



2021-2022 School Calendar

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Green square: First and Last Day of Class

Red square: No Class/Holiday

Blue square: No Class/Staff Planning

August 2021 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

30-31: Student Evaluations

September 2021 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

1-3: Student Evaluations

6: Labor Day
7: Rosh Hashanah
8: Full classes begin
10: New Parent Coffee (8:30am)
17: Hemlock Trip
19: Family Picnic (4pm)
23: SCA/Color Guard Installation (9am)
28: Picture Day
30: Back to School Night (7pm) - No PM Extended Day

October 2021 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

4: Sports Day
8: Staff Planning Day
11: Columbus/Indigenous Peoples Day
21,22,25: Parent Conferences 12:45pm Dismissal- No PM Extended Day

November 2021 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

9: Picture Make-up
19: Thanksgiving Feast No PM Extended Day
23: Thanksgiving Break Begins at 3:00pm No PM Extended Day
24-26: Thanksgiving Break
29: Classes Resume

December 2021 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

10: Cookie Extravaganza
15: Winter Concert 1pm- No PM Extended Day
17: Winter Break Begins- 12:45pm Dismissal No PM Extended Day
20-31: Winter Break

January 2022 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

3-4: Staff Planning Days
5: Classes Resume
17: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
28: End of First Semester
31: Start of Second Semester

February 2022 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

21: President's Day

March 2022 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

17,18,21: Parent Conferences- 12:45 Dismissal No PM Extended Day
Book Fair

April 2022 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

8: Spring Break Begins 3pm No PM Extended Day
11-15: Spring Break
18: Classes Resume

May 2022 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

6: Staff Planning Day
16: Staff Planning Day
25: Spring Concert 1pm No PM Extended Day
30: Memorial Day

June 2022 calendar grid with days of the week and dates.

6: Fun Day
14: 8th Grade Graduation 1pm
16: Last Day of Class- 12:45pm Dismissal No PM Extended Day



2021-2022 OAKWOOD SCHOOL CALENDAR

<u>1st Semester: August 30, 2021 - January 28, 2022</u>	<u>2nd Semester: January 31, 2022 - June 11, 2022</u>
August 30 th – Sept. 3 rd Student Evaluations	January 31 st First Day of 2 nd Semester
September 6 th NO CLASS – Labor Day Holiday	February 21 st NO CLASS – President’s Day
September 7 th NO CLASS – Rosh Hashanah	March 17 th , 18 th , 21 st Parent Conferences – 12:45 p.m. Dismissal
September 8 th FULL CLASSES Begin	No PM Extended Day
September 10 th New Parent Coffee (8:30 a.m.)	Book Fair
September 17 th Hemlock Trip	April 8 th Spring Break Begins at 3:00 p.m.
September 19 th Family Picnic at Oakwood (4:00 p.m.)	No PM Extended Day
September 23 rd SCA/Color Guard Installation (9:00 a.m.)	April 11 th – 15 th NO CLASS – Spring Break
September 28 th Picture Day	April 18 th Classes Resume
September 30 th Back-to-School Night (7:00 p.m.)-	May 6 th NO CLASS – Staff Planning Day
No PM Extended Day	May 16 th NO CLASS – Staff Planning Day
October 4 th Sports Day	May 25 th Spring Concert (1:00 p.m.)
October 8 th NO CLASS – Staff Planning Day	No PM Extended Day
October 11 th NO CLASS – Columbus/Indigenous Peoples Day	May 30 th NO CLASS – Memorial Day Holiday
October 21 st , 22 nd , 25 th Parent Conferences – 12:45 p.m. Dismissal	June 6 th Fun Day
No PM Extended Day	June 14 th 8 th Grade GRADUATION – 1:00 p.m.
November 9 th Picture Make-Up Day	June 16 th LAST DAY of CLASS
November 19 th Thanksgiving Feast- No PM Extended Day	12:45 Dismissal
November 23 rd Thanksgiving Break Begins at 3:00 p.m.	No PM Extended Day
No PM Extended Day	
November 24 th , 25 th , 26 th NO CLASS – Thanksgiving Break	
November 29 th Classes Resume	
December 10 th Cookie Extravaganza	
December 15 th Winter Concert (1:00 p.m.)	
No PM Extended Day	
December 17 th Winter Break Begins- Dismissal at 12:45 p.m.	
No PM Extended Day	
December 20 th – 31 st NO CLASS – Winter Break	
January 3 rd – 4 th NO CLASS – Staff Planning Days	
January 5 th Classes Resume	
January 17 th NO CLASS – Martin Luther King Jr. Day	
January 28 th End of 1 st Semester	

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday
The office is closed on legal holidays when school is not in session.

SCHOOL HOURS: 8:25 a.m. – 1:45 p.m. Monday
8:25 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Tuesday – Friday

EMERGENCY DISMISSAL, CLOSING, or DELAYED OPENING POLICY

- A)** In general, Oakwood School considers other local school systems when determining early dismissals, delayed openings, and closures due to inclement weather or other such emergency situations. On the very rare occasion that Oakwood School departs from local school systems (only for issues that do not affect Oakwood, e.g. extreme cold, school busing issues, prolonged cancelation due to isolated county issues, etc.), we will be sure to inform families as far in advance as possible through our Parent Notification System. (See full policy in Student/Parent Handbook)
- B)** If Oakwood School has a delayed opening, it will always be a 2-hour delay. School will start at 10:25 a.m., but Morning Extended Day will be delayed only 1 hour, starting at 8:00 a.m. Parents may begin to drop off kids at 8:00 a.m. for the scheduled Morning Extended Day Program. Drop-Ins are also welcome on those days.
- C)** If there is a delayed opening on any **Monday**, Oakwood will remain in session until **3:00 p.m.**
- D)** When Fairfax County Public Schools dismisses early due to inclement weather, Oakwood **will** also dismiss early. Oakwood School will utilize the Parent Notification System to notify our parents of the early dismissal. If Oakwood dismisses early due to inclement weather or another emergency, there will be **NO** Afternoon Extended Day.
- E)** For **ALL** Emergency Dismissal situations, Oakwood School will utilize its Parent Notification System to email, text, and/or call families of the proper procedures and necessary information.
- F) Make-up Policy** – The Commonwealth of Virginia requires accredited schools to have a minimum of 990 instructional hours each school year or 180 instructional days averaging 5.5 hours a day. As an accredited school, licensed by the Virginia Board of Education, Oakwood School not only meets, but far exceeds this requirement. The Code of Virginia, Section 22.1-98 also indicates that, if a school offers more than the minimum instructional hours required, those additional hours, or the day equivalents, may be used to offset any time missed for inclement weather or other emergencies, without having to make up all of those days or hours. Since Oakwood School has a large excess of hours above the required 990, no make-up days would be legally necessary. However, Oakwood will always exceed minimum legal requirements in order to serve the needs of our students. Our calendar acknowledges the need of our students and their families for ample instructional hours, but also predictable, regularly scheduled breaks and holidays around which they can plan. Therefore, only after Oakwood has missed 6 days of school will we begin to make up days. A specific make-up schedule will be released if it becomes necessary.