

Read Ahead Program Calendar 2024-2025

See below for key program dates and school closures when Read Ahead will not be in session. This calendar was last updated on Thursday, July 18, 2024. Dates are subject to change and mentors will be notified as soon as possible if schedules need to change.

October 2024 [Read Ahead Sessions Begin](#)

Each match will begin 1:1 program sessions between Monday, October 21 and Thursday, October 24. Your Program Manager will confirm your start date.

- Mon. October 14: Indigenous People's Day, Schools Closed & Read Ahead Closed
- Week of October 21 - October 24: Program Sessions Begin

Program Managers will share specific start date, time, and Zoom links once mentors are matched with mentees.

November 2024

- Tues. November 5: Election Day, No Read Ahead (students do not attend school)
- Wed. November 6, No Read Ahead
- Thur. November 7: Afternoon & Evening Parent Teacher Conferences; No Read Ahead
- Mon. November 11: Veteran's Day, Schools Closed & Read Ahead Closed
- Wed. November 27 - Fri. November 29: Thanksgiving Break, No Read Ahead

December 2024

- Thur. December 19: Last Day of Program Sessions Before Holiday Break
- Mon. December 23 – Wed. January 1: Read Ahead Closed for Winter Break

January 2025

- Week of Mon. December 30 - Fri. January 3: No Read Ahead Program Sessions
- Mon. January 6: Read Ahead sessions resume
- Mon. January 20: Schools closed for Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day, No Read Ahead

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February 2025

- Week of February 3 - February 6: In-Person Mentor-Mentee Sessions at some school partners
- Week of February 10 - February 13: In-Person Mentor-Mentee Sessions at the rest of school partners
- Mon. February 17 - Fri. February 21: Schools closed for Midwinter Recess, No Read Ahead

March 2025

- Mon. March 4: March Madness Reading Challenge Launches! Program Managers will share additional information
- Thur. March 6: K-5 Afternoon & Evening Parent Teacher Conferences, No Read Ahead
- Mon. March 31: Eid al-Fitr, Schools Closed, No Read Ahead

April 2025

- Mon. April 7 - Thur. April 10: (*Tentative*) Read Ahead may be canceled due to ELA testing; Program Manager will share any scheduling modifications
- Mon. April 14 - Fri. April 18: Schools closed for Spring Recess, No Read Ahead
- Tues. April 29: Books & Beyond Gala, No Read Ahead

May 2025 [Last Month of Read Ahead Sessions](#)

- Mon. May 5 - Thur. May 8: (*Tentative*) Read Ahead may be canceled due to Math testing; Program Manager will share any scheduling modifications
- Mon, May 12 - Thur. May 15: In-Person Mentor-Mentee Sessions at some school partners
- Mon, May 19 - Thur. May 22: In-Person Mentor-Mentee Sessions at some school partners; Last Week of Program Sessions
- Mon. May 26: Schools closed for Memorial Day, No Read Ahead

*Note: Testing schedules vary by school and may include other dates from March-May. Program Managers will inform mentors of any schedule changes as soon as Read Ahead is made aware of them!