2025-2026 CRUSADER CALENDAR

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Aug. 1	PreK3-5th Grade Parent Orientations (Required)	Nov. 6-7	Fan
	• Preschool 4:30 p.m. to 5:45 p.m.		Т
	• Elementary 6:15 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.		
	• General Assembly in the Auditorium and then meet with		
	teachers in the classrooms. Enter through the main lobby doors.		F
Aug. 4	PreK3-5 th Grade Open House for Parents and Students		
	• Meet & Greet in the Classrooms - 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Nov. 11	Stuc
	6 th -12 th Grade Parent/Student Orientations (Required)		Vete
	• 5:00 p.m. to approximately 7:15 p.m.	Nov. 13	Pres
	• General Assembly in the Auditorium then report to 1 st hour to	Nov. 14	Qua
	start class rotations.	Nov. 24-28	Tha
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1 st Semester	August 5 – December 19	Dec. 9-10	TAC
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Quarter 1	August 5 – October 13	Dec. 14	Seco
Aug. 5	First Day of School 🐞	Dec. 16	Eler
	6:30 a.m. Early Care Opens		G
	8:05 a.m. Elementary School Day Begins		G
	8:15 a.m. Secondary School Day Begins	Dec. 17-19	Hig
	8:30 a.m. Preschool School Day Begins	Dec. 19	Eler
Aug. 10	Back to School Sunday at Bible Baptist Church		Eler
	(Special service for all staff and school families.)		Ear
Aug. 25	Student Council Campaigning Begins (Secondary)		
Aug. 26	New Parent Dinner - 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Cafeteria		
Aug. 29	Student Council Assembly and Elections (Secondary)		
Sept. 1	Labor Day Holiday – School Closed/Preschool Closed	Dec. 22-Jan. 4	Chr
Sept. 3	Master Clubs Kickoff (PK3-Grade 6)	Dec. 22-Jan. 4	CIII
Sept. 8	Quarter 1 Progress Reports emailed to Parents		
Sept. 10	Picture Day (PK3-12 th) – yearbook pictures, senior formals		
Sept. 11	Patriotic Day – Students can wear RED, WHITE, and BLUE!		(
Sept. 18	Honor Society Induction at 9:15 a.m. in the Auditorium	Head of Scho	o1
•	(Lunch for inductees and families to follow.)	Student Life I	
Sept. 24-26	TACS Educators' Convention – School Closed/Preschool Closed		
Sept. 29-30	HCA Fall Spiritual Emphasis Days (Secondary)	Athletic Direc	
Oct. 6	TACS Golf Tournament	Preschool Dir	
		Elementary L	
Quarter 2	October 14 - December 19	Academic Co	unseloi
Oct. 14	TACS Cross Country Meet (MS & HS) – 12:00 p.m. at North Campus	Office Manag	er
Oct. 16-17	JV Volleyball Tournament (TAACS)	Admin. Assis	tant
Oct. 17	Parent Conferences - 3:45 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. (K5-12th grade)		
	1 st Quarter Report Card must be picked up by a Parent		
Oct. 23-24	Varsity State Volleyball Tournament (TAACS)		
Oct. 27	Basketball Tryouts (Grades 4-12)		
Oct. 29	Trunk or Treat from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.		TT

Nov. 6-7	Family Days (in the Gym)
	Thursday, Nov. 6
	Preschool-1st Grade: 8:30-10:00
	2 nd -5 th Grade: 11:00-1:00
	Friday, Nov. 7
	6 th -12 th Grade: 12:00-2:00
Nov. 11	Students may wear RED, WHITE, and BLUE in honor of Veteran's Day
	Veteran's Day Assembly at 9:15 a.m. in the Auditorium
Nov. 13	Preschool Thanksgiving Program at 6:00 p.m. in the Auditorium
Nov. 14	Quarter 2 Progress Reports emailed to Parents
Nov. 24-28	Thanksgiving Break – School/Preschool Closed
Dec. 2	Giving Tuesday
Dec. 9-10	TACS District Bible and Academic On Site Testing (Grades 3-12)
Dec. 12, 15, 16	High School Exam Review Days
Dec. 14	Secondary Christmas Program at 5:00 p.m. in the Auditorium
Dec. 16	Elementary Christmas Programs in the Auditorium
	Grades K5-2 at 5:30 p.m.
	Grades 3-5 at 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 17-19	High School Exam Days - 12:15 p.m. dismissal for 9th-12th Grade
Dec. 19	Elementary Christmas Chapel - 10:00 a.m.
	Elementary Christmas Parties - 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.
	Early Dismissal for Christmas Vacation
	• Elementary at 12:00 p.m.
	• Secondary at 12:15 p.m.
	Preschool Regular Hours
Dec. 22-Jan. 4	Christmas Break - School Closed/Preschool Closed

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2nd Semester	January 6 – May 21	М
Quarter 3	January 6 – March 19	
Jan. 5	Professional Development - School Closed/Preschool Open	Μ
Jan. 6	School Resumes	
	Report Cards Issued – Sign and return the next day	M
Jan. 12	Registration Information for 2026-2027 emailed to Current Families	Μ
Jan. 19	Staff Professional Development - School Closed/Preschool Closed	
Jan. 26	Picture Day – classes, make-up pictures, cap and gown	M
Jan. 30	Homecoming and Alumni Night	M
Feb. 4	Enrollment opens for New Families	Μ
Feb. 6	Quarter 3 Progress Reports emailed to Parents	
Feb. 12-13	TACS District Fine Arts Competition (Only Students Competing)	Μ
	School Closed/Preschool Open	
Feb. 16	TACS Winter Teachers' Clinic - School Closed/Preschool Closed	
Feb. 17-18	TACS State Bible and Academic On-site Testing	
Feb. 19-21	JV Basketball Tournament (TAACS)	
Feb. 26-28	State Varsity Basketball Tournament (TAACS)	
Mar. 11-13	Honor Society Conference in Gatlinburg	Μ
Mar. 9-13	Spring Break - School and Preschool Closed	Μ
Mar. 16-20	Senior Trip	Μ
	IOWA Standardized Testing (Grades K5-11)	Ju
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Quarter 4	March 20 – May 21	Jı
Mar. 20	Quarter 3 Report Cards emailed to Parents	Ju
Mar. 26-27	TACS State Fine Arts Competition, Murfreesboro (Grades 3-12)	A
	(Be prepared for changes in daily schedules for participating students.)	A
Apr. 2	Preschool Easter Egg Hunt – 9:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m.	
Apr. 3	Good Friday: School/Preschool Closed	A
Apr. 14-16	AACS National Fine Arts Competition (Grade 9-12 Qualifiers)	
Apr. 16	Parents, Pancakes, and Pastries - 6:45 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. in the Courtyard	
	Women of Worth Brunch - 8:20 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (6 th -12 th)	
	Iron Man Munch - 8:20 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (6th-12th)	<u>2</u> Se
Apr. 20	Quarter 4 Progress Reports emailed to Parents	Se
Apr. 24	High School Spring Formal - 6:30 p.m. (Location TBA)	0
Apr. 27-May 1	Staff Appreciation Week	N
May 7	National Day of Prayer Assembly - 7:40 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. (Parents Invited)	IN
May 5	Elementary Field Day	
2	Grades K5-2 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	
	Grades 3-5 from 12:15 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	
May 6	Secondary Activity Day - 8:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.	1
May 7	Elementary Spring Programs	
5	Grades K5-2 at 5:30 p.m.	
	Grades 3-5 at 6:30 p.m.	
May 8	Muffins with Mom - 6:45 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. in Courtyard (Preschool & K5)	
J -	Sports Banquet at HCA - 6:30 p.m. in the Gym	
May 11, 12, 13	Senior Testing Days	
May 13	Senior Class of 2026 Last Day of School	
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May 14	Senior Chapel – 9:15 a.m. in the Auditorium
	Senior Parent Appreciation Luncheon - 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
May 14	Kindergarten and Senior Walk - 2:00 p.m.
	Senior Graduation Rehearsal - 2:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.
May 14-18	High School Exam Review Days
May 16	Senior Class of 2026 Graduation - 2:00 p.m. in the Auditorium
	(Seniors arrive at 12:45 p.m.)
May 19	Kindergarten Class of 2026 Graduation - 6:30 p.m. in the Auditorium
May 19-21	High School Exams Days - 12:15 p.m. dismissal for 9th-12th grade
May 20	Secondary Awards Assembly - 8:20 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. in the Auditorium
	Kindergarten Picnic and Pet Day - 11:00 a.m1:00 p.m. on the field
May 21	Preschool Celebration
	Last Day of Preschool – Regular Hours
	Elementary Academic Awards Assembly - 10:30 a.m. in the Auditorium
	Last Day of School, Early Dismissal
	Grades K5-5 dismiss at 12:00 noon
	Grades 6-11 dismiss at 12:15 p.m.
May 22	Teachers Out-service
May 26	Teacher Check Out Day
May 29	Final Report Cards and Transcripts Mailed
June 3	First Day of Camp Crusader and Summer Preschool
July 4	Camp Crusader and Summer Preschool Closed
July 18	Summer Preschool Closed
July 22	Last Day of Summer Preschool Program and Camp Crusader
Aug. 3, 2026	Preschool and Elementary Parent Orientations
Aug. 4, 2026	Preschool and Elementary Open House
	Secondary Parent and Student Orientation
Aug. 5, 2026	2026-2027 First Day of School

2026-2027 First Semester Tentative Dates

Sept. 7	Labor Day School - Closed/Preschool Closed
Oct. 1-2	TACS Educators' Conference - School Closed/Preschool Closed
Nov. 23-27	Thanksgiving Break - School Closed/Preschool Closed

