



# OCA and OCTECHS Academic Calendar

## Early College High Schools – at Odessa College

### Ector County ISD 2020-21 / Revised December 2020

August 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1		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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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					30

Nov 23-24: COVID-19 Make-Up Day  
 Nov 25-27: Student Holiday / Teacher Holiday

December 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1		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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/ 31	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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	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						

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

March 2021						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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					

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						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		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 7-30: Secondary Summer Experience/Optional K-5 Half Day  
 Jun 22-25: Testing STAAR / EOC

July 2021						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				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 12<sup>th</sup>, for all ECISD schools
- Oct 12<sup>th</sup> will be a regular school day for OCA / OCTECHS
- The Oct 12<sup>th</sup> Columbus Holiday for the regular ECISD calendar is moved to Oct 16<sup>th</sup> for OCA and OCTECHS
- PSAT & SAT Day is Oct 14<sup>th</sup>. Only select 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade students taking these tests will be at school. All other students will be home taking classes virtually.
- November 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> 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 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, & 12<sup>th</sup>
  - their type of associate degree determines what day they graduate with OC
- **NEW – February 12<sup>th</sup> will be an Early Release Day at 12:00 pm for OCA & OCTECHS**
- Feb 15<sup>th</sup> will be a regular school day for OCA / OCTECHS
- The Feb 15<sup>th</sup> Bad Weather / COVID-19 Make-Up Day for the regular ECISD calendar is moved to Feb 19<sup>th</sup> for OCA and OCTECHS
- **NEW – March 5<sup>th</sup> will be an Early Release Day at 12:00 pm for OCA & OCTECHS**
- OC Spring Graduations is on May 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>
  - their type of associate degree determines what day they graduate with OC
- **OCA and OCTECHS High School Graduation will be Fri May 21<sup>st</sup> with OCA at 6:00 pm and OCTECHS at 8:00 pm / Both at the OC Sports Center**
- 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, & 11<sup>th</sup> Grade students will continue school until May 27<sup>th</sup>, like ECISD
- Last day of school is Thursday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, 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.**