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1) ● Indicates first day of classes
2) ◼ Circled dates indicate end of grading periods
3) ◼ Shaded dates indicate holidays
4) ▲ Student holiday and school based staff workday
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6) % Teachers New to Teaching (TNT) report for training
7) @ Teachers New to Mesa (TNM) report for training
8) + Teachers, Nurses, Counselors, Audiologists, OTPTs report to schools
# MESA Unified School District #4

**Teachers, Counselors, Student Advisors, Nurses, Audiologists and OTPTs**

**2015-2016 Calendar**

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**August**

- 8/12/15 to 8/31/15: 14 days
- Labor Day: 9/7/15
- October Break (Non-Work Days): 10/12/15 to 10/16/15: 5 days
- Veterans Day: 11/11/15
- Thanksgiving: 11/26/15 to 11/27/15: 2 days

**September**

- 9/1/15 to 9/30/15: 21 days

**October**

- 10/1/15 to 10/31/15: 17 days
- October Break (Non-Work Days): 10/12/15 to 10/16/15: 5 days

**November**

- 11/1/15 to 11/30/15: 18 days
- Veterans Day: 11/11/15
- Thanksgiving: 11/26/15 to 11/27/15: 2 days

**December**

- 12/1/15 to 12/18/15: 14 days
- Semester Break: 12/21/15 to 12/31/15: 10 days

**January**

- 1/4/16 to 1/31/16: 19 days
- MLK/Civil Rights Day: 1/18/16

**February**

- 2/1/16 to 2/29/16: 20 days
- Presidents’ Day: 2/15/16

**March**

- 3/1/16 to 3/31/16: 17 days
- Spring Break: 3/14/16 to 3/18/16: 5 days

**April**

- 4/1/16 to 4/30/16: 21 days
- April Break: 3/25/16

**May**

- 5/1/16 to 5/26/16: 19 days

**Year End Grading Day**

- 5/27/16

**GRADING PERIODS END:**

- October 9, 2015
- December 18, 2015
- March 11, 2016
- May 26, 2016

**FIRST SEMESTER:**

- August 12, 2015 - December 18, 2015

**SECOND SEMESTER:**

- January 4, 2016 - May 26, 2016 (**May 27, 2016)**

**NEW TEACHERS, NURSES, & OTPTs report on Thursday, July 30, 2015 and remain on duty through Friday, May 27, 2016**

**TEACHERS NEW TO MESA** report on Tuesday, August 4, 2015 and remain on duty through Friday, May 27, 2016

**ALL EXPERIENCED TEACHERS, NURSES, & OTPTs report on Thursday, August 6, 2015 and remain on duty through Friday, May 27, 2016**

**ALL COUNSELORS, STUDENT ADVISORS & AUDIOLOGISTS report on Thursday, August 6, 2015 and remain on duty through Friday, May 27, 2016**

* Classes for students begin August 12, 2015
** Second semester classes begin January 4, 2016
*** Emergency school closure make-up day, if necessary