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# Media Release

## **Community encouraged to weigh in on 2020-2021 CCSD Academic Calendar**

**Charleston, SC** – At this week’s Committee of the Whole Meeting, Charleston County School District’s Board of Trustees approved four options of the 2020-2021 Academic Calendar for public review and input.

Students, staff, district employees, parents, and community members are now welcome to participate in the survey, which opened today, and will remain open until 11:59 p.m. Tuesday, February 4, 2020. The results from the survey will be provided to the Board of Trustees at the next Committee of the Whole meeting, which is scheduled for February 10, 2020.

The survey, the options, and the comparisons for the academic calendar are available at [www.ccsdschools.com/academiccalendar](http://www.ccsdschools.com/academiccalendar) or you can click on “Academic Calendar” icon on the main page of the district website.

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### **About the Charleston County School District**

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.

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