



Anchorage School District

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2026-27 School Year Calendar*

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August

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September

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Cultural observance begins at sundown on these days: 9/11/26, 9/20/26, 3/9/27, 4/21/27, 4/16/27

Cultural dates of significance: 9/11-9/13/26, 9/20-9/21/26, 11/26/26, 12/25/26, 1/7/27, 3/9-3/10/27, 3/26/27, 3/28/27, 4/21-23/27, 5/2/27, 5/16-5/17/27

JULY

3 Independence Day holiday (observed)

AUGUST

14 Teachers' First Day
17-18 Teacher professional development days
18 (State Primary Election Day)
19 Classes begin for grades 1-6, 9***
20 Classes begin for grades 7-8 and 10-12***
26 Classes begin for Preschool/Kindergarten

SEPTEMBER

7 Labor Day holiday**

OCTOBER

12 Indigenous Peoples Day**
16 Student release grading day.
End of first quarter.**
28-29 Parent/Teacher conference days, early release
30 Student release professional development day.**

NOVEMBER

3 Student release professional development day. (State Election Day)**
11 Veterans' Day**
26-27 Thanksgiving holiday**

DECEMBER

17 Classes end
18 Student release grading day.
End of second quarter.**
21-31 Winter Break**

JANUARY

1 New Years Day**
4 Classes begin
18 Martin Luther King Jr. holiday**

FEBRUARY

15 Presidents Day holiday**
24-25 Parent/Teacher Conference days.
Early release (elementary only).
26 Student release professional development day**

MARCH

12 Student release grading day.
End of third quarter.**
15-19 Spring Break**

APRIL

19 April closure day.**
(Possible closure makeup day 1)

MAY

26 Classes end. End of fourth quarter.
27 Teachers' last day.
(Possible closure makeup day 2)
28 (Possible closure makeup day 3)
31 Memorial Day holiday

JUNE

1 (Possible Teachers' last workday)
18 Juneteenth holiday (observed)

() Beginning, end of quarter

Q1-40, Q2-39, Q3-46, Q4-47

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January

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JULY

5 Independence Day holiday (observed)

AUGUST

13 Teachers' First Day
16-17 Teacher professional development days
18 Classes begin for grades 1-6, 9***
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25 Classes begin for Preschool/Kindergarten

SEPTEMBER

6 Labor Day holiday**

OCTOBER

11 Indigenous Peoples Day**
15 Student release grading day.
End of first quarter.**
27-28 Parent/Teacher conference days, early release
29 Student release professional development day.**

NOVEMBER

11 Student release professional development day. (State Primary Election Day)**
25-26 Thanksgiving holiday**

DECEMBER

16 Classes end
17 Student release grading day.
End of second quarter.**
20-31 Winter Break**

JANUARY

3 Classes begin
17 Martin Luther King Jr. holiday**

FEBRUARY

14 Presidents Day holiday**
23-24 Parent/Teacher Conference days.
Early release (elementary only).
25 Student release professional development day**

MARCH

10 Student release grading day.
End of third quarter.**
13-17 Spring Break**

APRIL

17 April closure day.**
(Possible closure makeup day 1)

MAY

23 Classes end. End of fourth quarter.
24 Teachers' last day.
(Possible closure makeup day 2)
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26 (Possible Teachers' last workday)
29 Memorial Day holiday

JUNE

19 Juneteenth holiday (observed)

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Q1-40, Q2-40, Q3-46, Q4-46

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days, early release

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NOVEMBER

7 Student release professional development
day. (State Election Day)**

23-24 Thanksgiving holiday**

DECEMBER

21 Classes end

22 Student release grading day.
End of second quarter.**

25-31 Winter Break**

JANUARY

1-5 Winter Break (continued)**

8 Classes begin

15 Martin Luther King Jr. holiday**

FEBRUARY

19 Presidents Day holiday**

28 Parent/Teacher Conference day.
Early release (elementary only).

MARCH

1 Parent/Teacher Conference day.
Early release (elementary only).

2 Student release professional
development day.**

9 Student release grading day.
End of third quarter.**

12-16 Spring Break**

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2/14-2/15/29, 3/30-4/1/29, 4/8/29, 4/23-4/24/29

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