



2024-2025 Knox County Schools Calendar

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Thursday, August 1	First Day for Teachers (School Based In-Service Day)
Friday, August 2	Systemwide In-Service Day (PreK-12)
Monday, August 5	Administrative Day (Teacher Work Day)
Tuesday, August 6	Systemwide In-Service Day (½ Day School-based); Administrative Day (½ Day Teacher Work Day); 6 th and 9 th Grade Orientation
Wednesday, August 7	Administrative Day (Teacher Work Day)
Thursday, August 8	First Day for Students (½ Day)
Wednesday, August 14	Early Release Day for Students
Monday, September 2	Labor Day Holiday (Knox County Schools Closed)
Monday, September 9	End 4½-weeks Grading Period
Tuesday, September 17	Constitution Day (Knox County Schools Open)
Wednesday, September 18	Half-Day for Students
Friday, October 4	End First 9-weeks Grading Period
Monday, October 7 – Friday, October 11	Fall Break
Tuesday, November 5	Systemwide In-Service Day (PreK-12) (Student Holiday)
Wednesday, November 13	End 4½-weeks Grading Period
Wednesday, November 20	Half-Day for Students
Wednesday, November 27 – Friday, November 29	Thanksgiving Holidays (Knox County Schools Closed)
Friday, December 20	½ Day for Students; End Second 9-weeks Grading Period; End First Semester
Monday, December 23 – Thursday, January 2	Winter Break
Friday, January 3	Systemwide In-service Day (½ Day School-based; Administrative Day (½ Day Teacher Work Day)
Monday, January 6	First Day for Students after Winter Break (Full Day)
Monday, January 20	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Knox County Schools Closed)
Wednesday, January 22	Early Release Day for Students
Wednesday, February 5	End 4½-weeks Grading Period
Wednesday, February 12	Half-Day for Students
Monday, February 17	Systemwide In-Service Day (PreK-12) (Student Holiday)
Monday, March 10	End Third 9-weeks Grading Period
Monday, March 17 – Friday, March 21	Spring Break
Wednesday, March 26	Half-Day for Students
Thursday, April 17	End 4½-weeks Grading Period
Friday, April 18	Holiday (Knox County Schools Closed)
Monday, April 21	Systemwide In-Service Day (School-based)
Thursday, May 22	Last Day for Students (½ Day); End Fourth 9-weeks Grading Period; End Second Semester
Friday, May 23	Administrative Day (Teacher Work Day) – Last Day for Teachers
Thursday, June 19	Juneteenth Holiday (Knox County Schools Closed)

Calendar Summary

180	Instructional Days*
4	Administrative Days
2	Unscheduled In-Service Days
1	Unscheduled Parent-Teacher Contact Hours Day
6	Scheduled In-Service Days
10	Vacation Days

**In accordance with T.C.A. § 49-6-3004 – 177 student instructional days plus 3 days accumulated under daily 7-hour schedule.*

Note: This calendar allows cancellation of up to 8 instructional days due to inclement weather or serious outbreaks of illness before any make up days will be required.