

HARRIS COUNTY SCHOOLS
2008-2009 Calendar

Preplanning	AUG 1, 4, 5
Classes Begin for Students	AUG 6
Labor Day Holiday	SEPT 1
End of 1st 20 days	SEPT 3
Progress Reports Released	SEPT 12
Early Release- Prof Learning	SEPT 17
End of 2nd 20 days	OCT 1
End of 1st 9 weeks	OCT 8
In-service/Staff Development	OCT 13
Report Cards Released	OCT 17
Fall Break	OCT 20-21
Classes Reopen	OCT 22
End of 3rd 20 days	NOV 3
Early Release- Prof Learning	NOV 10
Progress Reports Released	NOV 14
Thanksgiving Holidays	NOV 26-28
Classes Reopen	DEC 1
End of 4th 20 days	DEC 4
End of 1st Semester	DEC 18
In-service/Teacher Workday	DEC 19
Christmas Holidays- Students	DEC 19 – JAN 5
Christmas Holidays- Staff	DEC 22 – JAN 2
In-service/ Staff Development	JAN 5
Classes Reopen	JAN 6
Report Cards Released	JAN 9
End of 5th 20 Days	JAN 20
Martin Luther King Holiday	JAN 19
Progress Reports Released	FEB 6
Early Release- Prof Learning	FEB 11
Winter Break *	FEB 16-17*
End of 6th 20 Days	FEB 19
End of 3rd 9 Weeks	MAR 12
In-Service/ Staff Development	MAR 16
Report Cards Released	MAR 20
End of 7th 20 Days	MAR 20
Spring Break	APR 6 - 10
Progress Reports Released	APR 22
End of 8th 20 Days	APR 24
Last Day of Classes	MAY 22
Graduation	MAY 23
Memorial Day Holiday	MAY 25
Post-Planning	MAY 26-28
Report Cards Mailed	MAY 29

*Note: Emergency Closing days (up to two) will be made up at this time. If more than two days are missed due to emergency closing, revision of the calendar by local board action will be necessary.