

# GSACS

## 2026-2027 Calendar of Events

September 14-16	National Legislative Conference, Washington, D.C.
October 1	Deadline for GSACS membership for 2026-27
September 25	Northern Music Festival, Liberty Baptist in San Jose, CA
October 7	GSACS Board Meeting @ 2 p.m., Ironwood
October 7-9	Educators' Convention, Ironwood, 7 p.m.-11 a.m.
October 23	Southern Music Festival, Bethel Baptist in Santa Ana, CA
November 2	IOWA Achievement Test Material Order Deadline
December 15	Deadline for AACS Writing Contest Entries to State Office
January 8	Registration deadline for Southern Elementary Competition
January 10-20	Academic Online and Writing Tests Ordering Window
January 21-February 1	Academic Writing Testing Window
January 21-February 15	Academic Online Testing Window
January 29	Southern Elementary Competition, Long Beach, CA
February 2-3	National LEAD Conference, Peachtree City, GA
February 12	Registration deadline for State Fine Arts Competition
February 24	Drop/Add Deadline for Competition
February 23	Registration deadline for Northern Elementary Competition
March 3	Youth Rally & College Fair (Culinary Entries Due)
March 4-5	Fine Arts Competition, Santa Maria, CA (8 a.m. registration)
March 19	Northern Elementary Competition, Stockton, CA
March 15—April 23	Window for IOWA Testing
March 17	Deadline for Nat'l Competition Registration to State Office
March 22	Youth Legislative Applications Due to State Office
April 13-15	National Fine Arts Competition, Greenville, SC
May 15	Deadline for submitting IOWA answer forms to AACS
July TBA	Youth Legislative Conference, Washington, D.C.