

Trenton ISD

Flexible School Year

2008-2009

TRENTON ISD'S THREE-TIER FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE is a unique program ensuring success for all students in our district.

The program measures the students performance on a number of criteria including the state assessments, attendance, classroom grades, discipline, and other assessments for the various grade levels.

The end of school date for all students who meet the promotion criteria will be May 21, 2009. Classes will continue through June 5, 2009 with small group and one-on-one instruction for students needing further instruction. All students who have not met the promotion requirements will continue with summer school until July 2, 2009. Any student placed in Tier 2 or Tier 3 will be required to attend.

AS PARENT/GUARDIAN, YOU CAN ENSURE YOUR CHILD'S SUCCESS IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS:

- Encourage your child to develop good study habits
- Encourage your child to do the best work possible
- Confer with teachers on a regular basis for progress reports
- Encourage your child to take responsibility for homework and class study
- Praise your child for work well done

TIER 1

The last day of school for all students who pass the promotion criteria for their campus will be May 21, 2009.

TIER 2

Students who have not met the promotion criteria for their campus will be required to attend classes featuring small group and one-on-one instruction. The last day of school for tier 2 will be June 5, 2009

TIER 3

Students who have not met the promotion criteria for their campus after Tier 2 will be required to attend Summer School from June 8 – July 2.

FLEXIBLE SCHOOL YEAR 3 TIER PROGRAM PROMOTION CRITERIA

TIER 1(School ends May 21, 2009)

Grades 3-12

- 1) Pass all classes
- 2) Pass all TAKS test
- 3) Attendance in good standing

Grades PK-2

- 1) Meet grade level requirements on TPRI
- 2) Read at or above grade level
- 3) Pass all classes – Mastery of the grade level TEKS
- 4) Attendance in good standing

TIER 2(May 22 – June 5, 2009 Regular School Hours)

Grades 3-12

- 1) Failing classes
- 2) Failed any portion of the TAKS test
- 3) Excessive absences

Grades PK-2

- 1) Did not meet grade level requirements on TPRI
- 2) Not reading on grade level
- 3) Failing grades – not mastering grade level TEKS
- 4) Excessive absences

TIER 3(June 8 – July 2, 2009 8:00am-12:00pm)

Grades 9-12

- 1) Failed core class (Math, English, Science, or Social Studies)
- 2) Juniors who failed any portion of Exit Level TAKS test (**Retest Date: July 14-17**)
- 3) Students who missed more than 15 days in one semester

Grades 3-8

- 1) Students who have not passed the required TAKS subject test for grades 3, 5, & 8.
- 2) Failed two or more core subjects
- 3) Students who have 15 or more absences in one semester.

Grades PK-2

- 1) Not reading on grade level
- 2) Students who have not mastered the TEKS for their grade level
- 3) Students who have 15 or more absences in one semester.