

MEP List of Calendar Dates: Program Year 2024-25

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September 2024 to August 2025

SEPTEMBER 2024

- **1st – Summer Session II Starts (September 1-4)**
- *2nd - Federal Holiday: Labor Day*
- **3rd – OSY Workshop Series: Ordering at a Restaurant (7:30-9pm)**
- **4th – SST Meetings**
- **6th – Deadline for 2024-25 Work Plan: Start Program Year (Sept-May 2024-25)**
- **16th - Website Tour for New Employees (8:30-10am)**
- **17th - Statewide PD- Student Forms & Service Codes (1-4:00pm)**
- **18th - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- **24th - Statewide PD: Student Forms & Service Codes (5-7:30pm)**

OCTOBER 2024

- **1st - NYS-MEP Kickoff (9-10:30)**
- **2nd – SST Meetings**
- *3rd-4th - Rosh Hashanah (Holiday for some districts)*
- **8th – 10th – Fall Consortium (Saratoga Springs-Hybrid)**
- **11th - easyCBM Fall Window Closes: (Aug 7 to Oct 11, 2024)**
- *12th – Yom Kippur*
- *14th - Federal Holiday: Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples' Day*
- **15th - Statewide PD: Diploma Requirements and Graduation Pathways**
 - (9-10:30am)
- *16th – 19th – IMEC (Denver, Co) Note: IMEC=Interstate Migrant Education Counsel*
- **18th - CAMP: College Exploration Data at SUNY Oneonta**
- **21st - Website Tour for New Employees (8:30-10am)**
- **23rd - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- **29th - Statewide PD: QPS Drop-in (2-3:00pm)**
- **31st – Deadline for 2023-24 Work Plan: Annual Performance Report (APR)**
- *31st – Halloween*

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NOVEMBER 2024

- 1st - *Diwali (Holiday for some districts)*
- 3rd - *Daylight Savings Time ends*
- 5th - *Election Day (Holiday for RF and some districts)*
- 7th - **Statewide PD: Annual Data Security & MSIX Training (9-10:30am)**
- 11th - *Federal Holiday: Veterans Day*
- 12th - **Statewide PD: Undocumented Students-Pathway to College (9-10:30am)**
- 13th – **SST Meetings**
- 14th – **Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
 - *Note: Moved from Nov 20th to THURSDAY, Nov 14th*
- 18th - **Website Tour for New Employees (8:30-10am)**
 - 19th - **State PAC (7-8:30pm)** (METS: Fredonia, Long Island-Metro, Northeast, and Oswego)
- 20th – 22nd – **Data Specialist, Director, and Recruiter Training in Saratoga Springs**
 - **METS Directors:** Join Wednesday afternoon (Nov 20) and Thursday morning (Nov 21)
- 21st – *(State PAC rescheduled to Thursday, December 5) (METS: Brockport, Cortland, Mohawk, and Mid-Hudson)*
- 26th - **Statewide PD: Fundamental Reading Skills (Session 1) (9-10:30am)**
- 27th – *Holiday recess starts for some districts*
- 28th - *Federal Holiday: Thanksgiving*
- 29th - *Holiday Recess*

DECEMBER 2024

- 4th – **SST Meetings**
- 5th – **State PAC (7 – 8:30pm)** (METS: Brockport, Cortland, Mohawk, and Mid-Hudson)
- 11th - **Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- 12 - **Statewide PD:**
 - **Morning (9-10:30am)** Special Education 101 Overview
 - **Afternoon (2:30-4pm)** **Supporting Families to Identify Disabilities and Get Help**
- 16th - **Website Tour for New Employees (8:30-10am)**
- 21st - *Winter Begins*

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December 2024 continued...

- 23rd – 31st - Winter Recess
- 25th - Federal Holiday: Christmas
- 25th - Hanukkah begins at sundown
- 26th - Kwanzaa begins

JANUARY 2025

- 1ST - Federal Holiday: New Year's Day
- 2nd – 3rd - Winter Recess continues for some districts
- 8th – SST Meetings
- 9th - **Statewide PD:** Fundamental Reading Skills (Session 2) (9-10:30am)
- 15th - **Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- 15th - 17th - Interstate Migrant Education Council (IMEC) meets in Asheville, NC
- 20th - Federal Holiday Martin Luther King, Jr Day
- 21st - **Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 21st – 24th - Regents Exams
- 22nd – **Statewide PD:** Differentiating Instruction for OSY (10 – 11:30am)
- 29th – **Statewide PD:** Navigating ENL Programs in the Schools as Migrant Educator (Part 1) (1 – 2:30pm)
- 29th - Lunar New Year (New Holiday for some districts)
- 30th – **Statewide PD:** CAMP: Need-to-Know for Keys to Success (11:30am–12:15pm)
- 30th – **Parent and OSY Wage Theft Workshop** with Worker Justice Center of NY (7-8:30pm)
 - Presented in Spanish.
 - METS can contact ID&R-TASC or WJCNY to set up a workshop in English only.
 - Staff register interested Parents and OSY through the website.

January Note: The Deadline for submitting the 2024-25 Work Plan: Mid-Year Review (Sept – Dec 2024) has been moved to February 14, 2025.

FEBRUARY 2025

- 5th – **Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- 6th – **SST Meetings**

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February 2025 continued...

- **11th - Statewide PD:** What is an Individualized Education Plan? (9-10:30am)
- *12th – Lincoln’s Birthday (Holiday for RF)*
- *14th – Valentine’s Day*
- **14th – Deadline 2024-25 Work Plan: Mid-Year Review** (Sept-Dec 2024)
- *17th – Federal Holiday: Presidents’ Day*
- *17th – 21st – Mid-Winter Recess for many schools*
- **18th – Website Tour for New Employees** (8:30-10am)
- **25th – 27th - Virtual Consortium** (*We do **NOT** plan to meet all day for a virtual meeting. However, we ask you to **hold each day from 9am to 3pm**, until the Agenda is set.*)

MARCH 2025

- *4th – 6th – Annual Directors Meeting (ADM) with Office of Migrant Education(OME) in Washington, D.C. [State Directors and/or designees]*
- **6th - Parent Coffee Hour** with Odilia: discussion about keeping student data confidential (7-8:00pm)
- *9th - Daylight Savings Time starts*
- **12th - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- **17th - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- *17th - St. Patrick’s Day*
- **18th – SST Meetings**
- **19th - Statewide PD:** Fundamental Reading Skills (*Session 3*) (9-10:30am)
- **20th – Statewide PD:** Navigating ENL Programs in Schools as the Migrant Educator (Part 2) (1 – 2:30pm)
- **26th – Statewide PD:** Educating OSY About U.S. Laws (10 – 11:00am)
- *30th – Eid al-Fitr starts at sundown*
- *31st - Eid al-Fitr observed by some districts*

APRIL 2025

- **1st - OSY Workshop** (7:30-9:30pm)
- *2nd - SST Meetings*
- **4th – 5th - CAMP: Keys to Success** (*overnight event*)
- **9th - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**

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April 2025 continued...

- **10th – Statewide PD:** Recruitment/MEP Eligibility 101 (10 – 11:30am)
- *12th - Passover begins at sundown*
- *13th – 16th – NASDME Conference in San Francisco, CA. NASDME stands for the National Association of State Directors of Migrant Education.*
- *14th -18th - Spring Break week for some districts*
- *14th – May 23rd - NYSESLAT Speaking Assessments: April 14-May 23*
- *18th - Good Friday*
- *20th - Easter*
- **21st - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- *21st - 25th - Spring Break week for some district*
- *22nd - Earth Day*
- **29th - State PAC (7-8:30pm) (METS: Fredonia, Long Island-Metro, Northeast, and Oswego)**
- *29th - Paper Assessment: ELA for Grades 3-7: April 29 – May 1*
- **30th - Statewide PD:** Fundamental Reading Skills (*Session 4*) (9-10:30am)

April Notes:

- **NYS Assessment Schedule:**
 - *Districts using computer-based testing can set their own* testing schedule, between April 7 and May 16, for the ELA, Mathematics, and Science assessments
 - *Paper-based testing can only be used* in Grades (3-7) for ELA and Math, on the dates set by NYS.

MAY 2025

- **1st - 1 State PAC (7-8:30pm) (METS: Brockport, Cortland, Mid-Hudson, and Mohawk)**
- *1st – Paper Assessment: ELA for Grades 3-7: April 29 - May 1)*
- **6th - OSY Workshop (7:30-9:30pm)**
- **7th - SST Meetings**
- **7th – 9th – DS & Recruiter Training May 7-9**
- *7th – 9th - Paper Assessment: Math for Grades 3-7: May 7 - 9*
- *11th - Mother's Day*
- *12th – 23rd - NYSESLAT Listening, Reading, Writing Assessments: May 12-23*
- **14th - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**

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- 15th – **First Day of Summer Service** for OSY and Preschool students
- 15th – **Application Deadline: NYS-MEP Student Scholarships**
 - **Note: The Scholarship Deadline for NYS-MEP Student Scholarships is May 15 instead of June this year.** (NYS Patrick Crowley, Friends of Jack Perry, and Fruits of Labor) ([Scholarships on NYS-MEP website](#))
- 19th - **Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 23rd - *Memorial Day observed by some districts*
- 26th - *Federal Holiday: Memorial Day observed*
- 27th – 29th – **May Consortium in Saratoga Springs with hybrid option**
- NYSESLAT Speaking continues: April 14-May 23

JUNE 2025

- 3rd - 6th - **OSY Workshop** (7:30-9:30pm)
- 4th - **SST Meetings**
- 6th - *Eid al-Adha (holiday observed by some districts)*
- 10th – *New Regents Exams: Earth & Space Sciences & Life Science Biology*
- 11th - **Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- 11th - *New Regents Exam: Geometry*
- 13th – **Application Deadline: FoL Parent Leadership Award** ([Scholarships on NYS-MEP web site](#))
- 15th - *Father's Day*
- 16th - **Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 17th – 25th - *Regents Exams (except Juneteenth)*
- 18th – 20th - *Interstate Migrant Education Council (IMEC) meets in Rogers, Arkansas*
- 19th - *Federal Holiday: Juneteenth*
- 20th - **Deadline for 2024-25 Work Plan: Summer Program (June-Aug 2025)**
- 26th – 27th – *Rating Days for Regents Exams*
- The new Regents Exams are administered early in the month to allow time for collection and standard setting by June 26.
- **TBD:** First Day of Summer Service for Grades K-12/UG

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JULY 2025

- **1st: Scholarship Deadline: National Migrant Farmworker Baccalaureate application** [See Scholarships on the NYS-MEP website](#) for application details.
- *4th – Federal Holiday: Independence Day*
- **9th - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- **13th – 18th – SOMLA (Students arrive Sunday, July 13th , and students picked up on Friday, July 18th .**
- **21st - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- SST does not meet in July

AUGUST 2025

- **5th – OSY Workshop (7:30 – 9:00pm)**
- **6th - SST Meetings**
- **7th – easyCBM Fall Window for Assessments Opens**
 - (August 7 – October 10, 2025)
- **18th - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- *19th – 20th - Regents Exams*
- **31st – Summer Period I Ends**
- **31st - MEP Program/ Fiscal Year Ends**

August Notes:

- Director/SST Call is not held in August
- **TBD:** Deadline for the **2025-26** Work Plan

September 2024 – August 2025 Support and Learning Community Dates

Adolescent	Early Childhood & Parent/Family Engagement
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 19 • October 30 • November 19 • December 10 • January 16 • February 13 • March 26 • April 29 • May 22 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 20 or Sept 23 • October 18 or Oct 22 • November 22 or Nov 25 • January 24 or Jan 28 • February 24 or 28 • March 27 or 28

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• June 11	
ENL <ul style="list-style-type: none">• December 5• January 21• February 4• March 4	Math <ul style="list-style-type: none">• January 14• February 13• March 13• April 10
OSY <ul style="list-style-type: none">• December 5• January 16• February 13• March 13	New Employee Meet & Greet <ul style="list-style-type: none">• January 28
Directors <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ongoing	
Data Specialists <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ongoing	Recruiters <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ongoing