

**BOARD AGENDA ITEM
November 19, 2024**

SUBJECT:

Modified Academic Calendars for the 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 School Years

BACKGROUND:

The administration prepares a new calendar each year for Board approval. Policy ICA provides guidance in the development of the school calendar.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

During the 2022-2023 school year, a transition calendar was implemented to prepare the community for the shift to a modified academic calendar. The 2023-2024 school year marked the first full year of the modified calendar. This current school year, 2024-2025, is the second year under the modified academic calendar.

ATTACHMENTS:

2025-2026 Proposed Modified Academic Calendar

2026-2027 Proposed Modified Academic Calendar

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the proposed modified academic calendars for the 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 school years.

PREPARED BY:

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2025-2026 ACPSPD Modified Year-Round Student Calendar



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July 2025						
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		

- July**
- 14 Professional Development
 - 15 Professional Development
 - 16 Teacher Workday
 - 17 Professional Develop. - Elem Meet the Teacher
 - 18 Middle/High - Walk Your Schedule
 - 18 Teacher Workday
 - 21 First Day of School for Students

August 2025						
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						

- August**
- 20 Early Dismissal
 - Interim Reports Quarter 1

September 2025						
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				

- September**
- 1 Holiday - Labor Day; No School
 - 17 Early Dismissal
 - 23 End of Quarter 1 (46 Days)
 - 29 Fall Break Begins
 - 29-30 Intersession for Intervention and Enrichment

October 2025						
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	

- October**
- 1-2 Intersession for Intervention and Enrichment
 - 10 Fall Break Ends
 - 20 Parent Teacher Conferences; No School for Students
 - Report Cards Quarter 1
 - 31 Professional Development - No School for Students

November 2025						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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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
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- November**
- 11 Interim Reports Quarter 2
 - 24 Weather Make-Up Day
 - 25 Weather Make-Up Day
 - 24-28 Thanksgiving Break

December 2025						
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
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- December**
- 19 End of Quarter 2 (46 Days)
 - Half Day for Students
 - 22-31 Winter Break

January 2026						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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**
- 1 Holiday - New Year's Day
 - 2 Writer Break
 - 5 Teacher Workday - No School for Students
 - 6 Students Return from Writer Break
 - 13 Report Cards Quarter 2
 - 19 Holiday - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - No School
 - 21 Early Dismissal

February 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

- February**
- 6 Interim Reports Quarter 3
 - 16 Holiday - Presidents' Day - No School
 - 18 Early Dismissal

March 2026						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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- March**
- 10 End of Quarter 3 (44 Days)
 - 18 Reports Cards Quarter 3
 - 26 Professional Development - No School for Student
 - 27 No School - Weather Make-Up Day
 - 30 Spring Break Begins
 - Weather Make-Up Day
 - 30-31 Intersession for Intervention and Enrichment

April 2026						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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- April**
- 1-2 Intersession for Intervention and Enrichment
 - 3 Holiday - Good Friday
 - 10 Spring Break Ends
 - 28 Interim Reports Quarter 4

May 2026						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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- May**
- 25 Holiday - Memorial Day - No School
 - 27 Half Day for Students - Graduation
 - 28 Half Day for Students - Graduation
 - Last Day of School - End of Quarter 4 (44 Days)
 - Report Cards Quarter 4 (Elementary)
 - 29 Teacher Workday - Graduation

June 2026						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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- June**
- 4 Report Cards Quarter 4 (Middle/High)
 - Weather Make-Up Days:
 - November 24, 25, March 27, and May 29
 - If May 29 is used as a weather make-up day, June 1 will be the Teacher Workday.

No School for Students

Interim Reports/Report Cards

Professional Development - No School

End of the Quarter

The Aiken County Public School district is a SCDE approved eLearning district. The current provision allows the district to use up to five (5) days in eLearning. These days are for emergency situations, such as inclement weather or utility interruptions (for example, water line breaks or power outages). They are not planned days on the calendar.



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- August**
- 19 Early Dismissal
 - Interim Reports Quarter 1

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- October**
- 1 Intersession for Intervention and Enrichment
 - 9 Fall Break Ends
 - 19 Parent Teacher Conferences; No School for Students
 - Report Cards Quarter 1

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- November**
- 2 Professional Development - No School for Students
 - 3 Holiday - General Election - No School
 - 11 Interim Reports Quarter 2
 - 23 Weather Make-Up Day
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 - 23-27 Thanksgiving Break

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- 18 End of Quarter 2 (45 Days)
 - Half Day for Students
 - 21-31 Winter Break

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Interim Reports/Report Cards

Professional Development - No School

End of the Quarter Intersession