

Solar Eclipse April 8, 2024

On Monday, April 8, 2024, the Great North American Eclipse will take place. Georgia is not on the path for a total eclipse, but experts estimate that Georgia could see a partial eclipse with between 65 percent to 90 percent totality based on the specific location. The estimated times for the partial eclipse in Georgia are from around 1:45pm through 4:20pm.

Quitman County Schools will provide solar glasses to all staff and students in an effort to prevent eye damage that can be caused from looking at the eclipse without proper eye protection. QCS staff members will encourage students to wear the solar glasses and not look at the sun without the solar glasses. Parents are encouraged to speak to their children to stress the dangers of looking at an eclipse without proper eye protection.

Thank you in advance for your continued support and partnership in ensuring the safety and academic success of our students. GO HORNETS!