

Johnston County Public Schools (JCPS)

2026-27 School Calendar - Johnston County, North Carolina

First Day of School	Monday, August 24, 2026
Winter Break	Dec 21, 2026 - Jan 1, 2027
Spring Break	Mar 29, 2027 - Apr 2, 2027
Last Day of School	Wednesday, May 26, 2027

Student Holidays & Days Off

Sep 7, 2026	Labor Day
Nov 11, 2026	Veterans Day
Nov 25, 2026	Thanksgiving Break
Nov 26, 2026	Thanksgiving Break
Nov 27, 2026	Thanksgiving Break
Jan 1, 2027	New Year's Day
Jan 18, 2027	Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Note: Adopted 12/9/2025. Kindergarten staggered entry Aug 26-27, 2026; first full kindergarten day Aug 28. A separate ECA/CTLA calendar variant exists.