## TEXAS 2023 ANSWER DATE CALCULATOR

| Date of Service | Answer Is Due Monday 10:00 AM | Date of Service | Answer Is Due Monday 10:00 AM |
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| December 28 -January 2 | January 23, 2023 | July 4 - July 10 | July 31, 2023 |
| January 3 - January 9 | January 30, 2023 | July 11 - July 17 | August 7, 2023 |
| January 10 - January 16 | February 6, 2023 | July 18 - July 24 | August 14, 2023 |
| January 17 - January 23 | February 13, 2023 | July 25 - July 31 | August 21, 2023 |
| January 24 - January 30 | February 20, 2023 | August 1 - August 7 | August 28, 2023 |
| January 31 - February 6 | February 27, 2023 | August 8 - August 14 | September 4, 2023 |
| February 7 - February 13 | March 6, 2023 | August 15 - August 21 | September 11, 2023 |
| February 14 - February 20 | March 13, 2023 | August 22 - August 28 | September 18, 2023 |
| February 21 - February 27 | March 20, 2023 | August 29 - September 4 | September 25, 2023 |
| February 28 - March 6 | March 27, 2023 | September 5 - September 11 | October 2, 2023 |
| March 7 - March 13 | April 3, 2023 | September 12 - September 18 | October 9, 2023 |
| March 14 - March 20 | April 10, 2023 | September 19 - September 25 | October 16, 2023 |
| March 21 - March 27 | April 17, 2023 | September 26 - October 2 | October 23, 2023 |
| March 28 - April 3 | April 24, 2023 | October 3 - October 9 | October 30, 2023 |
| April 5 - April 10 | May 1, 2023 | October 10 - October 16 | November 6, 2023 |
| April 11 - April 17 | May 8, 2023 | October 17 - October 23 | November 13, 2023 |
| April 18 - April 24 | May 15, 2023 | October 24 - October 30 | November 20, 2023 |
| April 25 - May 1 | May 22, 2023 | October 31 - November 6 | November 27, 2023 |
| May 2 - May 8 | May 29, 2023 | November 7 - November 13 | December 4, 2023 |
| May 9 - May 15 | June 5, 2023 | November 14 - November 20 | December 11, 2023 |
| May 16 - May 22 | June 12, 2023 | November 21 - November 27 | December 18, 2023 |
| May 23 - May 29 | June 19, 2023 | November 28 - December 4 | December 25, 2023 |
| May 30 - June 5 | June 26, 2023 | December 5 - December 11 | January 1, 2024 |
| June 6 - June 12 | July 3, 2023 | December 12 - December 18 | January 8, 2024 |
| June 13 - June 19 | July 10, 2023 | December 19 - December 25 | January 15, 2024 |
| June 20 - June 26 | July 17, 2023 | December 26 - January 1 | January 22, 2024 |
| June 27 - July 3 | July 24, 2023 | January 2 - January 8 | January 29, 2024 |

Denotes Court holiday on Monday, answer date falls on the following Tuesday
T.R.C.P. 99(b) states that the citation accompanying the Petition shall direct the defendant to answer on or before 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days after the date of service. If the answer date is a state holiday on which the state courts are closed, then the answer is due the next business day. This Answer Date Calculator applies only to lawsuits in the State of Texas. This Answer Date Calculator does not apply to Justice Courts. Also, the time to answer for eviction can be as little as 7 days. WARNING: THIS ANSWER DATE CALCULATOR IS PROVIDED ONLY AS A GUIDE IN ASSISTING PERSONS IN MAKING THEIR OWN CALCULATIONS OF APPEARANCE DATES. ALWAYS VERIFY CURRENT RULES AND POSSIBLE RULE CHANGES WHEN USING THE ANSWER DATE CALCULATOR. WHILE CARE HAS BEEN USED IN PREPARING THIS TABLE, THE ACCURACY IS NOT GUARANTEED, AND THE USE OF IT IS AT THE SOLE DISCRETION OF THE USER.

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