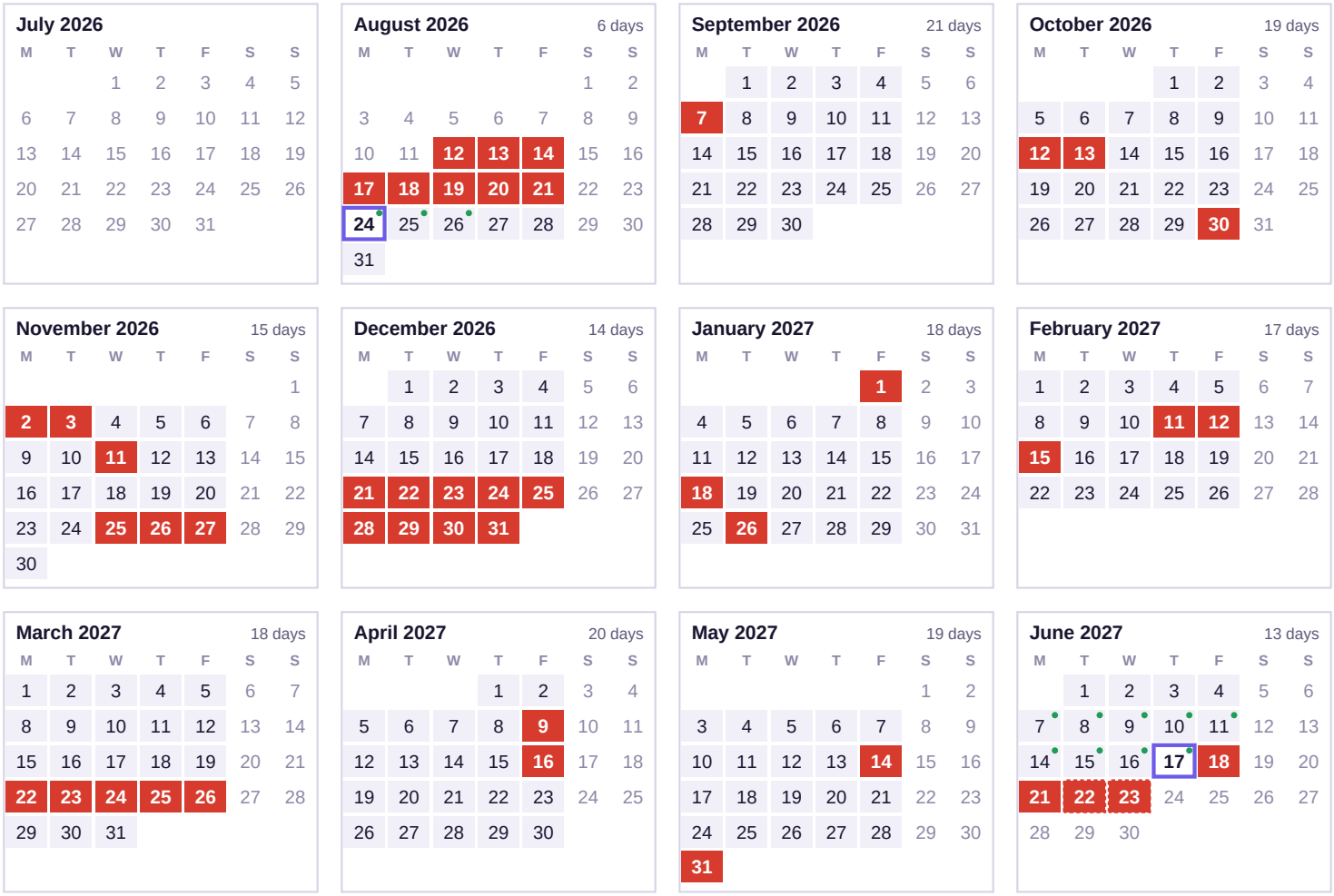
District of Columbia Public Schools

School calendar 2026–27 · Washington, District of Columbia

First day	Last day	School days	Weekdays off
Monday, August 24, 2026	**Thursday, June 17, 2027**	**180** matches the district's total	**34** longest: Winter break



School day · No school · First / last day · Learning from home · Early release · Late start · Possible make-up day · Only some grades

Days off and schedule changes

Mon Aug 24–26	No school · Pre-K only: First Day of School for Pre-K Stude…
Mon Sep 7	No school: Labor Day
Mon Oct 12	No school: Indigenous Peoples' Day / Columbus Day
Tue Oct 13	No school: PTC - Parent Teacher Conference Day - No sch…
Fri Oct 30	No school: PD for Staff / No School for Students
Mon Nov 2	No school: R/W - Half-Day Records & Half-Day Wellness /…
Tue Nov 3	No school: *** No School for Students or Teachers
Wed Nov 11	No school: Veterans Day
Wed Nov 25	No school: *** No School for Students or Teachers
Thu Nov 26	No school: Thanksgiving
Fri Nov 27	No school: *** No School for Students or Teachers
Mon Dec 21	No school: PD for Staff / No School for Students
Tue Dec 22–24	No school: *** No School for Students or Teachers
Fri Dec 25	No school: Christmas Day
Mon Dec 28–31	No school: *** No School for Students or Teachers
Fri Jan 1	No school: New Year's Day
Mon Jan 18	No school: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Tue Jan 26	No school: R/PD - Half-Day Records & Half-Day PD / No S…
Thu Feb 11	No school: PTC - Parent Teacher Conference Day - No sch…
Fri Feb 12	No school: PD for Staff / No School for Students
Mon Feb 15	No school: Presidents' Day
Mon Mar 22–26	No school: *** No School for Students or Teachers
Fri Apr 9	No school: R/W - Half-Day Records & Half-Day Wellness /…
Fri Apr 16	No school: HOL - Holiday for Students, Teachers, and Staff
Fri May 14	No school: ***(W) Wellness Day / No School for Students or…
Mon May 31	No school: Memorial Day
Mon Jun 7–17	No school · grade 12 only: LS - Last Day for Seniors is June 4

Source: District of Columbia Public Schools's official 2026-2027 calendar, https://dcps.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/dcps/publication/attachments/SY%2026-27%20Calendar_English_06…
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