DAVIDSON COUNTY SCHOOLS

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2027-2028 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Board Approved 2/2/26

JULY 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

5 Holiday

AUGUST 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

9,10 Non-Instructional/Optional
11,12 Non-Instructional/Required
13,16 Non-Instructional/Optional
17,18,19 Non-Instructional/Required
20 Non-Instructional/Optional
23 First Day for Students
23 1st Quarter Begins

SEPTEMBER 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

6 Holiday

OCTOBER 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

15 1st Quarter Ends
18 Non-Instructional/Optional
19 2nd Quarter Begins
29 Report Cards Issued

NOVEMBER 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

11 Holiday
24 Annual Vacation Leave
25,26 Holiday

DECEMBER 2027

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

13-17 High School Testing Window
17 2nd Qtr/1st Semester Ends
20 Non-Instructional Optional
21,22 Annual Vacation Leave
23,24 Holidays
27-30 Annual Vacation Leave
31 Holiday

JANUARY 2028

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

3 Non-Instructional/Required
4 3rd Quarter Begins
14 Report Cards Issued
17 Holiday

FEBRUARY 2028

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29				

MARCH 2028

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

7 Primary - Board of Elections
10 3rd Quarter Ends
13 Non-Instructional/Optional
14 4th Quarter Begins
24 Report Cards Issued

APRIL 2028

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

14 Holiday
17 Holiday
18,19,20 Annual Vacation Leave
21 Non-Instructional/Optional

MAY 2028

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

15-26 Elem & Middle Testing Window
22-26 High School Testing Window
26 4th Quarter Ends
26 Students last day
29 Holiday
30 Non-Instructional/Required
31 Non-Instructional/Optional

JUNE 2028

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

1,2 Non-Instructional/Optional
15 Report Cards Issued

NO ATTENDANCE FOR STUDENTS:

□	Holiday	11
○	Optional Teacher Work Day	12
□○	Annual Vacation Leave	10
○	Required Teacher Work Day	8

Note: Students must have a minimum of 185 days or 1,025 hours of instruction. The start date can be no earlier than the Monday closest to August 26 and the end date can be no later than the Friday closest to June 11. DCS is not eligible for an approved weather-related waiver/earlier start date for the 2027-2028 school year. The school calendar may be amended by the Board of Education to provide additional instructional time on student days, Saturdays, at the end of the school year, or on any other current non-instructional day to meet NC General Statute 115C-84.2 requirements. One or more inclement weather days can be waived (excused) for students if the instructional hours requirement will be met or exceeded.

MAKE-UP DAYS

These days may not be used in the order listed.

10/18 11/24 12/20 12/21
3/13 4/18 4/19 4/20 4/21
5/30 5/31 6/1 6/2
6/5 6/6 6/7 6/8

OTHER NOTES:

△ Report Cards Issued

High School Graduation: Each school will establish the date and time per DCS Board Policy 2.7 (D).

Overall Calendar Days = 215

TOTAL IN-CLASS STUDENT DAYS					=	174
1st=	39	+	2nd=	40	=	79
3rd=	47	+	4th=	48	=	95

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AUGUST 2027 MEET THE TEACHER DATES

HIGH SCHOOLS - **AUGUST 17, 2027**
6pm - 8 pm (floating)
9th grade orientation meeting at 6 pm

MIDDLE SCHOOLS - **AUGUST 18, 2027**
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm (floating)
6th grade orientation meeting at 6:30 pm

ELEMENTARY - **AUGUST 19, 2027**
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm (floating)

SOUTH MS/HS - **AUGUST 17, 2027** - Extended Hours 5 pm - 8 pm
6th grade orientation at 6 pm & 9th grade orientation at 7 pm

STONER THOMAS - **AUGUST 20, 2027**
4 pm - 6 pm

To reach the Suicide and Crisis Lifeline, call 988 or text HOME to 741741. To reach the NC Peer Warmline (18+), call 855 733 7762.