Watauga High 2026–2027

School Calendar

2026

July

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

August

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

11 — Other published dates
17 — First / last day & end of quarter

September

M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

7 — All schools closed — holiday
23 — Break for students & eligible staff

October

M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

16 — First / last day & end of quarter
19 — Other published dates
28 — Early dismissal

November

M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

11 — All schools closed — holiday
25 — Other published dates
26 — Early dismissal

December

M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

18 — First / last day & end of quarter
21 — Break for students & eligible staff

2027

January

M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

1 — All schools closed — holiday
4 — Other published dates
18 — Early dismissal

February

M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26

24 — Other published dates

March

M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

19 — First / last day & end of quarter
29 — Break for students & eligible staff
30 — Break for students & eligible staff
31 — Break for students & eligible staff

April

M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

1 — Break for students & eligible staff
2 — Break for students & eligible staff

May

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

25 — First / last day & end of quarter
26 — Other published dates
31 — All schools closed — holiday

June

M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

- First / last day & end of quarter
- Break for students & eligible staff
- Other published dates
- All schools closed — holiday
- Early dismissal

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Dates published by Watauga County Schools, retrieved 2026-09-08. Districts revise calendars; confirm with the district before making plans.

School Calendar

Watauga County, North Carolina

First / last day of school
First day — Aug 17
Last day — May 25

All schools closed — holiday
Sep 7 — Labor Day Holiday
Nov 11 — Veterans Day Holiday
Nov 26 — Thanksgiving Holidays
Jan 1 — New Year's Day Holiday
Jan 18 — Optional Work Day / Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
May 31 — Memorial Day Holiday

Break for students & eligible staff
Dec 21 — Winter Break (Annual Leave & Christmas)
Mar 29 – Apr 2 — Spring Break
Apr 1 — Annual Leave (Spring Break cont.)

Early dismissal
Sep 23 — Early Release / Professional Development Day
Oct 28 — Early Release / Parent Conferences
Dec 18 — Early Release / End of First Semester
Feb 24 — Early Release / Professional Development Day

Other published dates
Aug 11 — Mandatory Work Days
Oct 19 — Optional Work Day
Nov 25 — Optional Work Day
May 26 — Mandatory/Optional Work Days

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