



2026 E S & S Calendar Dates for School Elections

Event Date	Category	State	Customer Count	Election Date	Election Type	Event	Owner
2/9/2026	Customer Support	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Candidate Filing Deadline	Customer
3/1/2026	Customer Support	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Requested return date for all MEDIA needed for programming	Customer
3/1/2026	Layout & Programming Services	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Requested return date for the "Pre-election Questionnaire" and ALL Layout and Programming Forms. REMINDER: Take an inventory of your on-hand supplies to ensure you're equipped for election day	Customer
3/1/2026	Customer Support	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Please make sure the election setup process is completed in your Voter Registration (VR) system to ensure data is ready.	Customer
4/3/2026	Customer Support	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Deadline for the State to certify candidates and issues	Customer
4/6/2026	Customer Support	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Books Close date/last day to register to vote	Customer
4/9/2026	Layout & Programming Services	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Requested date to approve Paper Ballot Proofs	Customer
4/15/2026	Customer Support	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Absentee/Early Voting Begins	Customer
4/24/2026	Layout & Programming Services	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Deadline to return Media	ES&S
5/5/2026	Election Day	MT	1	5/5/2026	Others	Election Date	Customer

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