

# Idaho Virtual Academy (IDVA) Middle School (grades 6-8) SY 26/27 School Start Schedule

## Enrollment Step One

- **Enrollment Approved**
  - All IDVA enrollment compliancy items must be completed and approved by this day. You will find a list of all required compliancy items and completion of the required compliancy items in the Parent Portal.

## Enrollment Step Two

- **Orientation**
  - After IDVA enrollment compliancy items are submitted and approved, the student and Learning Coach will complete required orientation per [IDVA board policy 902.4 Required Student Enrollment Orientation](#). (Scroll down to find the Board Policy Manual and click the link to locate the policy). All orientation items must be completed by the orientation deadline.

After successful completion of all required IDVA enrollment compliancy items and completion of IDVA's required orientation, your student will be assigned a school start date and will begin school on the assigned school start date. Please click [HERE](#) to learn more about grades 6-12.

MS Orientation Timeline			
Enrollment Approved	Orientation Window	School Enrollment Start Date	Cohort Number
spring-8/4	8/10-8/12	<b>8/17/2026</b>	Cohort 1
8/5-8/18	8/24-8/26	<b>8/31/2026</b>	Cohort 2
8/19-9/1	9/7-9/9	<b>9/14/2026</b>	Cohort 3
9/2-9/15	9/21-9/23	<b>9/28/2026</b>	Cohort 4
9/16-10/6	10/12-10/14	<b>10/19/2026</b>	Cohort 5
10/7-10/20	10/26-10/28	<b>11/2/2026</b>	Cohort 6
10/21-11/3	11/9-11/11	<b>11/16/2026</b>	Cohort 7
11/4-12/16	1/4-1/6	<b>1/11/2027</b>	Cohort 9
12/17-1/12	1/15-1/20	<b>1/25/2027</b>	Cohort 10
1/13-1/26	2/1-2/3	<b>2/8/2027</b>	Cohort 11
1/27-2/9	2/12-2/17	<b>2/22/2027</b>	Cohort 12
2/10-3/2	3/8-3/10	<b>3/22/2027</b>	Cohort 13
3/3-4/16	4/19-4/21	<b>4/26/2027</b>	Cohort 14
4/17-4/27	5/3-5/5	<b>5/10/2027</b>	Cohort 15

**Important information for families enrolling K-8<sup>th</sup> graders for our May 10, 2027 start date.**

We are excited to offer our May start date to families wishing to enroll their students to secure their spot for SY 27/28 and to get a head start on orienting to IDVA. Here is what the student experience will look like for those enrolling to start with IDVA on May 10, 2027.

- Students will be assigned to complete orientation, the final step of enrollment, from May 3<sup>rd</sup> to May 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Students who finish orientation and who are approved to start on May 10, 2027, will have 10 days of school with IDVA as the 26/27 school year concludes on May 21, 2027. Students will be experiencing an introductory schedule designed especially for this short period of time. During these two weeks before summer break, students will be completing strong start sessions and/or a strong start course, completing testing, and working on Math and ELA skills.

Due to the late start date, new middle school students ***will not have the opportunity to earn or recover middle school credit***. Under Idaho's Middle Level Credit System and IDVA Policy, to promote to the next grade level, middle school students must earn a minimum of 75% of credits and may not lose a full year of credit in any course. Students in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade must pass math 8 to be permitted into high school per Idaho graduation requirements. IDVA will use SY 26/27 school records to determine grade level promotion for SY 27/28.