



LACS 2025-2026 Year at a Glance

 **Early Dismissal: Every Wednesday at 2:00 PM for TK-8**

School Holidays (No School)

- Monday, September 1 – Labor Day
- October 23-24 – Teacher-Parent Conferences (No School – EDC Available on **10/23 ONLY**)
- November 24-28 – Thanksgiving Break
- December 22 - January 5 – Christmas Break (School resumes January 6)
- Monday, January 19 – Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- February 16-20 – Presidents' Week / Ski Week
- Friday, April 3 – Good Friday (No School – No EDC)
- April 6-10 – Spring Break
- Monday, May 25 – Memorial Day

Teacher Workdays (No School for Students)

- Monday, November 24 – Professional Development Day (No School for TK-8)
- Monday, January 5 – Professional Development Day (No School for TK-8 – EDC Available)
- Friday, March 13 – Professional Development Day (No School for TK-8 – EDC Available)
- Friday, May 29 – LSP IEP Conferences (No school for 1st-5th grade LSP students)

Minimum Days (Noon Dismissal)

- Friday, December 19 – Christmas Chapel (TK-8 – EDC Available)
- Friday, February 13 – BCC Night to Shine (1:30 PM Dismissal – No EDC Available)
- Friday, March 27 – Spring Musical (TK-8 – EDC Available)
- Thursday, June 4 – Last Day of School (TK-8 – EDC Available)

Free Dress, PJ Bottoms & House Color Days

- TK-5: Free Dress Days – First Friday of each month
- 6-8: PJ Bottoms Day – First Friday of each month
- TK-8: House Color Day – Last Friday of each month

TK-5: End of Trimester, Progress & Report Cards

- Friday, September 26 – Progress Reports
- Friday, November 7 – End of 1st Trimester
- Friday, November 14 – Report Cards Emailed Home
- Friday, January 16 – Progress Reports
- Friday, February 27 – End of 2nd Trimester
- Friday, March 6 – Report Cards Emailed Home
- Friday, April 24 – Progress Reports
- Friday, May 29 – End of 3rd Trimester
- Friday, June 5 – Report Cards Emailed Home

Grades 6-8: End of Quarter, Progress & Report Cards

- Friday, September 19 – Progress Reports
- Friday, October 17 – End of 1st Quarter
- Friday, October 24 – Report Cards Emailed Home
- Friday, November 21 – Progress Reports
- Friday, January 16 – End of 2nd Quarter
- Friday, January 23 – Report Cards Emailed Home
- Friday, February 13 – Progress Reports
- Friday, March 20 – End of 3rd Quarter
- Friday, March 27 – Report Cards Emailed Home
- Friday, April 24 – Progress Reports
- Friday, May 29 – End of 4th Quarter
- Friday, June 5 – Report Cards Emailed Home

Special Events



LACS



Academic Grading Periods



PAWS Sponsored Events

Total Instructional Days: 174

AUGUST

Fri, Aug 8 – New Family Orientation | 5:00-6:00 PM

Aug 14-15 – TK, K & 1st Grade Assessments | LSP (1-8) Conferences

Fri, Aug 15 – Summer Playdates at McKenzie Park (3rd-5th, 1 pm-2 pm | TK-2, 2 pm-3 pm)

Mon, Aug 18

- TK-8 Parents | Head of School Address | 6:00 PM | Sanctuary
- TK-5 Parents | Back to School Night | 6:30-7:30 PM | Classrooms
- Gr. 6-8 Parents | Tech Orientation (6th & new 7th-8th graders) | 6:30-7:30 PM | Family Center

Tue, Aug 19 – **Gr. 6-8 Student Orientation** (Lunch Provided)

- 6th & New Students: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
- 7th & 8th Grade: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Wed, Aug 20 – 1st of School (TK-8) | 2:00 PM Dismissal | EDC Available | Coffee Social | 7:45-9:15 AM

Fri, Aug 22 – **PAWS Room Parent Training**

Thurs, Aug 28 – **PAWS Back to School Shaved Ice** | 5:00-6:30 PM

SEPTEMBER

Mon, Sept 1 – Labor Day | **No School**

Fri, Sept 5 – **PAWS Open Meeting** | 8:45-9:45 AM

Wed, Sept 10 – Back to School "Meet the Teacher Night" (Gr. 6-8) | 6:00-7:50 PM

Fri, Sept 19 – **Gr. 6-8 Q1 Progress Reports** | TK-5 Parents – Principal's Coffee | (8:30-9:30 AM

Fri, Sept 26 – **TK-5 T1 Progress Reports** | Gr. 6-8 Parents – Principal's Coffee | 8:30-9:30 AM

Tue, Sept 30 – Fall Picture Day

OCTOBER

Wed, Oct 1 – Parent Ed. Workshop | 6:30-7:45 PM | EDC

Oct 6-9 – 6th Grade Science Camp (No School for 6th Grade)

Oct 6-12 – 7th & 8th Grade East Coast Trip (No School for 7th & 8th Grade)

Fri, Oct 17 – **Gr. 6-8 End of Q1**

Sat, Oct 18 – Open House | 10:00 AM | 4th & 5th Grade Families & Prospective Families

Oct 23-24 – Teacher-Parent Conferences | **No School** | **EDC Available on Oct 23 Only**

Fri, Oct 24 – **Gr. 6-8 Q1 Report Cards Emailed Home**

Fri, Oct 24 – **PAWS & Bridges Community Church Fall Family Fun Night**

NOVEMBER

Wed, Nov 5 – 5th Grade Shadow Day in Gr. 6-8
Thurs, Nov 6 – Gr. 6-8 Information Event (Breakfast with Parents)
Fri, Nov 7 – [TK-5 End of T1](#)
Tue, Nov 11 – Veterans' Day All-School Chapel (TK-8) | 2:00-2:40 PM
Wed, Nov 12 – 5th LSP Shadow Day in Gr. 6-8 | [Donuts with Dad - PAWS Sponsored Event](#)
Fri, Nov 14 – [TK-5 T1 Report Cards Emailed Home](#) |
Fri, Nov 21 – [Gr. 6-8 Q1 Report Cards Emailed Home](#)
Thurs, Nov 20 – Fall Picture Day (Make-Up Session)
Mon, Nov 24 – Professional Development Day | **No School** | **TK-8**
Nov 24-28 – **Thanksgiving Break**

DECEMBER

Fri, Dec 5 – TK & Kindergarten Information Event | 9:30-11:00 AM
Sun, Dec 7 – Cocoa, Cookies & Carols | 5:00-6:30 PM | BCC Sponsored Event
Fri, Dec 12 – [PAWS Sponsored Staff & Faculty Luncheon & PAWS Sponsored Dine Out](#)
Wed, Dec 17 – Ugly Christmas Sweater Day
Fri, Dec 19 – LACS Christmas Chapel (TK-8) | **Noon Dismissal** | EDC Available
Dec 22 - Jan 5 – **Christmas Break**

JANUARY

Mon, Jan 5 – Professional Development Day | **No School (TK-8)** | **EDC Available**
Tue, Jan 6 – School Resumes
Fri, Jan 16 – Fri, Jan 23 – [TK-5 T2 Progress Reports](#) | [Gr. 6-8 End of Q2](#)
Fri, Jan 16 – Fri, Jan 23 – TK & Kindergarten Information Event | 9:30-11:00 AM
Mon, Jan 19 – **Martin Luther King Jr. Day** | **No School**
Jan 20-23 – Spirit Week (TK-8)
Fri, Jan 23 – [Gr. 6-8 Q2 Report Cards Emailed Home](#)
Jan 13-Feb 28 – 25-26 School Year Opt-Out Period

FEBRUARY

Wed, Feb 4 – Parent Night | 6:00-7:30 PM
Wed, Feb 11 – ["Mom & Me" Valentine Party](#) | 7:45-8:30 AM | [PAWS Sponsored](#)
Fri, Feb 13 – BCC Night to Shine | No EDC | **1:30 PM Dismissal**
Fri, Feb 13 – Gr. 6-8 Q3 Progress Reports
Feb 16-20 – **Presidents' Week/Ski Week** | **No School**
Fri, Feb 27 – [TK-5 End of T2](#)

MARCH

Mon, Mar 2 – Spring Picture Day

Fri, Mar 6 – [TK-5 T1 Report Cards Emailed Home](#) | [Gr. 6-8: Q3 Progress Reports](#)

Thurs, Mar 12 – Middle School game Night | 6:00-8:00 PM

Fri, Mar 13 – Professional Development Day | **No School EDC Available**

Mar 16-20 – Scholastic Book Fair | Gym

Fri, Mar 20 – [Gr. 6-8 - End of 3rd Quarter](#)

Fri, Mar 21 – Father Daughter & Mother Son Events

Fri, Mar 27 – [Gr. 6-8 Q2 Report Cards Emailed Home](#)

Fri, Mar 27 – Spring Musical | TK-8 | Noon Dismissal - EDC Available | [Coffee Social](#) | 7:45 - 8:45 AM

March 30-April 2 – Spiritual Emphasis Week

APRIL

Fri, April 3 – **Good Friday Observance** | **No School – No EDC**

April 6-10 – **Easter Break -No School**

Fri, April 24 – Fun Run Fundraiser & [PAWS Spring Community Event](#)

Fri, April 24 – [TK-5: T3 Progress Reports](#), [Grades 6-8: Q4 Progress Reports](#)

Wed, April 29 – Science & Art Fair | 6:00-7:30 PM

MAY

May 1- 2 – BCC - Mobile Pack

May 4-8 – [PAWS Sponsored Teacher Appreciation Week](#)

Fri, May 8 – [PAWS Sponsored Staff & Faculty Luncheon](#) & [PAWS Sponsored Dine Out](#)

May 11-15 – IOWA Standardized Testing | K-8

Wed, May 20 – Sports Awards & Dinner Night | LACS Athletes ONLY, 6:00-8:00 PM

Wed, May 20 – House Color Day & Field Day | 11:30 AM-2:00 PM

Mon, May 25 – **Memorial Day - No School**

Tues, May 26 – LACS Awards Ceremony | 9:00 AM

Fri, May 29 – LSP IEP Conferences | **No School for 1-5 LSP students**

Fri, May 29 – [TK-5: End of 3rd Trimester](#), [Grades 6-8: End of 4th Quarter](#)

JUNE

Mon, June 1 – Lions Day Out (Grades 6-8 Field Trip)

Tues, June 2 – 5th Grade Promotion (9:00 AM – Worship Center)

Tues, June 2 – 8th Grade Graduation (5:00 PM – Worship Center / Last Day of School for 8th Grade)

Wed, June 3 – Kindergarten Graduation (9:00 AM – Worship Center)

Thurs, June 4 – Last Day of School / Talent Show | Noon Dismissal – EDC Available, [Report Cards Emailed](#)

Thurs, June 4 – [End-of-Year Ice Cream Treat](#) | [PAWS Sponsored Event](#)