Gaston Early College Calendar 2026-2027

CALENDAR DATES

July 3 ..... Holiday (Independence Day)
August 4 ..... Optional Teacher Workday
August 5-7 ..... Mandated Teacher Workdays
August 10 ..... Mandated Teacher Workday
August 11 ..... Students' First Day
September 7 ..... Holiday (Labor Day)
September 25 ..... Mandated Teacher Workday
October 9 ..... End of First 9-Week Grading Period
October 15 ..... Parent-Teacher Conferences
Early Dismissal for Students
9-Week Report Cards Distributed
October 16 ..... Optional Teacher Workday
October 19 ..... Optional Teacher Workday
November 6 ..... Veterans Day Holiday
November 25 ..... Teacher Annual Leave
No School for Students on Teacher Annual Leave Days
November 26-27 ..... Holidays (Thanksgiving)
December 14-18 ..... Early College Exams
December 18 .....End of Second 9-Week Grading Period
December 21-23 ..... Teacher Annual Leave
December 24-25 ..... Holidays (Winter)
December 28 ..... Holiday (Winter)
December 29-31 ..... Teacher Annual Leave
January 1 ..... Holiday (New Year's Day)
January 4-5 ..... Mandated Teacher Workdays
January 6 ..... Students' First Day of Spring Semester
January 7 ..... 9-Week Report Cards Distributed
January 18 ..... Holiday (Martin Luther King Jr. Day)
February 15 ..... Mandated Teacher Workday
March 5 ..... End of Third 9-Week Grading Period
March 11 ..... Parent-Teacher Conferences
Early Dismissal for Students
9-Week Report Cards Distributed
March 12 ..... Optional Teacher Workday
March 26 ..... Holiday (Spring)
March 29-31 ..... Teacher Annual Leave
April 1-2 ..... Optional Teacher Workdays
April 23 ..... Optional Teacher Workday
May 14 ..... Last Day of Classes for Gaston College
May 17-21 ..... Early College Exams
May 20 ..... Early College Graduation
May 21 ..... Students' Last Day
End of Fourth 9-Week Grading Period
May 24 ..... Mandated Teacher Workday
May 25-28 ..... Optional Teacher Workdays
May 31 ..... Memorial Day Holiday

Inclement Weather Makeup Days
December 21 February 15 March 12 April 23

The Board of Education reserves the right to use early release days and Saturdays as makeup days for inclement weather. The Board may add days of employment to end of the school year.

Testing dates will be available on the district website after they are determined by the state.

The Gaston County Board of Education approved the 2026-2027 school calendar on February 16, 2026.

Calendar design by the Gaston County Schools Communications Department

JULY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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AUGUST

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SEPTEMBER

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OCTOBER

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NOVEMBER

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DECEMBER

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JANUARY

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FEBRUARY

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MARCH

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JUNE

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Calendar Key
- Optional Teacher Workday
- Mandated Teacher Workday
- Holiday
- Annual Leave
- First & Last Day of School
- Report Cards Distributed