

2025-26 Key Dates & Deadlines

Individualized Education Account (IEA) Program

Please note, if a scheduled date falls on a weekend or state holiday, the date will be adjusted to the following business day. For questions, please contact a member of the IEA team by using the contact information provided [here](#) or by emailing IEA.Questions@tn.gov.

DATE	EVENT
June 16, 2025	<i>Account Holder Contract</i> and all supporting documentation due for the 2025-26 contract year. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes W-9 form, <i>FERPA Waiver</i>, & <i>Debit Card Consent Form</i>
July 1, 2025	2025-26 IEA contract year begins
July 15, 2025	LEA notification documentation & School Enrollment Information Form due for the 2025-26 contract year.
Sept. 15, 2025 (projected date)	IEA Quarter One (Q1) funding disbursement
Oct. 1, 2025	Q1 IEA expenses due in IEA Portal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expense reporting period: July 1 – Sept. 30, 2025
Nov. 15, 2025 (projected date)	IEA Q2 funding disbursement
Jan. 1, 2026	Q2 IEA expenses due in IEA Portal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expense reporting period: Oct. 1 – Dec. 31, 2025
Feb. 15, 2026 (projected date)	IEA Q3 funding disbursement
Feb. 17, 2026 (projected date)	New Student Application window OPENS for enrollment for the 2026-27 IEA Program contract year. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Renewal Student Application available in the IEA Portal
April 1, 2026	Q3 IEA expenses due in IEA Portal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expense reporting period: Jan. 1 – March 31, 2026

April 17, 2026 (projected date)	Application window CLOSES for potential enrollment in the 2026-27 IEA Program contract year for all students.
May 15, 2026 (projected date)	IEA Q4 funding disbursement
June 1, 2026	<p>Required 2025-26 Student Assessment Verification Form due for ALL students in grades 3-8 (grade level determined by LEA records)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes TCAP and norm-referenced tests, assessment score report submission, OR proof of exemption. See IEA Program Handbook - Chapter 3 for more information.
June 1, 2026	<p>Participating Non-public Schools: Participating school graduation and completion rates of 12th grade students in the IEA Program for 2025-26 due.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participating schools submit the Participating Schools 12th Grade Students Graduation and Completion Form
June 30, 2026	<p>Q4 IEA expenses due in IEA Portal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expense reporting period: April 1 – June 30, 2026
June 30, 2026	<p>Deadline for Annual Minimum 50 Percent (50%) Spending Requirement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Account holders must spend at least 50% of the annual IEA award by this date. See IEA Program Handbook -Chapter 4 for more information.
June 30, 2026	<p>2025-26 IEA contract year ends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 2026-27 IEA contract year is projected to begin on July 1, 2026.