



KANSAS STATE SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

2022-2023

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School Office: 913-305-3015

SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR DATES

AUGUST

New Teacher/Staff Orientation.....Aug. 8
 All Staff Professional Development..... Aug. 9 – 10
 Teacher Work DayAug. 11
No SchoolAug. 12
 Enrollment (11:30 am – 3:00 pm)Aug. 14
 Classes BeginAug. 15

SEPTEMBER

No School – Labor Day.....Sep. 5
 Fall Boys & Girls Weekend Sep. 23 - 25
 KCBAS 5K Run/Walk (rain or shine).....Sep. 24

OCTOBER

Early Dismissal - PT ConferencesOct. 13
 End of 1st Quarter.....Oct. 14
No Students - Teacher Work Day.....Oct. 14

NOVEMBER

Early DismissalNov. 10
No Students – Vision Symposium (Prof. Dev.).....Nov. 11
No School – Fall Break..... Nov. 21 - 25

DECEMBER

Early DismissalDec. 15
No Students – Teacher Work Day.....Dec. 16
 End of 2nd Quarter.....Dec. 16
No School – Winter BreakDec. 19 – Jan. 2

JANUARY

Classes Resume.....Jan. 3
No School – Martin Luther King DayJan. 16

FEBRUARY

Early DismissalFeb. 16
No Students – Teacher Work Day.....Feb. 17
 Braille Celebration at KSSBFeb. 17
No School – President’s DayFeb. 20
 Braille Celebration at KSSB – *makeup date*Feb. 24

MARCH

Braille Celebration – Wichita AreaMar. 4
 Early Dismissal – PT ConferencesMar. 9
 End of 3rd QuarterMar. 10
No Students – Teacher Work DayMar. 10
 Braille Celebration – Wichita Area – *makeup date*Mar. 11
No School – Spring BreakMar. 13 – 17

APRIL

Spring Boys & Girls Weekend.....Mar. 31 – Apr. 2
No SchoolApr. 10
 Family ForumApr. 22

MAY

GraduationMay 11
 Last Day for Graduates & Transition StudentsMay 11
 Last Day for StudentsMay 18
 Teacher Work DayMay 19
 Alumni Weekend..... May 19 - 21

JUNE

ESY Training DayJune 1
 ESY Summer Program – KSSB..... June 5 – 23
 ESY Summer Program – Hays June 18 – 23

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| | NO SCHOOL | | New Staff Orientation |
| | Teacher Work Day (No Students) | | Enrollment / Last Day |
| | Prof. Development (No Students) | | Back to School |
| | Early Dismissal – 12:30 PM | | Parent - Teacher Conference |
| | Sporting Event / School Activity | | ESY Training |
| | Inclement Weather Makeup Date | | Extended School Year |



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Important Calendar/School Information

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| <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS</u></p> <p>Main Campus Line/School Office 913-305-3015 Security 913-305-3009 Superintendent..... 913-305-3014 School Office 913-305-3015</p> | <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>REGULAR SCHOOL HOURS & SCHOOL ADDRESS</u></p> <p>Monday - Thursday.....8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Friday.....8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.</p> <p>School Address: 1100 State Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66102</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES</u></p> <p>Sunday, August 14..... 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Thursday, October 13..... 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Thursday, March 9 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</p> | <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>REPORTING ABSENCES</u></p> <p>Student absences/late arrivals must be reported by calling the school office between 7:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.</p> <p>School Office 913-305-3015</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>REPORTING PERIODS</u></p> <p>1st Quarter (43 days) August 16 – October 14 2nd Quarter (38 days) October 18 – December 16 3rd Quarter (46 days).....January 3 – March 10 4th Quarter (43 days)..... March 21 – May 19</p> | <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>DORMITORY HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION</u></p> <p>Dorm Opens Sundays 3:00 p.m. Dormitory Director 913-305-3050 Overnight Dorm.....913-305-3009</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>SPECIAL SCHOOL CLOSING INFORMATION</u></p> <p>KSSB will be closed on weekends. School will be dismissed on Fridays at 12:30 PM with the following exceptions:</p> <p>Thursday, October 13 12:30 p.m. Thursday, November 10 12:30 p.m. Thursday, December 15 12:30 p.m. Thursday, February 16 12:30 p.m. Thursday, March 9 12:30 p.m. Thursday, May 18 12:30 p.m.</p> | <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>SPECIAL DORM OPENING INFORMATION</u></p> <p>KSSB dorm will be open on Sundays at 3:00 p.m. with the following exceptions:</p> <p>Monday, September 5 3:00 p.m. Monday, January 2..... 3:00 p.m. Monday, January 16..... 3:00 p.m. Monday, February 20..... 3:00 p.m. Monday, April 10 3:00 p.m.</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY</u></p> <p>When inclement weather strikes, KSSB generally remains open due to having a residential program.</p> <p>Any school cancellations due to inclement weather will be posted on www.kssb.net and on social media.</p> <p>KSSB Facebook: www.facebook.com/KSBlind KSSB Twitter: twitter.com/KansasBlind</p> <p>Any time area school districts have an early dismissal due to inclement weather, KSSB will keep our daily schedule as is. If parents / school districts choose to pick up their day student(s) early due to inclement weather, please contact the KSSB school office.</p> <p>Any time area school districts have a late start due to inclement weather, KSSB will start on time at 7:55 am. If parents / school districts choose to not travel in adverse conditions, please contact the KSSB school office.</p> | <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #FFD700; margin: 0;"><u>INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY EXCEPTIONS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please note the following:</p> <p>If the weather forecast is threatening inclement weather on a Sunday, KSSB will review the forecast and reports and may close the dormitory Sunday evening and cancel classes on Monday.</p> <p>If the weather forecast is threatening inclement weather on a Friday, KSSB may decide to dismiss students on a Thursday or early on a Friday in order to return students home safely before the weather begins.</p> <p>Even though KSSB may be open, we encourage families to not travel in adverse conditions. Ultimately, this decision is totally up to the local school district personnel, drivers, and parents.</p> |