



TO: Christian County Board of Education

FROM: Melanie A. Barrett, Director of Pupil Personnel

DATE: December 21, 2023

RE: 2024-2025 Christian County Public Schools Calendar

Variable School Calendar

- “Variable Student Instructional Year” means 1,062 hours of instruction is delivered on the number of attendance days adopted by the board of education.
- The Variable School Calendar must start on or after the third Monday in August closest to the 28th of August.
- The number of student days adopted will be equivalent to the 170 days required by the state when utilizing the Variable Student Instructional Year.
- Staff working must meet service credit requirements under KRS 161.500 to earn service credit toward retirement.

The service credit requirement is met in the following 2024-2025 Proposed Draft Calendar:

165 Student Instructional Days

1 Opening Days

9 Staff Work Days

4 Professional Days

4 Holidays

1 Planning Day

1 Closing Day

185 Staff Contract Days

The Office of Pupil Personnel requests the Christian County Board of Education to review/approve the 2024-2025 Calendar 1st Reading.

- 1,062 minimum instructional hours required
- 185 contract days (1 Opening, 4 PD, 4 Holidays, 1 Growth, 1 Closing)
- 165 Student Instructional Days
- Opening Day requirement is scheduled prior to the first student attendance day
- 4 Early Release Days (Transportation, Food Service, After-Care Consultation)

August 2024

- August 12 Opening Day
- August 13-16, 19-22 (Staff Work Days)
- August 23 Not a Staff Work Day and Students not in session
- August 26 1st Day for Students
- August 26 1st Quarter Begins

September 2024

- September 2nd Labor Day (H)
- September 9th 1st Day for Preschool Students

October 2024

- October 4 Early Release Day (ER)
- October 7-11 Fall Break
- October 18 1st Quarter Ends
- October 21 2nd Quarter Begins

November 2024

- November 8 Early Release Day (ER)
- November 5 General Election (Presidential Election Year)
- November 11 Veterans Day
- November 27 Professional Development Day (PD)
- November 28 Thanksgiving Day (H)
- November 29 No School

December 2024

- December 20 2nd Quarter Ends
- December 23-31 Christmas Break Days (No School)

January 2025

- January 1 New Year's Day (H)
- January 2-3 Christmas Break Days (No School)
- January 6 3rd Quarter Begins
- January 20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (H)

February 2025

- February 7 Early Release Day (ER)
- February 17 Professional Development Day/President's Day
- February 18 Planning Day

March 2025

- **March 7 3rd Quarter Ends**
- **March 10 4th Quarter Begins**
- **March 11 ACT Tentative Date**
- **March 28 Professional Development Day**
- **March 31 Professional Development Day**

April 2025

- **April 1-4 Spring Break**
- **April 18 Early Release Date (ER)**

May 2025

- **May 6-9, 12-16, 19-23 KSA Testing Window Dates (14)**
- **May 23 4th Quarter Ends**
- **May 26 No School (Memorial Day)**
- **May 27 Staff Work Day**
- **May 28 Closing Day requirement scheduled after the last student attendance day.**
- **May 29-30, 2-6, 9-13 Make-Up Days (12)**

NOTE:

- **Inclement weather could require amendments to the original approved calendar.**
- **Report Card Dates are listed on the Calendar (inclement weather could change report card dates).**