

July 31, 2024

Welcome Incoming CART Families!

We are very excited to meet all our new students to CART this fall along with our returning CART Seniors.

This newsletter contains some very important information about CART for the start of the year so please hang on to it and refer back to it as we get closer to the start of school.

**The CART Calendar (see Page 3)**– School starts this year for all CART students on **Monday, August 19, 2024**. For the first time in several years, Clovis Unified, Fresno Unified and CART all start on the same day.

### **CART DAILY SCHEDULE (MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY)**

As a reminder state law requires all high schools to start the school day no earlier than 8:30 am. **However**, since CART is a program and not a comprehensive school, we have the option to start earlier. In fact, we have to start earlier in order to accommodate all of the feeder high school schedules. The earlier start time also allows more flexibility for bus transportation schedules. In addition, to accommodate those who pick up breakfast at their home school, all food service locations and cafeterias open early for CART students.

CART start times:

**AM session 7:45- 10:45 AM**

**PM session 12:50- 3:50PM**

**CART Bus Schedule (See Page 2)** – CART busses will run to and from all home schools beginning August 19, 2024. Please check the CART website ([www.cart.org](http://www.cart.org)) or your school district's website (schedules will be located on the Transportation tab) as we get closer to August 19th for the schedule to/from your home school. **Please check with your home school regarding the CART Bus pick-up/drop-off location.** Regardless of the Home School Calendar, when CART is in session busses will always run to and from the home schools.

**CART Staff List (see Page 2)**– keep this list of email addresses and room numbers for future reference.

**If for any reason, your plans have changed and you are no longer planning to attend CART, please notify us at 248-7400.** If you are planning to change your schedule, you must first go to your home school Counselor. They will then need to contact the CART Counselor for any changes.

Once again, we cannot wait to see you all on Monday, August 19, 2024.

If you have any questions before then, do not hesitate to contact us: 559-248-7400.

*Rick Watson*

Rick Watson Ed.D.- CEO/Principal



# BUS SCHEDULE (Tentative-Final schedule will be posted on the CART website ASAP)

FUSD School	AM	PM	CUSD School	AM	PM
<b>Bullard</b> To CART	<b>7:00</b>	<b>12:25</b>	<b>Buchanan</b> To CART	<b>7:10</b>	<b>12:25</b>
<b>Edison</b> To CART	<b>6:55</b>	<b>12:23</b>	<b>Clovis East</b> To CART	<b>7:20</b>	<b>12:25</b>
<b>Fresno High</b> To CART	<b>7:00</b>	<b>12:25</b>	<b>Clovis High</b> To CART	<b>7:20</b>	<b>12:45</b>
<b>Hoover</b> To CART	<b>7:05</b>	<b>12:31</b>	<b>Clovis North</b> To CART	<b>7:15</b>	<b>12:20</b>
<b>McLane</b> To CART	<b>7:08</b>	<b>12:34</b>	<b>Clovis West</b> To CART	<b>7:15</b>	<b>12:20</b>
<b>Roosevelt</b> To CART	<b>6:57</b>	<b>12:24</b>			
<b>Sunnyside</b> To CART	<b>7:03</b>	<b>12:31</b>			

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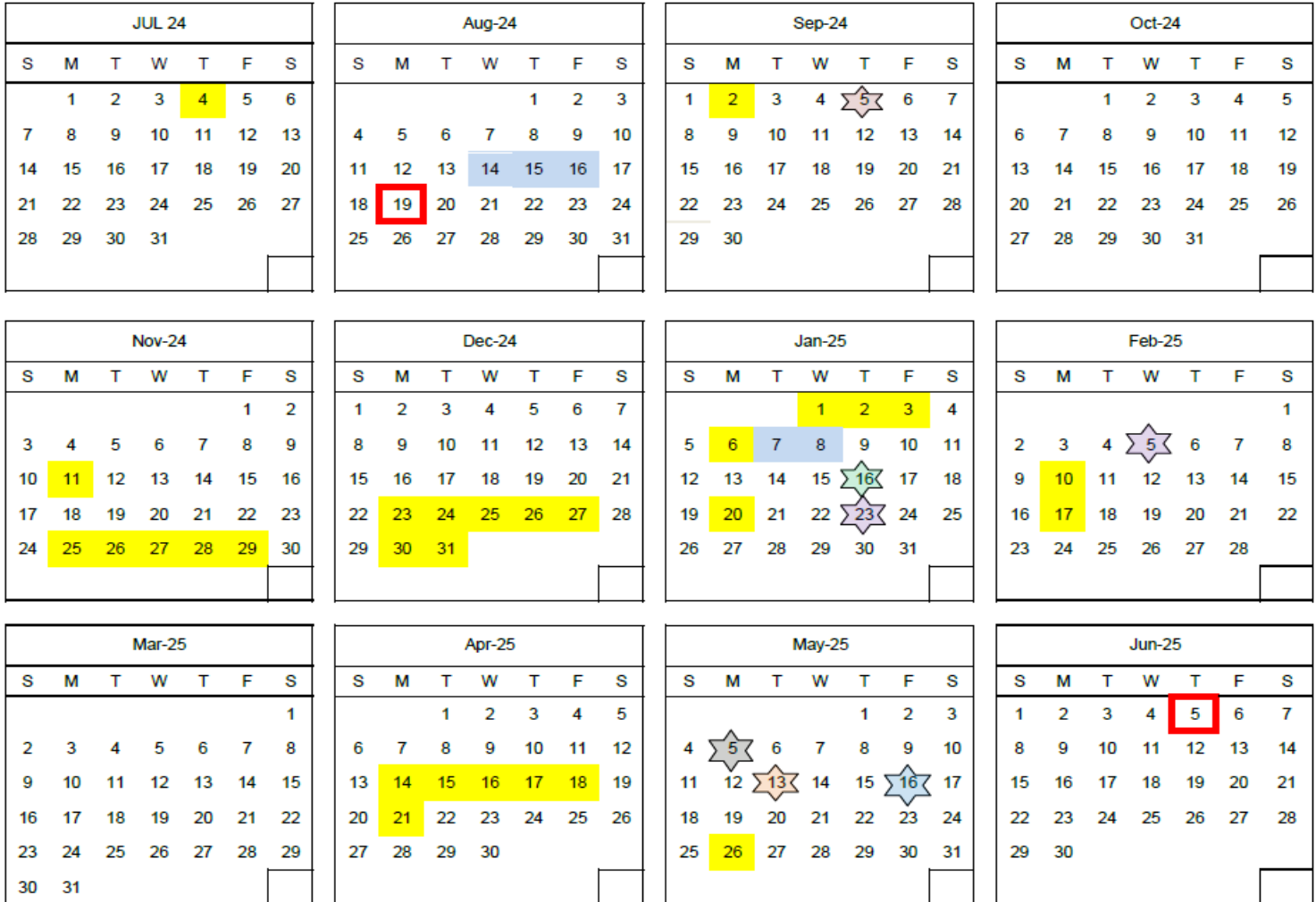
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# CART Academic Calendar 2024-25



- CART Start/End Dates
- Vacations/Holidays
- Professional Development (No School for Students)
- ★ Back to School Night
- ★ CART Showcase
- ★ Home School Start Dates
- ★ Home School Winter Break Dates
- ★ CART Family Information Nights
- ★ Senior Awards Night
- ★ Celebration of Student Success
- ★ Last Day-Seniors

## IMPORTANT DATES

First Day of Instruction	Monday, August 19, 2024
Back to School Night	Thursday, September 5, 2024 (Times-TBA)
CART Teacher In-service Days (CART not in session for students)	January 7 & 8, 2025
CART Fall Semester Ends	Friday, December 20, 2024
CART Spring Semester Starts	Thursday, January 9, 2025
CART Showcase	Thursday, January 16, 2025





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## CART LAB SHIRTS

Go to [CARTSTORE.ORG](http://CARTSTORE.ORG) to find all of the CART LAB Shirts, as well as sweat-shirts and other apparel items, at **CART's online STORE** ([cartstore.org](http://cartstore.org)).

Use the discount code "*cartstudent*" to receive FREE SHIPPING. Your purchase will ship directly to your home. All proceeds help support student scholarships and the CART Foundation.

## Your help will make a difference!

To learn about naming opportunities, giving levels or partnerships at CART, contact

**The CART Foundation**  
Rick Watson Ed.D., Chief Executive Officer  
Kelli Parker, Executive Assistant

To **donate**: make checks payable to **CART Foundation** and mail to CART Foundation, c/o Kelli Parker, 2555 Clovis Ave., Clovis 93612

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