holiday

### February 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
- **7**: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13
- **14**: 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20
- **21**: 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27
- **28**: 29, 30

Feb 12: Early Student Release for OCA and OCTECHS  
Feb 19: Bad Weather/COVID-19 Make-Up Day for OCA & OCTECHS

### March 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
- **7**: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13
- **14**: 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20
- **21**: 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27
- **28**: 29, 30, 31

Mar 4: End of Spring I for college classes  
Mar 5: Early Student Release for OCA and OCTECHS  
Mar 8-12: Spring Break  
Mar 16: Beginning of Spring 2 for college classes

### April 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30

Apr 2: Good Friday Holiday  
Apr 6-9: Testing STAAR / EOC  
Apr 23: Bad Weather/COVID-19 Make-Up Day

### May 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30

May 4-15: Testing STAAR / EOC  
May 6: End of Spring 2 for college classes  
May 7-8: OC Spring Graduation  
May 21: OCA & OCTECHS Graduation  
May 27: Last Day of School / NTO Graduation  
May 28: Records Day / OHS Graduation  
May 29: PHS Graduation  
May 31: Memorial Day

### June 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5
- **6**: 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
- **13**: 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
- **20**: 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26
- **27**: 28, 29, 30

Jun 22-25: Testing STAAR / EOC

### July 2021
- **1**: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

Jul 1: Secondary Summer Experience Last Day  
Jul 1-27: Optional K-5 Half Day

### OCA & OCTECHS Begin / End Times
- **8:00 am – 3:40 pm**: 460 Daily Minutes  
**2:40 pm Dismissal on Fridays**

**SEMESTER 1 - 85 DAYS**  
**SEMESTER 2 - 95 DAYS**  
**TOTAL - 180 DAYS**

SEE NEXT PAGE FOR DETAILS
Revised December 2020
Explanation of Calendar
and
Differences between the OCA / OCTECHS Calendar & the regular ECISD Calendar:

- First day of school is Wednesday, August 12th, for all ECISD schools
- Oct 12th will be a regular school day for OCA / OCTECHS
- The Oct 12th Columbus Holiday for the regular ECISD calendar is moved to Oct 16th for OCA and OCTECHS
- PSAT & SAT Day is Oct 14th. Only select 11th & 12th grade students taking these tests will be at school. All other students will be home taking classes virtually.
- November 23rd & 24th COVID-19 Make-Up Days will only be used if we have to shut down school a day or two before those dates occur due to COVID-19 illnesses on campus. They will be a school holiday if we do not need to use them.
- OC Fall Graduation is on Dec 10th, 11th, & 12th - their type of associate degree determines what day they graduate with OC
- NEW – February 12th will be an Early Release Day at 12:00 pm for OCA & OCTECHS
- Feb 15th will be a regular school day for OCA / OCTECHS
- The Feb 15th Bad Weather / COVID-19 Make-Up Day for the regular ECISD calendar is moved to Feb 19th for OCA and OCTECHS
- NEW – March 5th will be an Early Release Day at 12:00 pm for OCA & OCTECHS
- OC Spring Graduations is on May 7th & 8th - their type of associate degree determines what day they graduate with OC
- **OCA and OCTECHS High School Graduation will be Fri May 21st with OCA at 6:00 pm and OCTECHS at 8:00 pm / Both at the OC Sports Center**
- 9th, 10th, & 11th Grade students will continue school until May 27th, like ECISD
- Last day of school is Thursday, May 27th, for all ECISD schools
- June and July shaded in purple and green stripes are for elementary summer enrichment programs (voluntary)
- Same 180 total school days as the regular ECISD calendar
- 80,400 total minutes (over the TEA 75,600 minute requirement)
- College 8 week sessions (begin & end dates) are noted by brackets on the calendar
- **These changes for the OCA and OCTECHS calendar are necessary so our students do not miss their college classes Monday – Thursday each week.**