

Lincoln County Schools (LCS)

2026-27 School Calendar - Lincoln County, North Carolina

First Day of School	Thursday, August 13, 2026
Winter Break	Dec 21, 2026 - Jan 5, 2027
Spring Break	Mar 26, 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 (mandatory vacation)
Nov 26, 2026	Thanksgiving Holiday
Nov 27, 2026	Thanksgiving Holiday
Dec 24, 2026	Christmas Holiday
Dec 25, 2026	Christmas Holiday
Dec 28, 2026	Christmas Holiday
Jan 1, 2027	New Year's Day
Jan 18, 2027	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Mar 26, 2027	Easter Observed (Good Friday)
May 31, 2027	Memorial Day

Note: Board approved December 9, 2025. PDF is the 'School Calendar' link on the lcsnc.org homepage (district-published Google Drive file). First day Aug 13, 2026 is a full school day; last day May 26, 2027 is an early release. Graduation May 28-29, 2027. Winter break: students out Dec 21-Jan 5 (Dec