Greensboro Day School

2026–27 CALENDAR

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AUGUST

Fri	7	New Employee Welcome & Orientation
Mon	10	New Employee Welcome & Orientation
Tue	11	Faculty Back-to-School Workdays through Monday, August 17
Sun	16	All Parent Program "What You Need to Know About the School Year" for New & Returning Parents of Students, grades Bengal Tots (BT)−12, 3−5 p.m.
Mon	17	New Students in Preschool & Lower School (grades BT−4) Meet Your Teachers, 9−10 a.m.
Mon	17	All School Open House for all new and returning families, grades BT-12. Families may drop off supplies to homeroom & advisory; meet teachers, shop in the bookstore, and enjoy popsicles. 10−11 a.m.
Mon	17	5th grade and 9th grade Orientation (For all 5th and 9th grade students) Middle & Upper School New Student Orientation (For new students in grades 5-12); Community Building, Fun, & Lunch, 11 a.m.−2 p.m.
Tue	18	First Day of School for all students, grades BT-12, 8:15 a.m.– 3:15 p.m.
Tue	18	Cheers & Tears Breakfast for Preschool and Kindergarten Parents, 8−9 a.m.
Fri	21	Opening of School Ceremony, 8:45 a.m.
Thu	27	Preschool Parent Night, 6:30-8 p.m.; Middle School Parent Night, 6:30−8 p.m.
Mon	31	Junior Backpacking Trip departs early a.m.; returning September 4

SEPTEMBER

Tue	1	Building Community Retreats through September 4, grades 5−12 (more information to come from divisions)
Mon	7	Labor Day, Campus Closed
Thu	10	Lower School Parent Night, 6:30−8 p.m.; Upper School Parent Night, 6:30−8 p.m.
Fri	11	Parents Association Meeting, 8:30−9:30 a.m.
Mon	21	Yom Kippur, Campus Closed
Sat	26	Upper School Fall Ball, 7-9 p.m.

OCTOBER

Fri	2	BengalFest
Sat	10	Parents Association *Under the Stars* Social, 7−9 p.m.
Mon	12	Fiddle Fusion, 6-7 p.m.
Fri	16	Teacher Flex Day for Comment Writing, no classes, grades BT−12
Mon	19	Fall Break, Campus Closed
Thu	22	Upper School PSAT, Early Release/Senior Costume Dress-up Day & Parade
Wed	28	Honor Societies Inductions, 7−8 p.m.
Fri	30	Preschool/Lower School Parent Halloween Coffee, 8-9 a.m.
Fri	30	Preschool/Lower School Halloween Parade, 9−9:45 a.m.

NOVEMBER

Mon	2	Upper School Fall Sports Awards, 11–11:45 a.m.
Mon	2	Middle School Fall Sports Awards, 1 - 1:45 p.m.
Mon	2	Upper School Move Up Night for Current Middle School Parents, 5:30–7 p.m.
Thu	5	Family Conferences, 4–7 p.m.
Fri	6	Family Conferences, 10 a.m.–5 p.m., no classes grades BT–12
Thu	12	Upper School Musical, *Mama Mia!,* November 12–14, 7 p.m.
Fri	13	Parents Association Meeting, 8:30–9:30 a.m.
Sun	15	Upper School Musical, *Mama Mia!,* 2 p.m.
Fri	20	All School Thanksgiving Program, 9:30 a.m.
Mon	23	Thanksgiving Holiday, Campus Closed through November 27

DECEMBER

Mon	7	Kindergarten Move Up Lunch for Parents, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Tue	8	Winter Band Concert, grades 6–12, 7–8 p.m.
Wed	9	Winter Orchestra Concert, grades 6–12, 7–8 p.m.
Thu	10	Winter Chorus Concert, grades 6-12, 7–8 p.m.
Mon	14	Upper School Exams through Friday, December 18
Thu	17	Lower School Musical, *The Most Epic Birthday Party Ever!* (grades 3 & 4), 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Fri	18	Campus Closed at 3:30 p.m.
Mon	21	Winter Vacation, no classes grades BT–12 through January 4, 2027; Campus Closed through January 3, 2027

JANUARY

Mon	4	Faculty Professional Development (on site required), no classes grades BT–12
Tue	5	Classes Resume, grades BT–12; US Winter Term through Monday, January 11
Thu	7	Middle School Move Up Night for Current Lower School Parents, 5:30–7 p.m.
Wed	13	State of the School, 7 p.m.
Fri	15	Parents Association Meeting, 8:30– 9:30 a.m.
Mon	18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; Campus Closed; Bengal Paws for Service
Tue	19	Lower School Concert, grades 3 & 4, 6:30–7:30 p.m.
Fri	22	Homecoming Games
Sat	23	Homecoming Dance for grades 9–12

FEBRUARY

Thu	4	Middle School Musical, *Grease: School Version,* February 4–6, 6:30 p.m.
Sun	7	Middle School Musical, *Grease: School Version,* 2 p.m.
Fri	12	Faculty Professional Development (on site required), no classes grades BT–12
Mon	15	Presidents Day, Campus Closed
Mon	22	Upper School Winter Sports Awards, 11 - 11:45 a.m.
Mon	22	Middle School Winter Sports Awards, 1 - 1:45 p.m.
Thu	25	PreAct, grades 9 & 10
Sat	27	Parents Association Gala, 6 p.m.

MARCH

Tue	2	Music Cafe, 7 p.m.
Fri	12	Parents Association Meeting, 8:30–9:30 a.m.
Mon	15	Teacher Flex Day for Comment Writing, no classes grades BT–12
Mon	22	Spring Break begins; Campus Closed through March 26
Mon	29	Classes Resume, grades BT-12

APRIL

Thu	1	Family Conferences, 4−7 p.m.
Fri	2	Family Conferences, 10 a.m.−5 p.m., no classes grades BT−12
Wed	7	Cum Laude Society Induction, 7-8 p.m.
Thu	8	Upper School Drama, *Radium Girls,* April 8−10, 7 p.m.
Sun	11	Upper School Drama, *Radium Girls*, 2 p.m.
Wed	14	International Festival, 3:15-6 p.m.
Thu	15	Spring Band Concert, grades 6−12, 7 p.m.
Sat	17	Bengal Dash, 9 a.m.
Sat	17	Alumni Reunion Weekend
Tue	20	Spring Orchestra Concert, grades 6−12, 7 p.m.
Fri	23	Senior Arts Awards, 11:00 a.m. & Luncheon, 1 p.m.
Sat	24	Junior/Senior Prom, 7–10 p.m.
Mon	26	Sloany Awards, 6:30 p.m.
Wed	28	Spring Chorus Concert, grades 6−12, 7 p.m.
Fri	30	Preschool and Lower School Grandparents and Special Friends Day, 10 a.m.; 12 p.m. dismissal, grades BT-4
Fri	30	Senior Arts Showcase, 5:30 −6:30 p.m.

MAY

Mon	3	Senior Internship Projects through Friday, May 21
Tue	4	Lower School Spring Concert, grades 1 & 2, 6:30 p.m.
Fri	7	Parents Association Meeting, 8:30–9:30 a.m.
Mon	17	Upper School Spring Sports Awards, 11−11:45 a.m.
Mon	17	Middle School Spring Sports Awards, 1 - 1:45 p.m..
Tue	18	Grade 8 Trip to Washington, DC; returning May 21
Thu	20	Upper School Exams, grades 9−11, through Wednesday, May 26
Thu	20	Lower School Musical, *Go Fish!* (grades 1 &2) 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
Mon	24	Senior Internship Projects Showcase, 6:30−8:30 p.m.
Wed	26	JK Celebration, 11 a.m.; grade 4 Celebration, 5−6 p.m.; grade 8 Celebration, 7−8:30 p.m.
Thu	27	All School Closing Ceremony, 11:30 a.m.
Thu	27	Last Day of School, 12:15 p.m. Dismissal for Students, grades BT−12
Thu	27	Senior Convocation (required for grade 12), 6 p.m.
Fri	28	Class of 2027 Commencement Exercises, 9−10:30 a.m.