

Hays Consolidated Independent School District

2023-2024 Budget Calendar

December

- Develop budget calendar (approve by cabinet).
- Update payroll budget template and meet with departments to discuss staffing.
- Review Demographer results; Update TEA attendance module.
- Human Resources engages with TASB for Pay Structure review.
- "Staff Request" form presented to cabinet.

January

- 10th - 88th Legislature Session begins
- Review State Comptroller property value study
- Update State value template; Update State funding template; Update MUNIS system for budget entry; Update payroll budget template.
- Begin meeting with departments to discuss staffing
- 23rd - Present Budget Calendar to Board. Discuss board priorities. HR requests early hiring from Board of Trustees
- Ongoing - Human Resources begins campus allocation process with demographer projections. Campus program changes identified (e.g. Changes in SpEd Program locations, PK relocations, etc.)

February

- HR Board Education Session - One on One
- Preliminary calculations on federal entitlements
- Update payroll budget template.
- Complete staff meetings with departments
- 3rd - Cabinet presents staffing requests to Human Resources
- 6th - Distribute campus and department budget allocations+
- 21st - Board considers approval of Early Release positions
- 24th - Human Resources distributes preliminary staffing allocations to campuses.

March

- HR Board Education Session - One on One.
- Update payroll budget template. Assist campuses and departments with budget input.
- 6th - Present revenue projections to superintendent and cabinet.
- 6th - 10th - HR holds staffing discussions with departments.
- 6th - Special Board Meeting to discuss board priorities
- 20th - Cabinet identifies department priorities.
- 27th - Present budget summary report and assumptions to board.
- 27th - Board to approve preliminary cost of living adjustment and set teacher starting salary.

April

- HR Board Education Session - One on One.
- HR to present results of TASB study to Superintendent and Cabinet.
- Update payroll budget template
- 7th - ALL BUDGET WORKSHEETS DUE TO FINANCE.
- 30th - Certified Estimates from appraisal districts (Hays; Travis; Caldwell); Estimated preliminary taxable values and local revenue projection.

May

- HR Board Education Session - One on One
- Present first draft of budget to Superintendent and Cabinet; Budget Workshop with board (TBD first week of May)
- 2nd - Analysis Debt Service revenue estimate to determine if a defeasance resolution is needed.
- 8th - Draft Compensation plan to the Superintendent and Cabinet.
- 15th - TASB study presented to the Board of Trustees
- Finalize payroll budget template.
- 29th - 88th Legislature adjourns "sine die"
- 30th - Truth in Taxation Notice due to paper

June

- Board Education Session - One on One.
- Budget Workshops with board (TBD June 5th and 12th)
- 8th - publication of District's truth in taxation notice
- 26th - Conduct Public Hearing on proposed 2024 budget; Adopt Compensation Plan; Adopt 2024 budget

July

- 25th - Receive certified values from appraisal districts (Hays; Travis; Caldwell)
- Revise the Truth in Taxation notice via the state template

August

- 1st - 4th Hays Co Tax Assessor Collector revised Truth in Taxation Notice for website
- 28th Board action - acceptance of certified values; approve ordinance for setting tax rate