

Davidson Charter Academy

2025-2026 School Calendar

Approved Date: 02/26/2025

- 4 New Hire Orientation
- 4-8 Teacher Workdays
- 11 First Day of School-Student
Early Release Dismissal
Elem 12:00, Middle 12:10
** Kindergarten will stagger-start ½ days Aug 11, 12*
- Q1 Begins (15)

AUGUST 2025						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

FEBRUARY 2026						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

- 16 President's Day Holiday

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- 1 Labor Day Holiday
- 26 Teacher Workday

SEPTEMBER 2025						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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MARCH 2026						
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

- 12 Q3 Ends (46 days)
- 13 Teacher Workday
- 16 No School for Students
Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 17 Q4 Begins

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- 14 Q1 Ends (45 days)
- 15 Q2 Begins
- 17 Teacher Workday
- 20 No School for Students
Parent/Teacher Conferences

OCTOBER 2025						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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APRIL 2026						
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26	27	28	29	30		

- 3-10 Spring Break

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- 11 Veterans Day Holiday
- 26-28 Thanksgiving Break

NOVEMBER 2025						
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MAY 2026						
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- 1 Teacher Workday (Inclement Weather Makeup Day)
- 22 Last Day of School- Student Early Release (Elem. 12:00, Middle 12:10)
- 25 Memorial Day Holiday
- 26-27 Teacher Workdays

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- 19 Q2 Ends (42 days)
- 22-31 Winter Break

DECEMBER 2025						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
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JUNE 2026						
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- 1-2 Winter Break Continued
- 5 Teacher Workday
- 6 Q3 Begins
- 19 M.L. King, Jr. Holiday

JANUARY 2026						
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JULY 2026						
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 Student Early Release

 Teacher Workdays - No School for Students

 No School for Students or Staff

 End of Quarter

 Parent Teacher Conferences - No School for Students

Teacher Workdays: No School for Students

August 4-8
September 26
October 17
January 5
March 13
May 1
May 26-27

Parent/Teacher Conferences-No School for Students

October 20
March 16

Holidays – No School for Staff and Students

September 1 (Labor Day)
November 11 (Veterans Day)
November 26 – 28 (Thanksgiving Break)
December 22 – January 2 (Winter Break)
January 19 (M.L. King, Jr. Holiday)
February 16 (Presidents' Day)
April 3 – 10 (Spring Break)
May 25 (Memorial Day)

Instructional Hours

Regular School Day: (6 Instructional Hours Per Day)

- Elementary 8:00 AM – 2:35 PM = 6 hours 35 minutes
- Middle 7:45 AM – 2:45 PM = 7 hours

Early Release: (3.5 Instructional Hours Per Day)

Elementary 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM = 4 hours

Middle 7:45 AM – 12:10 PM = 4 hours

Calculation:

174 – Total Instructional Days

172 Full Days @ 6 hours = 1,032 Instructional Hours
2 Days Early Release @ 3.5 hours = 7 Instructional Hours Total

= 1,039 Instructional Hours At School

****Minimum # of required instructional hours = 1,025**

DCA's Calendar has 14 hours over minimum requirement which will be absorbed by missed days due to inclement weather.

DCA can also use up to 5 days for Remote Learning in case of inclement weather

****One or more inclement weather days can be waived (excused) for students if the instructional hours requirement will be met or exceeded.**