

**FREEHOLD REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
2026-2027 SCHOOL CALENDAR
BOARD MEETING – AUGUST 27, 2026**

Monday, August 31, 2026	New Staff Orientation - Building
Tuesday, September 1, 2026	New Staff Orientation - District
Wednesday, September 2, 2026	Opening Day for Staff
Thursday, September 3, 2026	Ninth Grade Orientation
Friday, September 4, 2026	Labor Day Recess - Schools Closed
Monday, September 7, 2026	Labor Day - Schools Closed
Tuesday, September 8, 2026	Schools Open - All Students Report
Thursday, September 17, 2026	Back to School Night - Early Dismissal Session
Monday, September 21, 2026	Yom Kippur - Schools Closed
Monday, October 12, 2026	Columbus Day - Early Dismissal Session/ Professional Development
Thursday, October 22, 2026	PSAT - Early Dismissal Session
Thursday, November 5, 2026	NJEA Convention - Schools Closed
Friday, November 6, 2026	NJEA Convention - Schools Closed
Wednesday, November 11, 2026	Veterans Day - Schools Closed/Professional Development
Thursday, November 19, 2026	Parent/Teacher Conference Night - Regular Dismissal Early Dismissal Session
Friday, November 20, 2026	Thanksgiving Recess - Early Dismissal Session
Wednesday, November 25, 2026	Thanksgiving Day - Schools Closed
Thursday, November 26, 2026	Thanksgiving Recess - Schools Closed
Friday, November 27, 2026	Early Dismissal Session/Professional Development
Thursday, December 3, 2026	Winter Recess - Early Dismissal Session
Wednesday, December 23, 2026	Schools Reopen
Monday, January 4, 2027	Martin Luther King Jr. Day - Schools Closed
Monday, January 18, 2027	Professional Development Day - Early Dismissal Session
Friday, February 12, 2027	Presidents' Day - Schools Closed
Monday, February 15, 2027	NJGPA Testing - Early Dismissal Sessions
Wednesday, March 10 - Friday, March 12, 2027	Spring Recess - Early Dismissal Session
Thursday, March 25, 2027	Schools Reopen
Monday, April 5, 2027	Passover - Schools Closed
Thursday, April 22, 2027	Passover - Schools Closed
Friday, April 23, 2027	Memorial Day Recess- Early Dismissal Session
Friday, May 28, 2027	Memorial Day - Schools Closed
Monday, May 31, 2027	Last Day for Students - Early Dismissal Session
Wednesday, June 23, 2027	Graduation Day/Student Make-Up Final Exams/ Last Day for Staff
Thursday, June 24, 2027	Rain Date - Graduation
Friday, June 25, 2027	

<u>Days</u>	<u>Students</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Students</u>	<u>Staff</u>
September	16	18	February	19	19
October	22	22	March	19	19
November	16	17	April	18	18
December	17	17	May	20	20
January	19	19	June	17	18
			Total:	183 days	187 days

There are three days built into the calendar for inclement weather and other emergencies. In the event the district needs to make up more than three days due to emergency closings, the calendar will be modified to make up those days on holiday/recess days. Schools will open on the following dates in the order as listed: Monday, January 18, 2027, Monday, February 15, 2027, Friday, April 2, 2027, Thursday, April 1, 2027, Wednesday, March 31, 2027.

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MARKING PERIODS

First Marking Period	September 8, 2026 - November 13, 2026 (45)
Second Marking Period	November 16, 2026 - January 29, 2027 (45)
Third Marking Period	February 1, 2027 - April 14, 2027 (46)
Fourth Marking Period	April 15, 2027 - June 23, 2027 (47)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

Wednesday, September 2, 2026	Opening Day for Staff
Monday, October 12, 2026	Professional Development - Early Dismissal Session
Wednesday, November 11, 2026	Professional Development - School Closed Students
Thursday, December 3, 2026	Professional Development - Early Dismissal Session
Friday, February 12, 2027	Professional Development - Early Dismissal Session
Friday, April 9, 2027	Early Dismissal Session for Colts Neck HS Students
Friday, May 7, 2027	Early Dismissal Session for Freehold HS Students
Friday, April 16, 2027	Early Dismissal Session for Freehold Township HS Students
Friday, April 16, 2027	Early Dismissal Session for Howell HS Students
Friday, May 21, 2027	Early Dismissal Session for Manalapan HS Students
Friday, April 30, 2027	Early Dismissal Session for Marlboro HS Students

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT - 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Thursday, September 17, 2026	Early Dismissal Session
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PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCE NIGHT - 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Thursday, November 19, 2026	Regular Dismissal Session
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FINAL EXAMINATIONS Early Dismissal Sessions

Monday, June 21, 2027
Tuesday, June 22, 2027
Wednesday, June 23, 2027

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES

Thursday, June 24, 2027	All High Schools
Friday, June 25, 2027	Rain Date - All High Schools