

2028-2029 School Calendar

Timeline and Communication Plan

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- Provide Initial Draft to LSC, Cabinet, & School Principals for Input Sept. 2 – Sept. 8
- Present Draft to Board of Education Sept. 8
- Post Draft on Website for Feedback Sept. 9 – Sept. 23
- Present Final Version to the BOE Oct. 13
- BOE Approval of the 2028-2029 Calendar Nov. 17

School Calendar Considerations

- We must have 178 student days.
- We must have 190 teacher days.
- Balance of student days between 1st and 2nd Semesters.
- We work to not start school prior to August 1 and to complete school by Memorial Day weekend.
- Protect the Fall, Thanksgiving, and Spring Break weeks.
- Be reminded – every time a day is moved, it must be placed elsewhere.

FORSYTH COUNTY SCHOOLS **2028-2029 STUDENT CALENDAR**

Draft One | September 1, 2026

July	July 2028	January 2029	January
25-28 Pre Planning 31 Open House, MS	S M T W T F S 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	1-2 Holiday Break-Student/Staff Holiday 3 Prof. Dev. (Student Holiday) 15 MLK Day - Student/Staff Holiday
			19 Days

August	August 2028	February 2029	February
1 Open House, ES 2 Preplanning 3 First Day of School	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	16-19 Student/Staff Holiday 20 Prof. Dev. (Student Holiday)
	21 Days		17 Days

September	September 2028	March 2029	March
1 All Grades (K-12) Early Release 4 Labor Day - Student/Staff Holidays 25-29 Fall Break - Student/Staff Holidays	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	16 K-12 Online Learning/Parent Conf. 19 Prof. Dev. (Student Holiday)
	15 Days		21 Days

October	October 2028	April 2029	April
13 K-12 Online Learning/Parent Conf. 16 Prof. Development (Student Holiday)	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	2-6 Spring Break-Student/Staff Holidays
	21 Days		16 Days

November	November 2028	May 2029	May
20-24 Student/Staff Holidays	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	21-23 HS Early Release 9-12 Exams 24 Last Day K-12 Early Release 25 Post Planning
	17 Days		18 Days

December	December 2028	June 2029	TOTAL DAYS:
18 HS Early Release 9-12 Exams 19 All Grades K-12 Early Release 20-31 Holiday Break-Student/Staff Holiday	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	Students - 178 Staff - 190
	13 Days		1st Semester Student Days - 87 2nd Semester Student Days - 91

School Overview	Begin	End	Early Release	Elementary II: 8:20 AM	Elementary I: 7:40 AM
Elementary I	7:40 a.m.	2:20 p.m.	11:50 a.m.	Daves Creek, Brandywine, Brookwood, Chattahoochee, Mashburn, Johns Creek,	Big Creek, Brandywine, Brookwood, Chattahoochee, Chestatee, Coal Mountain, Cumming, Haw Creek, Kelly Mill, Silver City,
Elementary II	8:20 a.m.	3:00 p.m.	12:30 p.m.	Sawnee, Whitlow	Matt, Midway, New Hope, Poole's Mill, Settles Bridge, Sharon, Shiloh Point, Vickery Creek
Middle	9:00 a.m.	4:15 p.m.	1:30 p.m.		
High	8:25 a.m.	3:40 p.m.	12:55 p.m.		
Alliance Academy	9:00 a.m.	3:05 p.m.	12:20 p.m.		