

**ROCKWALL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**2008 - 2009 School Calendar**

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New Employee Breakfast and Induction .....	August 15
Convocation and Campus Professional Development .....	August 18
Professional Development .....	August 18 - 21
Teacher Work Day .....	August 22
First Day of Classes .....	August 25
Labor Day Holiday .....	September 1
Fair Day Holiday .....	October 1
Thanksgiving Holidays .....	November 26 <sup>^</sup> - 28
End of First Semester .....	December 19
Winter Break/Student Holidays .....	December 22 - January 7
Teacher Work Day .....	January 5
Professional Development .....	January 6 - 7
Second Semester Begins .....	January 8
Martin Luther King Day Holiday .....	January 19
President's Day (Professional Development/Student Holiday) .....	February 16
Professional Development .....	March 13 <sup>^</sup>
Spring Break Holidays .....	March 16 - 20
Holidays <b>or</b> Inclement Weather Make Up Days .....	April 10* and 13*
Memorial Day Holiday .....	May 25
Last Day of Classes/End of Second Semester .....	June 4
Teacher Work Day/Graduation - Rockwall-Heath High School .....	June 5
Graduation - Rockwall High School .....	June 6
End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Grading Period .....	October 17
End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grading Period .....	December 19
<b>Total Days in First Semester .....</b>	<b>80 days</b>
End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grading Period .....	March 12
End of 4 <sup>th</sup> Grading Period .....	June 4
<b>Total Days in Second Semester .....</b>	<b>95 days</b>

<sup>^</sup> November 26 and March 13 - Compensatory Days

\* April 10 and April 13 - Inclement weather make up days

Professional Development Days	9
Teacher Workdays	3
Instructional Days	<u>175</u>
Total contractual days required	187