FRANCIS HOWELL SCHOOL DISTRICT

2027-28 Student Academic Calendar

Early Release Day is when buildings release approximately 3 hours early (about a half day).
Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release is when buildings dismiss approximately 1 hour early.
See bell schedule with dismissal times at *fhsdschools.org/calendar*.
Note: Virtual students follow a different calendar. Refer to LAUNCH or your course vendor's website.

August 2027

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Aug. 3: Election Day
Aug. 19: Transition Day, for incoming 6th and 9th graders
Aug. 23: First Day of School, *All Schools*

September 2027

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Sept. 1: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Sept. 6: **No School,** Labor Day
Sept. 8: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Sept. 15: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Sept. 17: **No School,** Teacher PD Day
Sept. 22: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Sept. 29: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*

October 2027

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Oct. 6: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Oct. 13: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Oct. 15: Early Release Day, *All K-12 Schools*
Oct. 18 - 22: **No School**, Fall Break
Oct. 27: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*

November 2027

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Nov. 2: **No School**, Election Day / Teacher PD Day
Nov. 3: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Nov. 10: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Nov. 17: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Nov. 24 - 26: **No School**, Thanksgiving Break

December 2027

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Dec. 1: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Dec. 8: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Dec. 15: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Dec. 20: Early Release Day, *All K-12 Schools*
Dec. 21: Early Release Day, *All K-12 Schools*
Dec. 22 - Jan. 3: **No School**, Winter Break

January 2028

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Jan. 4: **No School,** Teacher Work Day
Jan. 5: Students return to school
Jan. 12: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Jan. 17: **No School**, Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Jan. 26: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*

2027-28 Student Academic Calendar (continued)

February 2028

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Feb. 2: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Feb. 9: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
Feb. 18: **No School**, *Teacher PD Day*
Feb. 21: **No School**, Presidents' Day
Feb. 23: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*

March 2028

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March 1: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
March 8: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
March 10: Early Release Day, *All K-12 Schools*
March 15: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
March 20 - March 24: **No School**, Spring Break
March 29: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*

April 2028

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April 4: **No School,** Election Day / Teacher PD Day
April 12: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
April 14: **No School**, Spring Holiday
April 19: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
April 26: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*

May 2028

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May 3: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
May 10: Collaboration Wednesday - Early Release, *Secondary Schools*
May 24*:* Early Release Day, *All K-12 Schools*
May 25: Last Day of School, Early Release Day, *All K-12 Schools*
May 25*:* Graduation, *FHU ceremony (6:30 p.m.)*

June 2028

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June 2: Graduation, *Westwood (6 p.m.)*
June 3: Graduation, *FHN (8:30 a.m.), FHHS (12:30 p.m.), FHC (4:30 p.m.)*

☐ *End of a quarter. Third and fourth quarter end dates may change due to snow days.*

○ *No School*

Snow days 1-5 will be AMI days and students will learn remotely. Any additional snow days will be made up at the end of the school year, beginning on May 26 until student attendance days reach 169 days. Early Release Days at the end of fourth quarter will occur on the final student attendance day(s). Please be mindful of this when scheduling summer vacations and events.

THIS CALENDAR IS CURRENT AS OF NOVEMBER 2, 2026
Please ensure you have the most recent version of the calendar by visiting ***fhsdschools.org/calendar****.*