

**MEP List of Calendar Dates: Program Year 2024-25**  
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 <b>NEW YORK STATE</b> MIGRANT EDUCATION PROGRAM	<b>September 2024 to August 2025</b>
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**SEPTEMBER 2024**

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

**OCTOBER 2024**

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

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**NOVEMBER 2024**

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

**DECEMBER 2024**

- 4<sup>th</sup> – **SST Meetings**
- 5<sup>th</sup> – **State PAC (7 – 8:30pm)** (METS: Brockport, Cortland, Mohawk, and Mid-Hudson)
- 11<sup>th</sup> - **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
- 16<sup>th</sup> - **Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 21<sup>st</sup> - *Winter Begins*

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

**JANUARY 2025**

- 1<sup>ST</sup> - *Federal Holiday: New Year's Day*
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> - *Winter Recess continues for some districts*
- **8<sup>th</sup> – SST Meetings**
- 9<sup>th</sup> - **Statewide PD: Fundamental Reading Skills (Session 2)** (9-10:30am)
- **15<sup>th</sup> - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- 15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> - *Interstate Migrant Education Council (IMEC) meets in Ashville, NC*
- 20<sup>th</sup> - *Federal Holiday Martin Luther King, Jr Day*
- **21<sup>st</sup> - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> - *Regents Exams*
- **22<sup>nd</sup> – Statewide PD: Differentiating Instruction for OSY** (10 – 11:30am)
- **29<sup>th</sup> – Statewide PD: Navigating ENL Programs in the Schools as Migrant Educator**  
(Part 1) (1 – 2:30pm)
- 29<sup>th</sup> - *Lunar New Year (New Holiday for some districts)*
- **30<sup>th</sup> – Statewide PD: CAMP: Need-to-Know for Keys to Success** (11:30am–  
12:15pm)
- **30<sup>th</sup> – 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**

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

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- **11<sup>th</sup> - Statewide PD:** What is an Individualized Education Plan? (9-10:30am)
- *12<sup>th</sup> – Lincoln’s Birthday (Holiday for RF)*
- *14<sup>th</sup> – Valentine’s Day*
- **14<sup>th</sup> – Deadline 2024-25 Work Plan: Mid-Year Review** (Sept-Dec 2024)
- *17<sup>th</sup> – Federal Holiday: Presidents’ Day*
- *17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> – Mid-Winter Recess for many schools*
- **18<sup>th</sup> – Website Tour for New Employees** (8:30-10am)
- **25<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> - 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**

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

**APRIL 2025**

- **1<sup>st</sup> - OSY Workshop** (7:30-9:30pm)
- *2<sup>nd</sup> - SST Meetings*
- **4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> - CAMP: Keys to Success** (*overnight event*)
- **7<sup>th</sup> – Statewide WEB APP Coffee Hour** (10 – 11:00am)

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- **9<sup>th</sup> - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- **10<sup>th</sup> – Statewide PD:** Recruitment/MEP Eligibility 101 (10 – 11:30am)
- *12<sup>th</sup> - Passover begins at sundown*
- *13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> – NASDME Conference in San Francisco, CA. NASDME stands for the National Association of State Directors of Migrant Education.*
- *14<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup> - Spring Break week for some districts*
- *14<sup>th</sup> – May 23<sup>rd</sup> - NYSESLAT Speaking Assessments: April 14-May 23*
- *18<sup>th</sup> - Good Friday*
- *20<sup>th</sup> - Easter*
- **21<sup>st</sup> - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- *21<sup>st</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> - Spring Break week for some district*
- *22<sup>nd</sup> - Earth Day*
- **29<sup>th</sup> - State PAC (7-8:30pm) (METS: Fredonia, Long Island-Metro, Northeast, and Oswego)**
- *29<sup>th</sup> - Paper Assessment: ELA for Grades 3-7: April 29 – May 1*
- **30<sup>th</sup> - 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)**
- *1<sup>st</sup> – Paper Assessment: ELA for Grades 3-7: April 29 - May 1)*
- **5<sup>th</sup> - Statewide WEB APP Coffee Hour** (10 – 11:00am)
- **6<sup>th</sup> - OSY Workshop** (7:30-9:30pm)
- **7<sup>th</sup> - SST Meetings**
- **7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> – DS & Recruiter Training May 7-9**
- *7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> - Paper Assessment: Math for Grades 3-7: May 7 - 9*
- *11<sup>th</sup> - Mother's Day*

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### May 2025 continued...

- 12<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> - NYSESLAT Listening, Reading, Writing Assessments: May 12-23
- 14<sup>th</sup> - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)
- 15<sup>th</sup> – First Day of Summer Service for OSY and Preschool students (*including preschoolers who are NOT in a Community or District preschool program*)
- 15<sup>th</sup> – 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](#))
- 19<sup>th</sup> - Website Tour for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 23<sup>rd</sup> - Memorial Day observed by some districts
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Federal Holiday: Memorial Day observed
- 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> – May Consortium in Saratoga Springs with hybrid option
- NYSESLAT Speaking continues: April 14-May 23

### JUNE 2025

- 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> - **OSY Workshop** (7:30-9:30pm)
- 4<sup>th</sup> - SST Meetings
- 6<sup>th</sup> - Eid al-Adha (holiday observed by some districts)
- 9<sup>th</sup> - **Statewide WEB APP Coffee Hour** (10 – 11:00am)
- 10<sup>th</sup> – New Regents Exams: Earth & Space Sciences & Life Science Biology
- 11<sup>th</sup> - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)
- 11<sup>th</sup> - New Regents Exam: Geometry
- 13<sup>th</sup> – Application Deadline: FoL Parent Leadership Award ([Scholarships on NYS-MEP web site](#))
- 15<sup>th</sup> - Father's Day
- 15<sup>th</sup> - **Application Deadline: PathStone Farmworker Education** (June 15, 2025)
- 16<sup>th</sup> - Website Tour for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- 17<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> - Regents Exams (except Juneteenth)
- 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> - Interstate Migrant Education Council (IMEC) meets in Rogers, Arkansas
- 19<sup>th</sup> - Federal Holiday: Juneteenth
- 20<sup>th</sup> - **Deadline for 2024-25 Work Plan:** Summer Program (June-Aug 2025)
- 26<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> – Rating Days for Regents Exams

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- **27<sup>th</sup> - SUMMER SESSION 1 starts for Grades K-12/UG (and preschoolers who ARE in a Community or District program.)**
- **30<sup>th</sup> - Statewide WEB APP Coffee Hour** (10 – 11:00am)
- **June Notes:** The new Regents Exams are administered early in the month to allow time for collection and standard setting by June 26.

**JULY 2025**

- **1<sup>st</sup>: Scholarship Deadline: National Migrant Farmworker Baccalaureate application** [See Scholarships on the NYS-MEP website](#) for application details.
- *4<sup>th</sup> – Federal Holiday: Independence Day*
- **9<sup>th</sup> - Director/SST Call (1-3:00pm)**
- **13<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> – SOMLA** (Students arrive Sunday, July 13, 2025, and students picked up on Friday, July 18, 2025.)
- **21<sup>st</sup> - Website Tour** for New Employees (8:30-10am)
- SST does not meet in July

**AUGUST 2025**

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

<b>Adolescent</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• September 19</li><li>• October 30</li></ul>	<b>Early Childhood &amp; Parent/Family Engagement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• September 20 or Sept 23</li></ul>
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<b>ENL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• December 5</li> <li>• January 21</li> <li>• February 4</li> <li>• March 4</li> </ul>	<b>Math</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• January 14</li> <li>• February 13</li> <li>• April 10</li> <li>• <b>May 6</b></li> </ul>
<b>OSY</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• December 5</li> <li>• January 16</li> <li>• February 13</li> <li>• March 13</li> <li>• April 1</li> </ul>	<b>New Employee Meet &amp; Greet</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• January 28</li> </ul>
<b>Directors</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ongoing</li> </ul>	
<b>Data Specialists</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ongoing</li> </ul>	<b>Recruiters</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ongoing</li> </ul>