

Fairfield Public Schools

2026 – 2027

SCHOOL START and DISMISSAL TIMES



High Schools

	AM Start	PM Close	2 Hour Delayed Opening	Early Dismissal
Fairfield Ludlowe High School	7:30	2:10	9:30	11:45
Fairfield Warde High School	7:30	2:10	9:30	11:45
Walter Fitzgerald Campus	8:00	2:00	10:00	12:15

Middle Schools

	AM Start	PM Close	2 Hour Delayed Opening	Early Dismissal
Fairfield Woods Middle School	8:10	2:50	10:10	12:40
Roger Ludlowe Middle School	8:10	2:50	10:10	12:40
Tomlinson Middle School	8:10	2:50	10:10	12:40

Elementary Schools

	AM Start	PM Close	2 Hour Delayed Opening	Early Dismissal
Holland Hill	8:10	2:45	10:10	12:55
All Other Elementary Schools	8:55	3:30	10:55	1:40

Pre-Schools: ECC Warde, ECC Stratfield and ECC Holland Hill

	AM Start	PM Close	2 Hour Delayed Opening	Early Dismissal
Half Day AM Session	9:10	11:45	CANCELLED	11:45
Half Day PM Session	12:45	3:15	12:45	CANCELLED
Full Day Classes	9:10	3:15	12:45	11:45



FAIRFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL K-12 (Full Day): TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2026
FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL ECC: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2026

1. Parent Conference Days on **October 13, 2026** (PK-8; afternoon conferences) and **October 20, 2026** (PK-8 evening conferences). High School Early Dismissal on **October 14, 2026** for PSAT testing.
2. Parent Conference Days on **March 9, 2027** (afternoon conferences) and **March 16, 2027** (evening conferences) for Elementary Schools and ECC (early dismissal). Middle and High School Early Dismissal on **March 9, 2027** for professional development.
3. On Parent Conference Days Holland Hill Elementary School will dismiss at 12:55 p.m. and all other Elementary Schools will dismiss at 1:40 p.m.
4. Early Dismissal Professional Development Day (PK-12): **February 11, 2027**. (refer to Page 1 for Early Dismissal times)
5. Full-Day Professional Development Day/No School: **November 3, 2026** all schools are closed for students (all certified staff report).
6. Delayed openings are 2 hours after the normal starting time for all K-12 schools. Full-day PK classes will begin at 12:45 p.m. AM PK classes will not meet on delayed opening days. PM PK classes will meet on their regular schedule. Lunch will not be served for full-day PK classes on delayed opening days.
7. On scheduled Early Dismissal days, school lunch will be served at all schools with a modified schedule, except the full-day ECC program. School lunch will not be served in the full-day ECC program on Early Dismissal days.
8. On Early Dismissal days, the A.M. PK classes will meet on their regular schedule and the P.M. classes will not meet. Full-day PK classes will dismiss at 11:45 a.m.

Should you have any questions, please call Dr. Zakia Parrish at 203-255-8372.