Polk County Public Schools

School calendar 2027–28 · Bartow, Florida

First day	Last day	School days	Weekdays off
Tuesday, August 10, 2027	**Thursday, May 25, 2028**	**180** matches the district's total	**28** longest: Winter break



Days off and schedule changes

Fri Sep 3	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 1 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Mon Sep 6	No school: Labor Day
Thu Oct 14	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 2 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Fri Oct 15	No school: No School for Students / Teacher Staff Develop…
Fri Oct 29	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 3 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Thu Nov 11	No school: Veterans Day
Fri Nov 19	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 4 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Mon Nov 22–23	No school · possible make-up day: Storm Make-Up Days as…
Wed Nov 24–26	No school: Thanksgiving break
Fri Dec 17	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 5 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Mon Dec 20 – Jan 2	No school: Winter break
Mon Jan 3	No school: No School for Students / Teacher Workday
Tue Jan 4	No school · possible make-up day: No School for Students /…
Fri Jan 14	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 6 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Mon Jan 17	No school: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Fri Feb 18	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 7 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Mon Feb 21	No school: Presidents' Day
Fri Mar 10	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 8 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Mon Mar 13–17	No school: Spring Break Week - No School
Thu Apr 13	Early release: Student Early Dismissal 9 of 10 (Teacher Pla…
Fri Apr 14	No school: No School for Students, Teachers and Paraeduc…
Thu May 25	Early release · may change if make-up days are needed: St…

Source: Polk County Public Schools's official 2027-2028 calendar, https://www.polkschoolsfl.com/UserFiles/Servers/Server_3007318/File/Community/Calendars/POLK%20English%202027…
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