



# Asheville School

## IMPORTANT DATES 2023-2024

**PRESEASON FOOTBALL:** Friday, August 11

Invited varsity football athletes return between 10:00am - 12:00pm

**PREFECT RETREAT:** Thursday, August 17 - Saturday, August 19

**PRESEASON ATHLETICS:** Friday, August 18

Invited varsity athletes return between 10:00am - 12:00pm

**ALL STUDENTS ARRIVE / OPENING DAY:** Thursday, August 24

All students arrive between 9:00am - 1:00pm

**FAMILY WEEKEND:** Friday, September 15 - Sunday, September 17

**FALL BREAK DEPARTURE/RETURN:** Friday, October 6 - Tuesday, October 10

Students may depart at noon, or the conclusion of their athletic commitment on Friday, October 6. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar. Varsity athletes and theater students return by 2:00pm on October 10; all other boarding students return by 6:00pm on October 10. Classes resume October 11.

*(Campus and Dormitories remain open)*

**THANKSGIVING BREAK\*:** Friday, November 17 - Monday, November 27

Students must depart campus before 12:00pm on Friday, November 17. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar. Varsity athletes and theater students return by 2:00pm; all other boarding students return by 6:00pm on November 27. Classes resume November 28.

*(Campus and Dormitories will close at 12:00pm noon on November 17. Campus and Dormitories will reopen at 2:00pm on Monday, November 27)*

**WINTER BREAK\*:** Friday, December 15 - Wednesday, January 3

Students must depart campus before 12:00pm noon on Friday, December 15. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar. Varsity athletes and theater students return by 2:00pm; all other boarding students return by 6:00pm on January 3. Classes resume January 4.

*(Campus and Dormitories will close at 12:00pm noon on December 15. Campus and Dormitories will reopen at 2:00pm on January 3)*

**WINTER WEEKEND:** Friday, February 2 - Monday, February 5

Students may depart at noon, or the conclusion of their athletic commitment on Friday, February 2. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar. Varsity athletes and theater students return by 2:00pm on Monday, February 5; all other boarding students return by 6:00pm. Classes resume February 6.  
*(Campus and Dormitories remain open)*

**SPRING BREAK\*:** Saturday, March 2 - Monday, March 18

Students must depart by 12:00pm noon, on Saturday, March 2. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar. Varsity athletes and theater students return by 2:00pm; all other boarding students return by 6:00pm on March 18. Classes Resume March 19.  
*(Campus and Dormitories close at 12:00pm March 18. Campus and Dormitories will reopen at 2:00pm on March 18)*

**SPRING WEEKEND:** Friday, April 12 - Monday, April 15

Students may depart at noon, or the conclusion of their athletic commitment on Friday, April 12. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar. Varsity athletes and theater students return by 2:00pm on Monday, April 15; all other boarding students return by 6:00pm. Classes resume April 16.  
*(Campus and Dormitories remain open)*

**GRADUATION 2024:** Sunday, May 19

Sixth Form graduates can move out immediately after Graduation.

**UNDERFORMER END OF YEAR RELEASE:** Thursday, May 23

Final examinations for underformers will take place the week after Sixth Form Graduation. Underformers are released for move-out and summer break beginning at 12:00pm. For suggested flight times and airport shuttles, please consult the 2023-2024 Travel Calendar.

**COMMUNITY WEEKENDS:** The following weekends are designated as community weekends. During a community weekend, students are not allowed to spend the night off campus. The campus is closed on these dates so that we can either strengthen our community spirit, honor a particular occasion, or support the logistics of a specific event.

August 26

September 2, 9, 16

October 14

December 2, 9

January 6

February 10

March 23

April 20

May 4, 18

*Asheville School will send additional information regarding these important dates throughout the academic year. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding these dates, please contact the Student Life Office ([studentlife@ashevilleschool.org](mailto:studentlife@ashevilleschool.org)).*