

Dickinson High School August 2024

# WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

## Welcome Message

Please click welcome message to  
watch video from our NEW  
Superintendent

**DICKINSON**  
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

*Meet and*  
**GREET**

Dickinson High School  
parents are invited to a  
Meet and Greet with Dickinson  
ISD's new Superintendent  
before the DHS Open House.

**5:45 p.m.**  
**Monday,**  
**September 16**  
**DHS Library**

**DR. REBECCA BROWN**  
*Dickinson ISD Superintendent*



## DHS ADMINISTRATOR TEAM



## DHS COUNSELOR TEAM



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CLICK TO  
APPLY!

## FREE & REDUCED MEAL APPLICATION

24-25  
SCHOOL YEAR  
APPLICATION  
OPEN AUG. 1

APPLY NOW FOR STUDENT MEAL BENEFITS

Click here to apply

<https://www.mealappnow.com/mandks/splash.php>

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS

1. School starts at 7:05 a.m.
2. Please make sure to have your child at school before the time.
3. Late arrivals have to get a tardy pass at the kiosk before going to class

The Texas attendance rules say that a student has to be in a class at least 90% of the time to get credit for that class. This rule applies even if your child has an Individualized Education Program (IEP) or Section 504 plan.

<https://www.navigatelifetexas.org/en/education-schools/texas-90-attendance-and-truancy-rules#:~:text=The%20Texas%20attendance%20rules%20>

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- ☒ Wednesday Aug. 28- Meet the Gators
- ☒ Friday Aug. 30- Pep Rally Schedule
- ☒ Monday Sept. 2 - Labor Day- NO SCHOOL
- ☒ Wed- Fri Sept. 4-6- Senior Cap and Gown Order- Gator Mall
- ☒ Wed. Sept. 11- 9th grade school picture
- ☒ Thursday Sept. 12 - EB Parent Night 6pm-7pm @ 9GC Cafeteria
- ☒ **MONDAY- SEPT. 16 -DHS OPEN HOUSE**
- ☒ Monday Sept. 23 - Teacher Planning NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

## BUS ROUTE INFORMATION





**Dear Dickinson High School Parents,**

**We hope you are doing well. As September approaches, we'd like to share some important updates about the upcoming schedule at Dickinson High School. Our goal is to ensure that every student has a rewarding educational experience.**

**Open House**

- **Date: September 16, 2024**
- **Time: 6:00 - 7:30 PM**
- **Locations: You may enter through the main entrance of Dickinson High School or the Ninth Grade Center.**

**Grade-Level Presentations:**

- **6:00 PM: 9th Grade at Ninth Grade Center**
- **6:00 PM: 10th Grade in the Auditorium**
- **6:30 PM: 11th Grade in the Auditorium**
- **7:00 PM: 12th Grade in the Auditorium**

**During Open House, parents can:**

- **Follow their child's schedule**
- **Sign up for parent-teacher conferences**

**Safety Measures:**

**The safety and well-being of our students remain our top priority. Each morning, we will ensure that students are wearing their IDs, adhering to the dress code, arriving to class on time, and following District safety protocols. We appreciate your support in maintaining a secure learning environment.**

**Communication:**

**Stay connected with us via our website, social media channels, and regular email updates. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to our administrative team or your child's teachers. Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to a successful and productive September.**

**Sincerely,  
Courtney Ramirez  
Principal**



DICKINSON HIGH SCHOOL

# OPEN HOUSE

**JOIN US**  
**SEPTEMBER 16, 2024**  
**6:00 PM TO 7:30 PM**

## **GRADE LEVEL PRESENTATIONS**

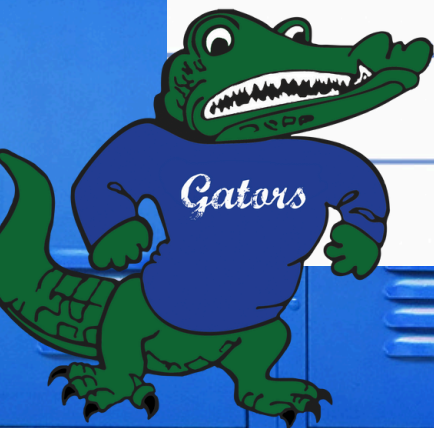
**6:00-9TH GRADE AT 9GC**

**6:00-10TH GRADE IN AUDITORIUM**

**6:30-11TH GRADE IN AUDITORIUM**

**7:00-12TH GRADE IN AUDITORIUM**

- **PARENTS CAN FOLLOW STUDENT SCHEDULES**
- **SIGN UP FOR PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE**





# 2024–2025 Academic Calendar

**First Semester**  
August 15 – December 20, 2024

**Second Semester**  
January 7 – May 22, 2025

**Student/Teacher Holidays**

September 2, 2024

October 14, 2024

(October 14 is a Teacher Exchange Day and a Student Holiday)

November 25-29, 2024

(Nov. 25-26 are Teacher Exchange Days/Student Holidays)

December 23, 2024 - January 3, 2025

January 20, 2025

March 17-21, 2025

April 18, 2025

May 26, 2025

**Transition Day**

August 14, 2024

\* Transition Day will include Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, 4th, 6th, and 9th grade students. These students will start school a day earlier than other grades for special activities to prepare for moving into a new school level.

**New Teacher In-Service**

August 2 and August 5-6, 2024

**Teacher In-Service/Student Holiday**

August 7-14, 2024

September 23, 2024

November 1, 2024

January 6, 2025

February 17, 2025

March 24, 2025

May 26, 2025

**Early Release All Campuses**

(2 hours early)

December 20, 2024    May 22, 2025

**Dickinson High School Graduation**

May 22, 2025 - Sam Vitanza Stadium

**Nine Weeks Grading Cycle**

1st 9-weeks (08/15-10/11)	40 days	18,000 minutes
2nd 9-weeks (10/15-12/20)	43 days	19,230 minutes
<b>First Semester</b>	<b>83 days</b>	<b>37,230 minutes</b>
3rd 9-weeks (1/7-3/14)	47 days	21,150 minutes
4th 9-weeks (3/25-5/22)	42 days	18,780 minutes
<b>Second Semester</b>	<b>89 days</b>	<b>39,930 minutes</b>
<b>Total Instructional</b>	<b>172 days</b>	<b>77,160 minutes</b>
<b>SD Waiver Days</b>		<b>0 minutes</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>172 days</b>	<b>77,160 minutes</b>



## Dickinson Independent School District

**August 2024**

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**September 2024**

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**April 2025**

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**May 2025**

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**July 2025**

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- [ Grading Period Begins
- ] Grading Period Ends
- \*\* Begin/End STAAR Testing Window
- ^ Early Release
- H Student/Teacher Holiday
- Transition Day  
(school day for grades Pre-K, K, 4, 6, & 9)
- NT New Teacher Training
- SD Staff Development (no school for students)
- IP Instructional Planning (no school for students)
- E Student Holiday/Teacher Exchange Day
- Dickinson High School Graduation
- M Possible Bad Weather Make Up Days

**School Hours for the  
2024-2025 school year**

Elementary  
(grades PK-3)

8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Middle School & Junior High  
(grades 4-8)

7:45 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.

High School  
(grades 9-12)

7:05 a.m. - 2:35 p.m.

BOARD APPROVED  
FEBRUARY 6, 2024

# DICKINSON GATOR FOOTBALL

# 2024

# SCHEDULE

**SCRIMMAGE**



**@ ATASCOCITA**  
AUG. 22 | 7 PM



**VS KATY**  
AUG. 30 | 7 PM



**@ C.E. KING**  
SEP. 6 | 7 PM



**VS CY-FAIR**  
SEP. 13 | 7 PM




**@ CLEAR CREEK**  
SEP. 19 | 6 PM



**VS CLEAR BROOK**  
SEP. 27 | 7 PM



**VS CLEAR LAKE**  
OCT. 4 | 7 PM



**@ BRAZOSWOOD**  
OCT. 18 | 7 PM



**@ CLEAR SPRINGS**  
OCT. 25 | 7 PM



**@ CLEAR FALLS**  
NOV. 1 | 7 PM



**VS DEER PARK**  
NOV. 8 | 7 PM

HOME  
GAMES

AWAY  
GAMES

MILITARY 1ST  
RESPONDERS NIGHT

HOMECOMING  
NIGHT

SENIOR  
NIGHT

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## 2024 DICKINSON VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE



DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	9 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE TIMES	JV/VARSITY TIMES
AUG 9 <sup>th</sup>	PEARLAND SCRIMMAGE	PEARLAND HS	9:00-9A /9B	9:00- JV/V
AUG 10 <sup>th</sup>	STERLING SCRIMMAGE	BAYTOWN STERLING HS	9:00 – 9A /9B	9:00 – JV/V
AUG 13 <sup>th</sup>	FRIENDSWOOD	FRIENDSWOOD HS	4:30 – 9A	5:30/6:30 – JV/V
AUG 13 <sup>th</sup>	CLEAR CREEK B TEAM	CLEAR CREEK HS	5:30 – 9B	-----
AUG 15 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup>	WESTWOOD VARSITY TOURNAMENT	ROUND ROCK, TX	-----	TBA - V
AUG 20 <sup>th</sup>	EPISCOPAL	EPISCOPAL HS	4:00 – 9A	5:00/6:00 – JV/V
AUG 20 <sup>th</sup>	SAM RAYBURN B TEAM	SAM RAYBURN HS	5:30 – 9B	-----
AUG 22 <sup>ND</sup> AND 24 <sup>TH</sup>	DICKINSON VARSITY TOURNAMENT	DICKINSON HS	-----	TBA - V
AUG 23 <sup>RD</sup>	LAPORTE	DICKINSON HS	4:30 – 9A	5:30/6:30 – JV/V
AUG 23 <sup>RD</sup>	ALVIN B TEAM	DICKINSON HS	4:30 - 9B	-----
AUG 27 <sup>TH</sup>	GEORGE RANCH	GEORGE RANCH HS	4:30 – 9A	5:30/6:30 – JV/V
AUG 27 <sup>th</sup>	CLEAR LAKE B TEAM	CLEAR LAKE HS	4:30 – 9B	-----
AUG 29 <sup>TH</sup> AND 31 <sup>ST</sup>	NEEDVILLE TOURNAMENT	NEEDVILLE HS	-----	TBA - V
% AUG 30 <sup>TH</sup>	GOOSE CREEK MEMORIAL	DICKINSON HS	4:30 – 9A	5:30/6:30 – JV/V
SEPT 3 <sup>RD</sup>	FB ELKINS	DICKINSON HS	4:30 – 9A	5:30/6:30 – JV/V
SEPT 6 <sup>TH</sup>	ST. AGNES	ST. AGNES HS	4:30/5:30 – 9B/9A	4:30/5:30 – JV/V
T SEPT 10 <sup>TH</sup>	HIGHTOWER	DICKINSON HS	4:30 – 9A	5:30/6:30 – JV/V
SEPT 10 <sup>TH</sup>	BRAZOSWOOD B TEAM	DICKINSON HS	4:30-9B	-----
*SEPT 13 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR CREEK	CLEAR CREEK HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00 –JV/V
SEPT 14 <sup>TH</sup>	ALVIN ISD SUB VARSITY TOURNAMENT	9A-MANVEL HS 9B-ALVIN HS JV- IOWA COLONY HS	TBA	TBA
*SEPT 17 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR BROOK	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00 – JV/V
*SEPT 20 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR LAKE	CLEAR LAKE HS (LAKE HC) 9A-CLEAR LAKE HS 9B-CLEAR SPRINGS HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:15/5:15 – V/JV
SEPT 21 <sup>ST</sup>	CCISD 9 <sup>TH</sup> TOURNAMENT	9A-CLEAR LAKE HS 9B-CLEAR SPRINGS HS	TBA - 9A/9B	-----
*SEPT 24 <sup>TH</sup>	BRAZOSWOOD	BRAZOSWOOD HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00 –JV/V
*SEPT 27 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR SPRINGS	CLEAR SPRINGS HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00– JV/V
SEPT 28 <sup>TH</sup>	DICKINSON 9/JV TOURNAMENT	DICKINSON HS	TBA- 9A/9B	TBA- JV
*OCT 1 <sup>ST</sup>	CLEAR FALLS	CLEAR FALLS HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00– JV/V
*OCT 4 <sup>TH</sup>	DEER PARK	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:45– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00– JV/V
OCT 5 <sup>TH</sup>	CCISD JV TOURNAMENT	CLEAR BROOK HS	-----	TBA- JV
JH *OCT 8 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR CREEK	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B
*OCT 11 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR BROOK	CLEAR BROOK HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00– JV/V
! *OCT 15 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR LAKE	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:15/6:00– V/JV
HC *OCT 18 <sup>TH</sup>	BRAZOSWOOD	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:15/5:15 – V/JV
*OCT 22 <sup>ND</sup>	CLEAR SPRINGS	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:15– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00– JV/V
DP *OCT 25 <sup>TH</sup>	CLEAR FALLS	DICKINSON HS	4:15/5:45– 9A /9B	4:45/6:00– JV/V
*OCT 29 <sup>TH</sup>	DEER PARK	DEER PARK HS	4:30/4:30– 9A /9B	5:30/6:30– JV/V

\*Denotes District ! Senior Night %Parent Night T Teacher Appreciation Night JH Junior High Night

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# Dickinson ISD



## **GATOR** WELLNESS CENTER



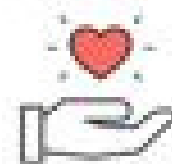
### **Social Emotional Learning (SEL)**

- Comprehensive Counseling Program
- Professional School Counselors
- Family & Community Engagement
- UHCL SEL Screener Project



### **Mental Health Wellness & Awareness**

- Professional Development
- Community Partnerships
- Resources for Families and Staff



### **Supports & Services**

- Social Workers
- Homebound
- Transition Services
- UTMB TCHAT
- Crisis Prevention & Response
- Community Referrals

Dickinson ISD is dedicated to our children, mental health awareness, education, and families. The Gator Wellness Center is located at McAdams Junior High.



**For more information:**



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