DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS



Mark your calendars: HOMECOMING IS OCTOBER 2nd!

FALL 2026 BACK-TO-SCHOOL CALENDAR

ALL-DISTRICT

- **Teacher Assignments/Schedules**
  Emailed or published in Powerschool by the end of the day Aug. 27
- **Bus Routes Published**
  During the week of Aug. 28
- **First Day of School**
  Tuesday Sept. 8 – half day

DEEC (ANCHOR/BEACON) grades Y5–2

- **New to DCS Orientation** (adults only)
  Mon. Aug. 31, 3:00pm-4:00pm
- **DEEC Open House** (everyone)
  Tues. Sept. 1, 5:00pm-6:00pm
- **Picture Day** – Thurs. Sept. 17

WYLIE grades 3–4

- **New to DCS Orientation**
  (kids & adults)
  Mon. Aug. 31, 2:00pm-3:00pm
- **Wylie Open House** (everyone)
  Wed. Sept. 2, 4:45pm-5:45pm
- **Picture Day** – Thurs. Oct. 8

CREEKSIDE grades 5-6

- **New to DCS Orientation** (kids only)
  Mon. Aug. 31, 1pm-2pm
- **Open House** (everyone)
  Wed. Sept. 2, 6pm-7pm
- **Picture Day** Mon. Sept. 14

MILL CREEK grades 7-8

- **New to DCS Orientation**
  Mon. Aug. 31, 12pm-1pm (kids & adults)
- **MC Open House** (kids & adults)
  Mon. Aug. 31, 3:30pm-5pm
- **Back2School Bash** (kids only)
  Mon. Aug. 31, 4:00pm-6pm
- **Picture Day** Wed. Sept. 9
- **Curriculum Night -** Wed. Sept. 9 5pm-7pm

DEXTER HIGH SCHOOL grades 9-12

- **Freshman Orientation** (students only)
  Fri. Aug. 28, 8am-12pm
- **New to DCS Orientation** (kids & adults)
  Mon. Aug.31, 6pm-7pm
- **Open House** Wed. Sept. 9, 6pm-8pm
- **Picture Day** Thurs. Sept 10



PLEASE COMPLETE THE TRANSPORTATION PLANS SURVEY **ASAP (by June 30th is ideal)**, EVEN IF YOUR STUDENTS WILL NOT RIDE THE BUS. Link: **http://bit.ly/3Hw7YPX**

School offices (except the high school) close on or about **June 17th** and re-open starting **August 19th**. The High School office will be open Tues. and Wed. 8am-1pm except for for July 3rd-10th; please check the high school website to confirm before dropping in. PowerSchool may not be accessible to parents and students periodically between **July 31st–August 14th** while we complete year-end reporting and roll-up the new school year. If you need K-8 assistance during the summer, contact the district offices: info@dexterschools.org or call 734-424-4100.

All families (new to Dexter and current Dexter) must complete the Annual Acknowledgments each year before school starts. **You will do this online using PowerSchool starting in mid August. DCS will send out the Back-to-School Wayfinder all families with a reminder when this opens.** If need help, contact your school office when they reopen.

OPTIONAL school supply lists are posted on TeacherLists.com. Search for 48130.