

July 4 Holiday (Independence Day) June 20-July 27 Registration—Online July 17—21 **New Teacher Orientation**

Elementary, Middle & High School

August 1— August 4 Preplanning

August 3 Open House- Elementary School

8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Open House—Middle School 1:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

August 4 Open House

High School

1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

First Day of School August 7

September 4 Labor Day Holiday (School Closed)

September 6 **Progress Reports**

October 6 **District Professional Learning**

(Student Holiday)

October 9 Columbus Day Holiday (School Closed)

October 11 End of 1st Nine Weeks

October 12 Beginning of 2nd Nine Weeks

October 18, 19 Elementary Early Release/Parent Conferences

October 19 Report Cards November 1 **Progress Reports**

November 10 Veteran's Day Holiday (School Closed)

November 20-24 Thanksgiving Holidays (School Closed)

December 21 End of 2nd Nine Weeks

Dec. 22-Jan. 8 Christmas/Winter Break (School Closed) January 8 School Based Professional Learning

(Student Holiday)

Beginning of 3rd Nine Weeks January 9

Report Cards January 12 January 15 M.L. King Holiday February 7 **Progress Reports**

President's Day Holiday (School Closed) February 19

> **District Professional Learning** (Student Holiday)

End of 3rd Nine Weeks

March 16 Beginning of 4th Nine Weeks

March 21, 22 Elementary Early Release/Parent Conferences

March 22 Report Cards

February 20

March 15

March 30 Easter Holiday (School Closed)

April 2-9 Spring Break (School Closed)

April 24 **Progress Reports**

May 21—25

May 25 Last Day of School (High School)

May 28 Memorial Day (School Closed)

Last Day of School (Elementary/Middle School) May 29

May 30-June 1 Post Planning Graduation May 30-June 1

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Richmond County School System 2017 - 2018 Academic Calendar

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Pre/Post Planning		Early Release	Beginning of Nine Weeks Period
First and Last Day of School		Progress Reports Issued	End of Nine Weeks Period
Holidays/Schools Closed		Report Cards Issued	District/School Professional Learning

Instructional First Semester

1st Nine Week Period (August 2 – October 4) 2nd Nine Week Period (October 5 - December 16)

Second Semester 3rd Nine Weeks Period (January 5 – March 13) 4th Nine Weeks Period (March 14 - May 23)

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Elementary Early Release

October 18 October 19 March 22

System-wide Testing

Elementary Middle High

GKIDS: Kindergarten August 2017 - May 2018 2018 (Gr. K, 3-8, 11) GAA: Sept. 5, 2017 - March 23, 2018

School Abilities Test: Gr. 1,4,6 September 18– October 13, 2017 (Gr. K, 3-8, 11) School Abilities Test: Gr. 1,4,6 September 18—October 13, 2017 PSAT: All 10th (Select 8-11) October

11. 2017 ACCESS for ELLs: ELL Students Jan. 16—March 2, 2018 ACCESS for ELLs: ELL Students Jan. 16—March 2, 2018

Georgia Milestones Assessment (EOG) (Grades 3-8) April 12-27, 2018 **Georgia Milestones Assessment** (Grades 3-8) April 12—27, 2018

GAA: Sept. 5, 2017 - March 23, GAA: Sept. 5, 2017 - March 23, 2018 (Gr. K, 3-8, 11)

PSAT: All 10th (Select 8-11) October 11, 2017

Georgia Milestones Assessment (EOC) Grades: 9-12 (Economics) December 18-20, 2017

ACCESS for ELLs: ELL Students January 16—March 2, 2018

End of Pathway (EOPA) Gr. 9-12 April 16—27, 2018

Georgia Milestones Assessment (EOC) (Grades 9-12) April 30-May 11, 2018

Graduation Schedule

Graduation schedule is forthcoming

Weather-Related Schools Closings
For Inclement Weather, please tune to WJBF-TV, WAGT-TV, WRDW-TV news, or WGAC-AM Radio for up-to-date information on school closings. Also, you can view the school system's website at www.rcboe.org ***Testing dates* are subject to change based on unforeseen adjustments to the regular school calendar.**