

## 2026 Statutory Election Dates and Deadlines

All dates valid as of July 1, 2025

Election Date	Election Type	Resolution Due	Statutory Filing Period	Last Day to Begin* Special Filing Period	Voter Registration
<b>January 13</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)	Per Title 26 OS § 3-101, this date is reserved to fill vacancies in state and federal offices.				
<b>February 10</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)	Board of Education Primary Elections	November 14, 2025 (15 days before filing)	December 1 – 3, 2025		January 16
	Special Elections	December 11, 2025 (60 days before election)		January 1	
<b>March 3</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday)	Per Title 26 OS § 3-101, this date is reserved to fill vacancies in state and federal offices.				
<b>April 7</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday)	Board of Education General Elections				March 13
	Special Elections	February 5 (60 days before election)		February 26	
<b>May</b>	Elections are prohibited by state law in May of even-numbered years.				
<b>June 16</b> (3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday)	Primary Election		April 1 – 3		May 22
	Special Elections	April 1 (75 days before election)		April 12	
<b>July</b>	Elections are prohibited by state law in July of even-numbered years.				
<b>August 25</b> (4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday)	Runoff Primary Election				July 31
	Special Elections	June 10 (75 days before election)		June 21	
<b>September</b>	Elections are prohibited by state law in September of even-numbered years.				
<b>October</b>	Elections are prohibited by state law in October of even-numbered years.				
<b>November 3</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday after 1 <sup>st</sup> Monday)	General Election				October 9
	Special Elections	August 19 (75 days before election)		August 30	
<b>December 8</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)	Per Title 26 OS § 3-101, this date is reserved to fill vacancies in state and federal offices.				

\*The filing period for any regular or special election called by a school district, technology center district, statutory municipality, or home rule charter municipality must begin no later than the 20<sup>th</sup> day following the deadline for the election resolution to be submitted to the County Election Board.