



VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

2026-27 CALENDAR

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AUGUST

- 9 Back to School Work Night 4 pm
- 10 Pre-Season Football & Volleyball Begin
- 11-14 Teacher In-service
- 14 TK & Kindergarten Welcome 10:30 am
- 14 7th Grade Orientation 12:30 pm
- 14 New Secondary Student Orientation 2 pm
- 17 Back to School Open House 6 pm
- 17 Fall Athletics Parents Meeting 7 pm
- 18 **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Family Foundations 7 pm
- 2 First Baptist Church AWANA Begins
- 2-4 Secondary Spiritual Emphasis (TBD)
- 7 Labor Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 11 **Lionfest** 4 pm Before FB Game
- 15-18 Spirit Week (TBD)
- 15 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check
- 16 Elementary Progress Reports
- 17-30 EBRM Clothing Drive
- 19 Volleyball Tournament
- 22 Senior Lunch
- 25 GSACS MUSIC FESTIVAL
- 29 Sr Parent Meeting 7 pm Youth Room
- 30 TK-6 School Pictures

OCTOBER

- 1 7-12 School Pictures
- 5 PSAT for 11th Grade
- 6 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check
- 7 **MINIMUM DAY**
- 8-9 GSACS Teacher Convention **NO SCHOOL**
- 16 End of 1st Quarter
- 23 Picture Retake Day
- 29 **American Heritage Day MINIMUM DAY**
- 29 Parent Teacher Conferences
- 30 Parent Teacher Conferences & Teacher In-service **NO SCHOOL**

NOVEMBER

- 3 Winter Athletics Parents Meeting 6 pm
- 4-17 VCA Turkey Drive
- 10 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check
- 11 Veterans Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 11-14 BJU College Trip
- 18 Secondary Fine Arts Concert 6 pm (TBD)
- 18 Elementary Progress Reports
- 20 Thanksgiving Chapel 9:30 am
- 23-27 Thanksgiving Vacation **NO SCHOOL**

DECEMBER

- 1 Fall Sports Awards Chapel 9:30 am
- 8 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check
- 11 HoopFest
- 16 Elementary Christmas Program 6 pm
- 16-18 Secondary Final Exams
- 17 Elementary Christmas Program 6 pm
- 18 **End of Semester MINIMUM DAY**
- 21-31 Christmas Vacation **NO SCHOOL**

JANUARY

- 1-4 Christmas Vacation **NO SCHOOL**
- 4 Teacher Inservice **NO SCHOOL**
- 5 **SCHOOL RESUMES**
- 5-8 Secondary Spiritual Emphasis Week
- 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 26 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check

FEBRUARY

- 2 Spring Athletics Parents Meeting 6 pm
- 3 Elementary Progress Reports
- 12 Lincoln's Birthday Observed **NO SCHOOL**
- 15 President's Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 16 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check

MARCH

- 2 GSACS Chapel 9:30 am
- 3 Youth Rally 6 pm
- 4-5 Secondary GSACS COMPETITION (attend. req)
- 4-5 **NO SCHOOL TK-6TH ONLY**
- 9 Winter Sports Awards Chapel 9:30 am
- 11 TK & Kindergarten Preview Day 9 am
- 12 End of Third Quarter & Teacher Inservice **MINIMUM DAY**
- 18 Parent Teacher Conferences 3:30 pm
- 22-25 7-12 IOWA Achievement Testing
- 23 Easter Chapel 9:30 am
- 25 **Race for Education**
- 26 Good Friday **NO SCHOOL**
- 29-31 Easter Vacation **NO SCHOOL**
- Senior Trip—TBD

APRIL

- 1-2 Easter Vacation **NO SCHOOL**
- 8-9 8th Grade Trip
- 12-16 K-6 IOWA Achievement Testing
- 13 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check
- 21 Elementary Progress Reports
- 21-23 6th Grade Trip Ironwood Camp
- 27 Spring Play 1 pm & 7 pm
- 30 Jr High Shindig 5:30 pm

MAY

- 1 Sr High Banquet 5:30 pm
- 4 7-12 Progress Reports/Eligibility Check
- 6 **Open House S.T.E.A.M. Night** 6 pm
- 7 Elementary Ball & Wheel Day **MINIMUM DAY**
- 7-11 AP Exams
- 11 Senior Lunch
- 11 Spring Concert 6 pm
- 18 Spring Sports Awards Chapel 9:30 am
- 21 Kindergarten Graduation 7 pm
- 24-26 Final Exams (MINIMUM DAY 7-12 only)
- 25 Elementary Yearbook Assembly
- 26 Elementary Park Day
- 27 Secondary Awards Chapel 9 am
- 27 Secondary Picnic 10 am
- 27 Elementary Awards Chapel 10:30 am
- 27 **Last Day of School MINIMUM DAY**
- 27 6th & 8th Grade Graduation 7 pm
- 28 Teacher Inservice
- 28 12th Grade Graduation 7 pm
- 31 Memorial Day **Offices Closed**

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Non-school day
 Minimum Day—dismissal at 12 noon

AUGUST

2027-28 SCHOOL BEGINS