Approved 1.14.26

CARLISLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
2026-2027
SCHOOL CALENDAR

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	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			

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

8/27-8/28 Prof Dev Days
8/31 First Day School Gr 1-8
9/1 Kindergarten Walk-Through
9/2 K First Day; PS First Day
9/4-9/7 Holiday Weekend
16 Early Release Day

FEBRUARY

3 Early Release Day
15 Presidents' Day
15-19 February Recess
22 Classes Resume

FEBRUARY

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						

OCTOBER

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

OCTOBER

12 Indigenous Peoples' Day
22 Early Release Day - Elementary Parent Confs/ MS Prof Development
23 Elementary Parent Confs/ MS Prof Development

MARCH

18 Early Release Day - MS/Elementary Parent Confs
19 MS/Elementary Parent Confs

MARCH

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

NOVEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

NOVEMBER

10 Early Release Day
11 Veterans Day
25 Early Release Day
26-27 Thanksgiving Recess
30 Classes Resume

APRIL

7 Early Release Day
19 Patriots' Day
19-23 April Recess
26 Classes Resume

APRIL

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

DECEMBER

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		

DECEMBER

10 Early Release Day MS Parent Confs/Elem PD
11 MS Parent Confs/ Elementary PD
23 Early Release Day
24-31 Winter Recess

MAY

12 Early Release Day
31 Memorial Day

MAY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

JANUARY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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JANUARY

1 New Year's Day
4 Classes Resume
15 Early Release Day
18 Martin Luther King Jr. Day

JUNE

2 Early Release Day
16 Last Day/Early Release
17 Snow Day make up day
18 Juneteenth Observed
21-24 Snow Day make-up days

JUNE

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			

Holiday/Recess
Early Release
Professional Development Day/ Conferences-No School Day
Snow Day Make-Up Days

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Brian Waterson, Chair
Sharon Whitt, Vice Chair
Scott Jamison
Lynette Kelleher
James Steele

ADMINISTRATION
James O'Shea, Superintendent/Middle School Principal
Dennet Sidell, Elementary School Principal
Valery Gransewicz, Director of Student Services
Deborah Bookis, Interim Assistant Principal
Stephen Connearney, Facility Director

SCHOOL TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

Main Office	978-369-6550
Health Office	978-371-7075

SCHOOL HOURS
Pre-School: 8:45 AM - 2:45 PM; Early Release 8:45 AM - 12:15 PM
Grades K-4: 8:45 AM - 3:05 PM; Early Release 12:30 PM
Grades 5-8: 7:50 AM - 2:22 PM; Early Release 11:51 PM

CANCELLATION OR DELAYED OPENING OF SCHOOLS

If school is cancelled or delayed, a telephone message and email will be sent to families using the School Messenger automated notification system. The following radio and TV stations and websites will also have the information: WBZ 1030 AM/Channel 4, WHDH Channel 7, WCVB Channel 5, and WFXT Fox 25.

RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL HOLIDAYS AND OBSERVANCES 2026-2027

The Carlisle School District is a religiously and culturally diverse community. In recognition of this diversity, it is the intent of the school district to be aware of and to respect the religious and cultural observances of its students, families, and staff. Please be advised that the observance of Jewish, Baha'i, and Muslim holidays begins at sundown of the preceding day. To view our districts' policy on Accommodations for Religious and Cultural Observances (Policy I10), please visit the Policies Section of the School Committee webpage. To request an additional religious or cultural observance be included on this list, please contact Superintendent James O'Shea at joshea@carlisle.k12.ma.us.

Labor Day	September 7
Rosh Hashanah (Jewish)	September 11-13
Ganesh Chaturthi (Hindu)	September 14
Samvatsari (Jainism- Hindu)	September 15
Hispanic Heritage Month	Sept 15 - Oct 15
Mexico's Independence Day	September 16
Yom Kippur (Jewish)	September 20-21
Sukkot (Jewish)	Sept 25 - Oct 2
Italian Heritage Month	October 1-31
Simchat Torah (Jewish)	October 4
Navratri (Hindu)	October 11-19
Day of Race (Dîa de la Raza)	October 12
Indigenous Peoples' Day	October 12
Halloween	October 31
All Saints Day (Roman Catholic)	November 1
Election Day	November 3
Diwali (Festival of Lights- Hindu)	November 8
Birth of the Báb (Baha'i)	November 10
Birth of Bahá'u'lláh (Baha'i)	November 11
Veterans Day	November 11
Mexican Revolution Day (Día de la Revolución)	November 16
Thanksgiving	November 26
Advent	Nov 29 – Dec 24
Hanukkah (Chanukah - Jewish)	Dec 4-12
Bodhi (Buddhism)	December 8
Winter Solstice	December 21
Christmas	December 25
Kwanzaa	Dec 26 - Jan 1
New Year's Day	January 1
Epihanany/Three Kings Day (Dia de Los Reyes)	January 6

Makar Sankranti (Hindu)	January 15
Thai Pongal (Harvest Festival- Hindu)	January 15-18
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	January 18
Tu B'Shvat (Jewish)	January 22-23
International Holocaust Remembrance Day	January 27
Black History Month	Feb 1-March 1
Setsubun-sai (Shinto - Japanese)	February 3
Chinese New Year	February 6
Lunar New Year	February 6
Ramadan	Feb 7 - March 8
Ash Wednesday	February 10
Lent	Feb 10 – March 25
Valentine's Day	February 14
Presidents Day	February 15
Shivaratri (Hindu)	March 6
Eid al-Fitr (Muslim)	March 10
St. Patrick's Day	March 17
Nowruz (Persian)	March 21
Naw-Ruz (Baha'i New Year)	March 21
Palm Sunday	March 21
Holi (Festival of Colors - Hindu)	March 22
Purim (Jewish)	March 22-23
Greek Independence Day	March 25
Good Friday	March 26
Easter	March 28
Ugadi (Hindu)	April 7
Tamil New Year	April 14
Ram Navami (Hindu)	April 15
First day of the Ridvan Festival (Baha'i)	April 20
Passover (Jewish)	April 21-29

Armenian Genocide Remembrance Day	April 24
Ninth Day of the Ridvan Festival (Baha'i)	April 29
Twelfth Day of the Ridvan Festival (Baha'i)	May 2
Ascension Day (Christian)	May 6
Mother's Day	May 9
Eid al-Adha (Muslim)	May 17
Declaration of the Bab (Baha'i)	May 24
Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh (Baha'i)	May 29
Memorial Day	May 31
Shavout (Jewish)	June 10-12
Juneteenth	June 19
Father's Day	June 20
Summer Solstice	June 21