

PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY SCHOOLS - 2008-2009 SCHOOL CALENDAR

JULY 2008

4 Friday **4th of July Holiday** - Holiday for all employees

AUGUST 2008

11, 12 Monday - Tuesday **Principals' Workshop**
 13, 14 Wednesday - Thursday **Orientation Meetings for New Certified/Licensed Personnel**
 15 Friday **New Certified/Licensed Personnel Workday**
 18 Monday **Teacher Professional Day**
 19 Tuesday **Division Staff Development Day**
 20 Wednesday **Teacher Professional Day**
 21 Thursday **Open House** – Teachers work 1:00 – 7:00 p.m./Open to parents & students from 1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
 22 Friday **Teacher Professional Day**
 25 Monday **First Day of School**

SEPTEMBER 2008

1 Monday **Labor Day** - Holiday for all employees and students

OCTOBER 2008

3 Friday **Last day of 1st marking period** - Students dismissed at 1:00 p.m./Teacher workday p.m.

NOVEMBER 2008

4 Tuesday **Division Staff Development Day** – School not in session for students
 14 Friday **Last day of 2nd marking period** - Students dismissed at 1:00 p.m./ Teacher workday p.m.
 26 Wednesday Students dismissed at 1:00 p.m. / Teachers dismissed at 1:30 p.m.
 27, 28 Thursday - Friday **THANKSGIVING** - Holiday for all personnel and students

DECEMBER 2008

13 Saturday **1st Semester Conference Night:** Conferences must be completed prior to Saturday, December 13
 22- 31 **Winter Holiday** for all employees and students

JANUARY 2009

1, 2 Thursday - Friday **Winter Holiday** for all employees and students
 15 Thursday **Last day of 3rd marking period/End first semester**
 16 Friday **Teacher Workday** – School not in session for students
 19 Monday **MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY** – Holiday for all personnel and students
 20 Tuesday **Teacher Workday** – School not in session for students
 21 Wednesday **First Day of Second Semester**

FEBRUARY 2009

16 Monday School not in session for students or teachers

MARCH 2009

6 Friday **Last day of 4th marking period** - Students dismissed at 1:00 p.m./Teacher workday p.m.
 9 Monday **School Staff Development Day** - School not in session for students

APRIL 2009

13 - 15 Monday – Wednesday **SPRING BREAK** - Holiday for all personnel and students
 16, 17 Thursday - Friday Spring Break continues for teachers and students
 24 Friday **Last day of 5th marking period** - Students dismissed at 1:00 p.m./Teacher workday p.m.

MAY 2009

23 Saturday **2nd Semester Conference Night:** Conferences must be completed prior to Saturday, May 23.
 25 Monday **MEMORIAL DAY** - Holiday for all personnel and students

JUNE 2009

5 Friday **Last day of 6th marking period** – Students dismissed at 1:00 p.m./Teacher workday p.m.
 6 Saturday **Graduation** – Times to be announced
 8 Monday **Teacher Professional Day**

PRIORITY MAKE-UP DAYS

1. November 4	4. March 9	7. Banked Time	10. June 8
2. January 16	5. May 25	8. April 17	11. June 9
3. February 16	6. Banked Time	9. April 16	

Note: Teacher Professional Days – School not in session for students

Days Missed	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Days Made Up	1	2	3	4	5	*	6	*	7	*	8	*	9	*	*	10

Provisions for making up missed days as amended by the Code of Virginia §22.1-98 by the 2004 General Assembly

* Not required to make up this day

Approved by the Pittsylvania County School Board on February 12, 2008.

Calendar may be changed to ensure compliance with the Regulations of the State Board of Education at the sole discretion of the Pittsylvania County School Board.