

2020-2021 Knox County Schools Calendar

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August 3 (Monday)	First Day for Teachers – In-service (Building)
August 4 (Tuesday)	In-service Day (PreK-12 System-wide)
August 5 (Wednesday)	Administrative Day (Teacher Workday)
August 6 (Thursday)	In-service Day (1/2 day--School-based); Administrative Day (1/2 day--Teacher Workday); Orientation for 6 th and 9 th graders
August 7 (Friday)	Administrative Day (Teacher Workday)
August 10 (Monday)	First Day for Students (1/2 day for students)
September 7 (Monday)	Labor Day – Holiday
September 17 (Thursday)	Constitution Day (Students in school)
October 9 (Friday)	End First 9-weeks Grading Period (44 days)
October 12-16 (Monday-Friday)	Fall Break
November 3 (Tuesday)	In-service Day (PreK-12 System-wide) (Student Holiday)
November 25-27 (Wednesday-Friday)	Thanksgiving Holidays
December 18 (Friday)	1/2 day for students End Second 9-weeks Grading Period (41 days) End First Semester (85 days)
December 21 – January 1 (10 days)	Winter Holidays
January 4 (Monday)	In-service Day (1/2 day--School-based); Administrative Day (1/2 day--Teacher Workday) (Student Holiday)
January 5 (Tuesday)	First Day for Students after Winter Holidays
January 18 (Monday)	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Holiday
February 15 (Monday)	In-service (Building) (Student Holiday)
March 12 (Friday)	End First 9-weeks Grading Period (Third 9-weeks Grading Period) (47 days)
March 15-19 (Monday-Friday)	Spring Break
April 2 (Friday)	Holiday
April 5 (Monday)	In-service Day (PreK-12 System-wide) (Student Holiday)
May 25 (Tuesday)	Last Day for Students (1/2 day for students) End Second 9-weeks Grading Period (Fourth 9-weeks Grading Period) (45 days) End Second Semester (92 days)
May 26 (Wednesday)	Administrative Day (Teacher Workday) – Last Day for Teachers

Calendar Summary

177 Instructional Days (excludes days earned through extended hours)
4 Scheduled Administrative Days
2 Unscheduled In-service Days
1 Unscheduled Parent-Teacher Contact Hours (formerly Teacher-Parent Conference Day)
6 Scheduled In-service Days
<u>10</u> Vacation Days
200 Days Total

Under this calendar the Knox County Schools may cancel up to ten (10) instructional days due to inclement weather before any makeup days will be required.