

## Non-Designated (ND) 1- and 2-Star Schools Programmatic Calendar SY2025-26

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2025 - 2026		
August	15	<p>➤ <b>School Improvement Plans (SIPs) due into the Plan4Learning digital platform</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ As this is the first year implementing the new August due date, NDE is providing flexibility with the final SIP submission deadline. Schools may submit their finalized plans anytime between August 15 and September 15, 2025.</li> </ul>
	18 - 29	➤ <b>NDE Reviewing and Approving SIPs for CSI and MRI schools</b>
	26 & 29	<p>➤ <b>School Improvement Team (SIT)-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, August 26<sup>th</sup>: 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, August 29<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
September	1	<b>Labor Day Holiday Observed</b>
	2 – 12	➤ <b>NDE continues reviewing and approving SIPs for CSI and MRI Schools</b>
	15	➤ <b>School Star Ratings and Designations Released</b>
	23	<p>➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ No SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting due to the School Improvement Kickoff Meetings on September 23<sup>rd</sup>.</li> </ul> <p>➤ <b>Non-Designated One-Star and Two-Star Informational Kickoff Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 11:00 a.m. - 11:55 a.m.</li> <li>○ Purpose: To provide information on the expectations and requirements for ND One- and Two-Star schools</li> <li>○ Audience: One- and Two-Star Non-Designated school principals and their school teams; LEAs (superintendents, regional superintendents, assistant superintendents, school improvement teams, grant coordinators, directors of school improvement, instructional coaches).</li> <li>○ Recording will be available within one week of the meeting.</li> </ul>
	30	<p>➤ <b>Follow up Office Hour Meetings</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ ND - 11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.</li> </ul>

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<b>October</b>	<b>1 - 30</b>	<p>➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected Schools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	<b>9 - 10</b>	<p>➤ <b>School Improvement Convening – look for announcements</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Attendees: Principals and their school improvement teams (no more than 3 people per school); LEA school improvement team, NDE colleagues</li> <li>○ CEU available</li> <li>○ Attendance at the convening may substitute for participation in a virtual meeting</li> </ul>
	<b>21 &amp; 24</b>	<p>➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting moved to the third week of October due to the Holiday on October 31<sup>st</sup>.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, October 21<sup>st</sup>: 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
	<b>31</b>	<b>Nevada Day Observed</b>
<b>November</b>	<b>3 - 26</b>	<p>➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected Schools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for ND school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	<b>11</b>	<b>Veteran's Day Observed</b>
	<b>18 &amp; 21</b>	<p>➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting moved to the third week of November due to the Thanksgiving holiday.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, November 18<sup>th</sup>: 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, November 21<sup>st</sup>: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
	<b>27 &amp; 28</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Break</b>
	<b>30</b>	<p>➤ <b>SIP Status Check #1</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ This is a good monitoring check point for all schools. Please follow your LEA timelines.</li> </ul>

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<b>December</b>	<b>1 - 19</b>	<p>➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected Schools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	<b>8 - 19</b>	➤ <b>NDE reviewing SIP status check #1 for CSI and MRI schools.</b>
	<b>23 &amp; 26</b>	➤ <b>No SIT-LEA Collaborative Meetings this week due to the holiday.</b>
	<b>20 - 31</b>	<b>Winter Break</b>
<b>January</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>New Year's Day Holiday – 2026</b>
	<b>5 - 30</b>	<p>➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected Schools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	<b>19</b>	<b>Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day Observed</b>
	<b>27 &amp; 30</b>	<p>➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, January 27<sup>th</sup>: 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, January 30<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
<b>February</b>	<b>2 – 27</b>	<p>➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected CSI Schools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for CSI school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	<b>16</b>	<b>President's Day Observed</b>
	<b>24 &amp; 27</b>	<p>➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>: 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, February 27<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
	<b>28</b>	<p>➤ <b>SIP Status Check #2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ This is a good monitoring check point for all schools. Please follow your LEA timelines.</li> </ul>

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March	2 – 31	➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected CSI Schools</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for CSI school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	2 – 13	➤ <b>NDE reviewing SIP Status Check #2 for CSI and MRI schools</b>
	24 & 27	➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>: 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
April	1 - 30	➤ <b>On-Site and/or Virtual School Visits for Selected CSI Schools</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please refer to the Site Visit Protocol document for CSI school selection criteria.</li> <li>○ Purpose: Gather qualitative data to learn about and gain a broad perspective of the school's current improvement efforts.</li> </ul>
	21 & 24	➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, April 21<sup>st</sup>: 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>
May	25	<b>Memorial Day Observed</b>
	26 & 29	➤ <b>SIT-LEA Collaborative Meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>: 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.</li> <li>○ Friday, May 29<sup>th</sup>: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.</li> </ul>

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