

Innovation Science and Technology Academy

2023-2024 School Calendar

August 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		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		

September 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
					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

October 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

November 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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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		

December 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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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						

January 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	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			

February 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
				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		

March 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
					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
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April 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	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			

May 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
			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	

June 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
						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

July 2024						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	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			



End of Term



School Resumes



No School



Afternoon planning for teachers
School ends at 1:15 p.m.



Professional Development Day,
No school for students



Conferences, after school



WBWF Meeting

Last day of the term

Aug. 14 – Sep 1.....Teacher Workshop, No School
 Sep. 4Labor Day No School
 Sep.18First day of School
 Oct. 11 & 12.....Parent Teacher Conferences
 Oct. 19 & 20MEA, No School
 Nov.3.....End of Term
 Nov. 9.....Progress Reports Sent Home
 Nov-22.....Professional Development, No School
 Nov. 23 – 24Thanksgiving, No School
 Dec. 22 – Jan 1.....Winter Break, No School
 Jan. 1.....New Year, No School

Jan. 2,School Resumes after Winter Break
 Jan. 15.....Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, No School
 Jan. 19End of Term 2
 Jan. 25.....Progress Reports Sent Home
 Jan. 24 & 25.....Parent Teacher Conferences
 Feb. 19.....Presidents Day, No School
 March 15-22Spring Break, No School
 March 25School Resumes after spring break
 March 29.....End of Term 3
 April 19.....Professional Development, No School
 April 11.....Progress Reports Sent Home
 April 17 & 18.....Parent Teacher Conferences
 May 25.....WBWF Meeting
 May 27.....Memorial Day, No School
 June 13End of Term 4, Last Day of School
 June 14.....Staff Last Day

Term	Dates	Number of Days
Term 1	September 18 - November 3, 2023	33
Term 2	November 6, 2023 – January 19, 2024	43
Term 3	January 22, 2024 – March 29, 2024	44
Term 4	April 1, 2024 – June 13, 2024	52
Total Number of Student School Days		172

Teacher Work Days: 192
172 (student days)+15 (August) +5 (PD)= 192
1,1 24 Instructional Hours

NW EA Testing Windows: Sep 18 - 29, Jan 15 - 31, May 16 - 31

Innovation Academy Standardized Testing Schedule 2024

Tests	Dates	Grades
WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs	1/29 - 3/22	K - 7
MCA Math	3/4 - 5/3	3 - 7
MCA Reading	3/4 - 5/3	3 - 7
MCA Science	3/4 - 5/10	5

TEST	Average Time	Content	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	Purpose / Rationale	Test Format	Results
MAP District Required	Approx. 45 min./test Fall/Winter/Spring	Reading	X	X	X	X	X	Formative data used to improve instruction. RIT score used in class placement.	Computer-based, adaptive test.	Nationally normed with same-age peer Available upon request from case manager advisor. Report at IEP meeting
		Math	X	X	X	X	X			
		Science			X					
MCA / MTAS State Required	3 rd grade-2-3hrs 4 th grade-2-3hrs 5 th grade-2-3hrs 6 th grade-2-3hrs 7 th grade-2-3hrs	Reading	X	X		X		Summative assessment measures achievement on the Minnesota Academic Standards and measures academic progress of students over time. Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.30 and ESEA.	MCA: computer-based test with technology enhanced items. Math & Reading MCAs are adaptive tests. Science MCAs are linear tests.	Report distributed to families in the fall.
	3 rd grade-2-3hrs 4 th grade-2-3hrs 5 th grade-2-3hrs 6 th grade-2-3hrs 7 th grade-2-3hrs	Math	X	X						
	5 th grade-2-3hrs	Science			X					

INNOVATION ACADEMY 2023-2024 MCA Testing Schedule

Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Tuesday 4/02/2024	3 rd Grade	4 th Grade
Test	Math (Part 1)	Math (Part 1)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Wednesday 4/03/2024	3 rd Grade	4 th Grade
Test	Math (Part 2)	Math (Part 2)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Thursday 4/04/2024	5 th Grade	6 th Grade
Test	Math (Part 1)	Math (Part 1)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Thursday 4/11/2024	5 th Grade	6 th Grade
Test	Math (Part 2)	Math (Part 2)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Tuesday 4/16/2024	7 th Grade	7 th Grade
Test	Math (Part 1)	Math (Part 2)
Time	9:00am - 11:00am	
Wednesday 4/17/2024	7 th Grade	
Test	Math (Part 2)	

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Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Thursday 4/18/2024	3 rd Grade	4 th Grade

Test	Reading (Part 1)	Reading (Part 1)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Tuesday 4/23/2024	3 rd Grade	4 th Grade
Test	Reading (Part 2)	Reading (Part 2)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Wednesday 4/24/2024	5 th Grade	6 th Grade
Test	Reading (Part 1)	Reading (Part 1)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Thursday 4/25/2024	5 th Grade	6 th Grade
Test	Reading (Part 2)	Reading (Part 2)
Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Tuesday 4/30/2024	7 th Grade	7 th Grade
Test	Reading (Part 1)	Reading (Part 2)
Time	9:00am - 11:00am	
Wednesday 5 /01/2024	7 th Grade	
Test	Reading (Part 2)	

Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Thursday 5/02/2024	5 th Grade	Makeups
Test	Science (Part 1)	

Time	10:00am - 11:30am	1:00pm - 2:30pm
Friday 5/03/2024	5th Grade	Makeups
Test	Science (Part 2)	