2025-2026 School Calendar

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July 2025

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August 2025

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July 3, 4	Independence Day Break
Jul 28 - Aug 6	Professional Development Days
Aug 7-8	Teacher Workday
Aug 11	First Day of School
Sep 1	Labor Day
Oct 10	End of First Grading Period
Oct 13	Indigenous Peoples' Day
Oct 17	E-Learning/Parent Conference
Oct 24	Fall Break
Nov 11	Veterans Day Observed
Nov 24-28	Thanksgiving Vacation
Dec 19	End of First Semester
Dec 22-Jan 2	Winter Break
Jan 5	Teacher Workday
Jan 6	Students Return
Jan 19	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Feb 13	E-Learning Day
Feb 16	Presidents' Day
Mar 11	End of Third Grading Period
Mar 13	E-Learning/Parent Conference
Mar 23-27	Spring Break
Apr 30	E-Learning Day
May 1	Teacher Workday
May 21	Last Day for Students
May 22	Teacher Workday
May 25	Memorial Day
Jun 19	Juneteenth

11 & 12 Month Employees Work Days
Oct 24
Nov 24 & 25
Dec 22 & 23
Jan 2
Feb 16

SC	School Closed
WD	Work Day (No School)
E/PC	E-Learning Day/Parent Teacher Conference
E	E-Learning Day
PD	Professional Development (No School)
	First, Return, & Last Day of School
	Weather Day (If Needed)
	End of Grading Period

January 2026

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March 2026

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April 2026

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May 2026

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June 2026

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End of Grading Period
Oct. 10, Dec. 19, Mar. 11, May 21

E-Learning Day
Apr 30

Teacher Workdays
Aug 7 & 8 Jan 5
May 1 May 22

Professional Development Days
July 28 - Aug 6

E- Learning /Parent Teacher Conference Days
Oct 17 Mar 13

*** Weather Days (If Needed)**
May 26 May 27 May 28

Semester 1: 86 Days *Teacher Days: 96*
Semester 2: 88 Days *Teacher Days: 93*
Instructional Contact Hours: 1357

** This calendar is subject to change due to unforseen circumstances.*
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