2021-2022 Knox County Schools Calendar

(approved by Knox County Board of Education, 3/11/2020)

August 2 (Monday) First Day for Teachers – In-service (School-based)

August 3 (Tuesday) In-service Day (1/2 day PreK-12 System-wide; 1/2 day School-based)

August 4 (Wednesday) Administrative Day (Teacher Work Day)

August 5 (Thursday) In-service Day (1/2 day School-based); Administrative Day (1/2 day Teacher Work Day);

Orientation for 6th and 9th graders

August 6 (Friday) Administrative Day (Teacher Work Day)

August 9 (Monday) First Day for Students (1/2 day for students)

September 6 (Monday) Labor Day – Holiday

September 8 (Wednesday) End 4½-weeks Grading Period (22 days)
September 17 (Friday) Constitution Day (Students in school)

October 8 (Friday) End First 9-weeks Grading Period (44 days)

October 11-15 (Monday-Friday) Fall Break

November 2 (Tuesday) In-service Day (1/2 day PreK-12 System-wide; 1/2 day School-based) (Student Holiday)

November 16 (Tuesday) End 4½-weeks Grading Period (21 days)

November 24-26 (Wednesday-Friday) Thanksgiving Holidays
December 17 (Friday) 1/2 day for students

End Second 9-weeks Grading Period (41 days)

End First Semester (85 days)

December 20 – 31 (10 days) Winter Holidays

January 3 (Monday) In-service Day (1/2 day School-based); Administrative Day (1/2 day Teacher Work Day)

(Student Holiday)

January 4 (Tuesday)

First Day for Students after Winter Holidays

January 17 (Monday)

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Holiday

February 4 (Friday)

End 4½-weeks Grading Period (23 days)

February 21 (Monday) In-service Day (1/2 day PreK-12 System-wide; 1/2 day School-based) (Student Holiday)

March 11 (Friday) End First 9-weeks Grading Period (Third 9-weeks Grading Period) (47 days)

March 14-18 (Monday-Friday) Spring Break
April 15 (Friday) Holiday
April 18 (Monday) Holiday

April 22 (Friday) End 4½-weeks Grading Period (23 days)

May 3 (Tuesday) In-service (School-based) (Student Holiday)

May 25 (Wednesday) 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 (Thursday) Administrative Day (Teacher Work Day) – Last Day for Teachers

June 19 (Sunday) Juneteenth

Calendar Summary:

180 Instructional Days*

4 Scheduled Administrative Days 2 Unscheduled In-service Days

1 Unscheduled Parent-Teacher Contact Hours

6 Scheduled In-service Days

10 Vacation Days

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

^{*} In accordance with TCA 49-6-3004: 177 student instructional days plus three (3) days due to the daily seven-hour schedule.