

Community Unit School District #1

2026 - 2027 Events Calendar



It is the mission of the Coal City Community Unit School District #1

...to prepare today's learners for tomorrow's challenges.

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August 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	July 27	July 28	July 29	July 30	July 31	1
	Senior Pictures	Senior Pictures				
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm		HS Freshmen Orientation 8:30 am - 10:30 am	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	IS New Student & 4th Grade Orientation 9:00am - 10:00am		Teacher's Institute No Student Attendance	Teacher's Institute No Student Attendance	Teacher's Institute No Student Attendance	HS Sports Pictures
	5th Grade Orientation 10am-11am			ECC Back to School Night 3:30 - 5 pm	Meet the Coalers 5:00 p.m.	
	6th Grade Orientation 8am - 12pm			ES Back to School Night 4:30-6:00 pm		
	7th & 8th Grade New Student Orientation @ 11:30 am			CCIS Back to School Night 5:30pm - 7pm		
				MS Back to School Night 6 - 7:30 pm		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	First Day of School		Preschool Screening @ ECC 8:30am - 2:00pm	HS Fall Pictures		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
30	31					
	Preschool Screening @ ECC 8:30am - 2:00pm					
	ECC Fall Pictures					
	ES Fall Pictures					
	IS Fall Pictures					
	MS Fall Pictures					

September 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Labor Day - No School		Early Dismissal			
			MS Fall Sports Pictures			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Music Boosters Meeting Coal City Public Library Annex - 7:00 pm					
	HS Picture Retakes					
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
27	28	29	30			
Athletes in the Arts @ 6:00 p.m.	Homecoming Week	Homecoming Week	Homecoming Week			

October 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				Homecoming Week	Homecoming Week	Homecoming Dance
					Homecoming Parade	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm	Elyssa's Mission @ MS	ECC Fall Picture Retakes	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Columbus Day - No School	Elyssa's Mission @ HS	Early Dismissal	HS/MS End of 1st Quarter	ES Fall Picture Retakes	HS Fall Play at 7 pm
		MS Fall Picture Retakes	HS Fall Picture Retakes	HS Fall Play at 7:00 pm		
				IS Fall Picture Retakes		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
HS Fall Play at 2 pm	Preschool Screening @ ECC 1:00pm - 6:00pm		Spanish Honor Society Induction 6 pm	Early Dismissal	No School	
				Grades PreK - 12 Parent/Teacher Conference 4 pm - 8 pm	Grades PreK - 12 Parent/Teacher Conference 8 am - 1 pm	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			

November 2026

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December 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		HS Choral Concert at 7 pm	HS Winter Sports Pictures	5th Grade Music and Band Concert at 7:00 p.m.		
		ES Yearbook Pictures	Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		HS Band Concert at 7:00 pm	Early Dismissal			Madrigals at 7 pm
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Madrigals at 2 pm		6th, 7th, & 8th Grade Band Concert at 7:00 p.m.	Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm	MS Choral Concert at 7:00 pm	HS Final Exams	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	HS Final Exams	Early Dismissal	Winter Break	Winter Break	Winter Break	Winter Break
		HS Final Exams				
		HS End of Semester 1				
		MS End of 2nd Quarter				
27	28	29	30	31		
Winter Break	Winter Break	Winter Break	Winter Break	Winter Break		

January 2027

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February 2027

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March 2027

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Casimir Pulaski's Day - No School		Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			HS Spring Sport Pictures
						IHSA Solo & Ensemble Contest
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	HS Trap Shooting Pictures		Early Dismissal		HS/MS - End of 3rd Quarter	HS Musical at 7 pm
	Preschool Screening @ ECC 1:00pm - 6:00pm				HS Musical 7 pm	
	Music Boosters Meeting Coal City Public Library Annex - 7 pm					
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
HS Musical at 2 pm	ECC Spring Pictures				HS Musical 7 pm	HS Musical at 7 pm
						MS Solo & Ensemble Contest
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
HS Musical at 2 pm	8th Grade Gown Measurement	NHS Induction at 7:00 pm	Kindergarten Fine Arts Showcase at 6:30 pm		Spring Break	Spring Break
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
28	29	30	31			
Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break			

April 2027

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Spring Break	Classes Resume		GAVC Health Occ CMA/EKG Pinning Ceremony at 5 pm			
			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Music Honor Society Induction at 7:00 pm	Early Dismissal	1st Grade Fine Arts Showcase at 6:30 pm		
		ES/IS Spring Pictures	Kindergarten Registration			
			MS Track, Band and Chours Pictures			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		5th Grade Band Concert at 7pm	MS Choral Concert at 7:00 pm	2nd Grade Fine Arts Showcase at 7:00 pm		HS Prom
25	26	27	28	29	30	
		HS Choral Concert at 7:00 pm		GAVC Award Night	No School	
			3rd Grade Fine Arts Showcase at 7:00 pm			
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			

May 2027

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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						IESA Organizational Concert
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Senior Athletic Banquet at 1:00 pm		HS Band Concert at 7:00 pm	HS Scholarship Night at 7:00 pm	MS Band Concert at 7:00 pm	Acclaimed Coaler Recognition at 7 pm	HS Graduation Ceremony at 11am
			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm	Senior Walk at 11:30 am		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
			Early Dismissal		IS Musical at 5pm & 7:30 pm	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Music Boosters Meeting Coal City Public Library Annex - 7 pm		GAVC Health Occ CNA Pinning Ceremony at 5:00 pm			Broadway Revue at 7:30 p.m.
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Broadway Revue at 2:00 pm	HS Final Exams	HS Final Exams	Last Day of School	Teacher's Institute	Proposed Emergency Day	
			HS Final Exams	No Student Attendance		
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
			MS 8th Grade Promotion @ CCHS @ 7:00 pm			
30	31					
	Memorial Day - No School					

June 2027

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		Proposed Emergency Day	Proposed Emergency Day	Proposed Emergency Day	Proposed Emergency Day	
			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
					Juneteenth Holiday (Observed)	Juneteenth Holiday
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			

July 2027

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Fourth of July			Board Meeting at District Office at 6:00pm			
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
			Board Study Session of the Whole Meeting at District Office at 6:00 pm			

School Directory

	<u>Start Time</u>	<u>First/ Last Day Dismissal</u>	<u>Early Dismissal</u>	<u>Regular Dismissal</u>
Early Childhood Center <i>Grades: Pre-K, Kindergarten, 1st</i> 755 S. Carbon Hill Road Principal: Amanda Davidson Phone: (815) 634-5042	7:55 a.m.	1:15 p.m.	11:30 a.m.	2:45 p.m.
Elementary School <i>Grades: 2nd, 3rd</i> 300 N. Broadway Principal: Taryn Trotter Phone: (815) 634-2334	8:10 a.m.	1:35 p.m.	11:45 a.m.	3:00 p.m.
Intermediate School <i>Grades: 4th, 5th</i> 305 E. Division St. Principal: Tracy Carlson Phone: (815) 634-2182	8:00 a.m.	1:25 p.m.	11:35 a.m.	2:50 p.m.
Middle School <i>Grades: 6th, 7th, 8th</i> 500 S. Carbon Hill Road Principal: Cameron Stone Phone: (815) 634-5039	8:30 a.m.	1:45 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	3:20 p.m.
High School <i>Grade: 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th</i> 655 W. Division Street Principal: Corey Mikula Phone: (815) 634-2396	8:20 a.m.	1:40 p.m.	11:55 a.m.	3:10 p.m.

Calendar Summary

August 12, 13, & 14, 2026 – Teacher’s Institute – No Student Attendance
 August 17, 2026 – First Day of School

September 7, 2026 - Labor Day - No School
 September 9, 2026 – Early Dismissal

October 12, 2026 –Columbus Day – No School
 October 14, 2026 – Early Dismissal
 October 15, 2026 – End of Quarter 1
 October 22, 2026 – Early Dismissal - PreK -12 Parent/Teacher Conference 4pm – 8pm
 October 23, 2026 – No School - PreK -12 Parent/Teacher Conference 8am – 1pm

November 3, 2026 – Election Day – No School
 November 6, 2026 – PreK-5 End of Trimester 1
November 11, 2026 – Veteran’s Day – No School
November 25 - 27, 2026 - Thanksgiving Break - No School

December 9, 2026 – Early Dismissal
 December 22, 2026 – Early Dismissal - End of Semester 1 & End of Quarter 2
December 23, 2026 - January 5, 2027 - Winter Break - No School

January 6, 2027 – Classes Resume
January 18, 2027 – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - No School

February 4, 2027 – Early Dismissal – PreK-12 Parent/Teacher Conference 4pm–8pm
 February 10, 2027 – Early Dismissal
February 15, 2027 – President’s Day – No School
 February 19, 2027 – PreK-5 End of Trimester 2

March 1, 2027 – Casimir Pulaski’s Day - No School
 March 10, 2027 – Early Dismissal
 March 12, 2027 - End of Quarter 3
March 26, 2027 – April 2, 2027 - Spring Break - No School

April 14, 2027 – Early Dismissal
April 30, 2027 – No School

May 12, 2027 - Early Dismissal
May 26, 2027 – (pending) Last Day of School
 May 27, 2027 – Teacher’s Institute - **Pending Emergency Day/No Student Attendance**

**May 28, 2027 – June 4, 2027, are emergency days. If no emergency days are used, the last day of school will be May 26, 2027.*