

## NEISD 2025-26 TEA/UIIL Eligibility Calendar

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|---|-------|---|
| Monday  | 8/11  | First Day of School   |
| Friday  | 9/19  | Evaluate All Students (1 <sup>st</sup> - 6 weeks grade check)               |
| Friday  | 9/26  | Students gain/lose eligibility  |
| Thursday  | 10/9  | Evaluate All Students (1 <sup>st</sup> -9 weeks grade check)                |
| Thursday  | 10/16 | Students gain/lose eligibility  |
| Friday  | 10/31 | Re-evaluate failing students (3 weeks progress report)                      |
| Friday  | 11/7  | Students passing all subjects regain eligibility                            |
| Friday  | 11/21 | Re-evaluate failing students (3 weeks progress report)                      |
| 11/22-29* <b>*THANKSGIVING BREAK-ALL STUDENTS ARE ACADEMICALLY ELIGIBLE</b> |       |   |
| Monday  | 12/1  | Students return to previous eligibility status                              |
| Monday  | 12/8  | Students passing all subjects regain eligibility (based on 11/21)           |
| Friday*   | 12/19 | Evaluate All Students (2 <sup>nd</sup> -9 weeks grade check)                |
| 12/20-1/6* <b>*WINTER BREAK-ALL STUDENTS ARE ACADEMICALLY ELIGIBLE</b>      |       |   |
| Tuesday   | 1/6   | Students return to previous eligibility status                              |
| Tuesday   | 1/13  | Students gain/lose eligibility (based on 2 <sup>nd</sup> 9wks report card)  |
| Monday  | 1/26  | Re-evaluate failing students (3 weeks progress report)                      |
| Monday  | 2/2   | Students passing all subjects regain eligibility                            |
| Friday  | 2/13  | Re-evaluate failing students (3 weeks progress report)                      |
| Friday  | 2/20  | Students passing all subjects regain eligibility.                           |
| Friday*   | 3/6   | Evaluate All Students (based on 3 <sup>rd</sup> 9wks report card)           |
| 3/7-3/15* <b>*SPRING BREAK-ALL STUDENTS ARE ACADEMICALLY ELIGIBLE</b>       |       |   |
| Monday  | 3/16  | Students return to previous eligibility status.                             |
| Monday  | 3/23  | Students gain/lose eligibility (based on 3 <sup>rd</sup> 9 wks report card) |
| Thursday  | 4/2   | Re-evaluate failing students (3 weeks progress report)                      |
| Thursday  | 4/9   | Students passing all subjects regain eligibility                            |
| Thursday  | 4/23  | Re-evaluate failing students (3 weeks progress report)                      |
| Thursday***   | 4/30  | Students passing all subjects regain eligibility                            |

**This document is intended to bring clarity to the academic eligibility calendar for UIL participants. Specifically, be aware of the following issues:**

- Grace period for eligibility is seven (7) calendar days after the evaluation, with the exception of holidays.
- Academic Eligibility is determined from the nine-week grades, no semester grades.
- After the 1<sup>st</sup> six weeks academic eligibility check, students may only lose academic eligibility at the end of nine weeks grading period (not at three weeks progress report).
- Students may regain eligibility at both the three weeks progress report and at the nine weeks grade report.
- All students are academically eligible during holidays of a full calendar week or more.

\*All students become eligible at the end of the school day before a weeklong (or more) school holiday.

\*\*Evaluation period includes 2 shortened weeks.

\*\*\*Weather day could impact.

### **Important Testing Dates:**

December 18-19 1<sup>st</sup> Semester Exam

Mar 5 SAT School Day

April 7 STAAR EOC English I

April 9 STAAR EOC English II

April 14 STAAR EOC Biology

April 16 STAAR EOC U.S. History

April 21 STAAR EOC Algebra I

May 4 - May 15 Advanced Placement (AP) Testing

May 27-29 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Exam