BEAUFORT COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

2026-2027 Key Education Dates, Events, & Celebrations

June
June 19: Juneteenth

July
July 4: Independence Day

August
Aug 7: First day of school
Aug 20: BCSD Spirit Day

September
Hispanic Heritage Month (Sep. 15-Oct. 15)
Sept 4: College Colors Day
Sept 7: Labor Day (No School)
Sept 11: 9/11 Remembrance Day
Sept 15: Nat'l IT Professionals Day
Sept 17: Constitution Day (state req'd 53 R 47545)
Sept 23: Nat'l Educational Technology Day

October
National Principals Month
Bullying Prevention Month
Oct. 2: School Custodian Appreciation Day
Oct. 6: Nat'l Coaches Day (Athletic & Instructional)
Oct. 7: Early Dismissal
Oct. 8 & 9: No School
Oct. 21: Unity Day
Oct. 19-23: Nat'l School Bus Safety Week
Oct. 23-31: Red Ribbon Week/Drug-Free America Week

November
Career Development Month
Native American Heritage Month/American Indian & Alaska Native Heritage Month
Nov. 3-7: Nat'l School Psychology Week
Nov. 3: Election Day (no school)
Nov. 8: Nat'l STEM Day
Nov. 9-13: Patriotism Week (state req'd Section 53-3-150)
Nov. 11: Veterans Day (no school)
Nov. 19: Nat'l Parent Involvement Day
Nov. 25-27: Thanksgiving Break (no school)

December
Dec. 2: Nat'l Special Education Day
Dec. 4-12: Hanukkah
Dec. 23 - Jan 5: Winter Break
Dec. 26-January 1: Kwanzaa
Dec. 25- Christmas Day

January 2027
100th Day of School (most districts)
School Board Appreciation Month
Jan. 1: New Year's Day (no school)
Jan. 18: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no school)
Jan. 27: Holocaust Remembrance Day

February
African American History Month
Career and Technical Education Month
Feb. 1-5: National School Counseling Week
Feb. 6-20: Chinese New Year
Feb. 11: Early Dismissal
Feb. 12-15: No school
Feb. 15: President's Day (No School)
Feb. 15: School Resource Officers Day

March
Women's History Month
Music in Our Schools Month
Youth Art Month
March 2: Read Across America Day
March 7-13: School Social Work Week
March 8: Internat'l Women's Day
March 12: Early Dismissal
March 14: Pi Day
March 17: St. Patrick's Day
March 18: South Carolina Day (state req'd Section 53-3-60)
March 25-26: No School

April
Child Abuse Prevention Month
Month of the Military Child
Apr. 4: Nat'l School Librarian Day
Apr. 7: Nat'l Paraprofessional Appreciation Day
Apr. 5-9: National Assistant Principals Week
Apr. 12-16: Spring Break
Apr. 15: Purple Up! Day
Apr. 19-23: Nat'l Public School Volunteer Week
Apr. 21: Administrative Assistants Day/Administrative Professionals Day
Apr. 22: Earth Day
Apr. 27: School Bus Driver Appreciation Day
Apr. 30: Arbor Day

May
Mental Health Awareness Month
Military Appreciation Month
Asian & Pacific-Island Heritage Month/ Asian-Pacific American Heritage Month
May 1: National College Decision Day
May 1: School Principals Day
May 7: School Lunch Hero Day
May 3-7: Teacher Appreciation Week
May 4: Teacher Appreciation Day
May 12: National School Nurses Day
May 14: School Communicators Day
May 17-21: Classified School Employee Week
May 25: Last Day of School for Students
May 31: Memorial Day

This list includes district-approved national observances and celebrations, although it is up to individual schools /departments regarding level of participation.