ACADEMIC CALENDAR

2026 – 2027

TUSCALOOSA CITY SCHOOLS

NINE WEEKS DATES

	8/10/26 - 10/12/26	10/14/26 - 12/18/26	1/6/27 - 3/12/27	3/15/27 - 5/26/27
Total Days	44	42	45	46
Progress Report Distribution Dates	9/4/26	11/6/26	2/5/27	4/23/27
Report Card Distribution Dates	10/16/26	1/11/27	3/19/27	6/4/27

KEY

- Holidays *School Closed*
- Professional Development
- Teacher Work / Planning Days *No Students*
- Half Days
- New Teacher Orientation

For scheduled early dismissals, the following schedule will be used. Elementary schools including Tuscaloosa Magnet Schools and The Alberta School of Performing Arts will dismiss at 11:30AM; Middle Schools and STARS Academy will dismiss at 12:00PM; High School will dismiss at 12:30P.M.

AUGUST

4	Institute Day/Staff Meeting
5	System PD for Employees
6	School PD
7	Teacher Work Day
10	First Day for Students
18	High School Open House-*First Semester*
20	TCTA Open House-First Semester
25	Elementary Open House
27	Middle School Open House

SEPTEMBER

7	Labor Day *Schools Closed*

OCTOBER

7	Parent Visitation Day-Elementary School
8	Parent Visitation Day *Middle School*
8-9	Worlds of Work
12	Holiday
13	Staff Planning Day/*No school for students*
15	Parent Visitation Day *High School*
20	e-learning for 9th and 11th graders (Pre-ACT for grade 10 and WorkKeys for grade 12) **(Subject to Change)**

NOVEMBER

11	Veteran's Day Observed-*Schools Closed*
23-27	Fall Break / Thanksgiving Holidays *Schools Closed*

DECEMBER

18	Half-Day Students / Full-Day employees
18	End of Semester
21-31	Winter Holidays-*Schools Closed*

JANUARY

1	Schools Closed
4	Employees Return *Professional Development*
5	Teacher Work Day
6	Students Return
14	High School Open House *2nd Semester*
18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday *Schools Closed*
21	TCTA Open House-*2nd Semester*

FEBRUARY

15	President's Day *Inclement Weather Day If Needed*
16	Staff Planning Day-*No School Students*

MARCH

22-26	Spring Break *Schools Closed*

APRIL

6	e-learning Day for grades 9,10,12 (ACT Testing for grade11) **(Subject to change)**
15	*Staff Planning Day No School for Students**
16	Spring Holiday*

MAY

25-26	Half Day Students / Full Day Employees End of Semester
26	Last Day for Students
27	Teacher Work Day
31	Memorial Day-*Schools Closed*

JUNE

1-2	Summer Learning Workday
3	Summer Learning First Day
2-3	Administrative Leadership Academy @ TCTA (2 days)
18	Juneteenth-Closed
30	Last Day for Summer Learning

JULY

5	Independence Day *Schools / Central Offices Closed*
20	Leadership Academy
21-22	New Teacher Orientation

AUGUST 2026

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

SEPTEMBER 2026

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
		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			

OCTOBER 2026

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
				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

NOVEMBER 2026

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
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					

DECEMBER 2026

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
		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		

JANUARY 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
					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						

FEBRUARY 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
	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						

MARCH 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
	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			

APRIL 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
				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	

MAY 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
						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					

JUNE 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
		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			

JULY 2027

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
				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