

Alexandria City Public Schools  
**2008-2009 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

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**ALEXANDRIA CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**2008-09 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

[Approved 03/06/2008]

<p><b>August 2008</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">August 4-15  Monday-Friday, August 18-22  Monday, August 25  Monday-Tuesday, August 25-26  Wednesday-Thursday, August 27-28  Friday, August 29</p>	<p>K-Prep Program  New Hires' Orientation  First Teacher Day  Teacher Work Days  Development Days  Teacher Work Day (Half Day)</p>
<p><b>September 2008</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday, September 1  Tuesday, September 2</p>	<p>Labor Day – Student/Staff Holiday  First Student Day</p>
<p><b>October 2008</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday, October 13  Thursday-Friday, October 16-17</p>	<p>Columbus Day – Student/Staff Holiday  Secondary Early Release/Parent Conferences</p>
<p><b>November 2008</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday, November 4  Tuesday, November 11  Thursday-Friday, November 13-14  Thursday-Friday, November 20-21  Wednesday, November 26  Thursday-Friday, November 27-28</p>	<p>Student Holiday; Teacher Work Day  Veterans' Day – Student/Staff Holiday  Elementary School Early Release Days  Elementary School Parent Conference Days  Middle School Early Release Days  Middle School Parent Conference Days  Student Holiday; Staff Development Day  Thanksgiving Break – Student/Staff Holiday</p>
<p><b>December 2008</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">December 22-31</p>	<p>Winter Break – Student/Staff Holiday</p>
<p><b>January 2009</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thursday-Friday, January 1-2  Monday, January 19  Tuesday, January 20  Friday, January 30</p>	<p>Winter Break – Student/Staff Holiday  Martin L. King, Jr. Day – Student/Staff Holiday  Inauguration Day – Student/Staff Holiday  Student Holiday; Teacher Work Day</p>

<p><b>February 2009</b></p> <p>Thursday-Friday, February 5-6 Wednesday-Thursday, February 11-12</p> <p>Thursday-Friday, February 12-13</p> <p>Monday, February 16</p>	<p>Middle School Early Release/ Parent Conferences Secondary Early Release/Parent Conferences</p> <p>Elementary Early Release/Parent Conferences</p> <p>Presidents' Day – Student/Staff Holiday</p>
<p><b>March 2009</b></p> <p>Friday, March 13</p>	<p>Student/Staff Holiday [Make-Up Day #1]</p>
<p><b>April 2009</b></p> <p>Monday-Friday, April 6-10 Friday, April 17</p>	<p>Spring Break – Student/Staff Holiday Student Holiday; Teacher Work Day</p>
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<p><b>June 2009</b></p> <p>Friday-Wednesday, June 19-24 Wednesday, June 24 Thursday, June 25</p>	<p>Early Release Days – All Schools Last Student Day; Early Release Day – All Schools Last Teacher Work Day (half day)</p>
<p><b>July 2009</b></p> <p>Monday, July 6 Friday, July 31</p>	<p>First Day of Elementary, Middle School, and Secondary Summer School Programs Last Day of Elementary Summer School</p>
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