

**FLORIDA CONFERENCE OFFICE OF EDUCATION
2020-2021 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

2020

First Semester

May 25	Memorial Day Holiday
May 26	Learning A-Z Orders Due to COE
May 31	Continuing Education Units - CEU Forms for non-academic credit Due to COE
May 31	School Calendar Change Request Forms Due to COE
June 1-12	Summer Training: Math Intensive Training (Jun 1-12), Innovation K-12 Workshop (Jun 1-5, 7-9) Academic Credits (3)
June 5-7	Principal Boot Camp – Part 1 (Florida Conf. Office)
July 1	Employment Year Begins
July 1	Locally-funded Teacher Applications DUE to COE (Required for ALL Locally-funded Teaching Employees)
July 3	Independence Day Holiday
July 16-17	Principal Boot Camp – Part 2 (Florida Conf. Office)
July 20-22	Secondary Encounter Bible Curriculum Teacher Training for Grades 9-12 (Southern Union Office, Norcross, GA)
July 26-30	New Employee Orientation* (Florida Conf. Office) *Also for <u>Current</u> teachers who missed orientation or changed grade levels
August	Registration – <u>Student-teacher interaction & 4-hour duration required</u> if counting as a school day (Date TBD by local school)
August 1	Remaining Continuing Education Units - CEU Forms for non-academic credit Due to COE
August 3	Teachers Report for Duty
August 3	Employee and School Directory Information Reply Deadline (by Email to COE)
August 3-7	School Preparation Days
August 4	Clever/Rostering for NEW teachers, ALL Data Managers and Administrators Training Webinar
August 10	First Day of School
August 17	Writing Practice Program (WPP) Orders Due to COE
August 24-28	Lexia/Reading Plus Assessment, Running Records, Math Placement, Writing Sample
August 24-28	DIBELS Beginning-of-Year Administration (Grades K-2) (schools starting Aug 10 & 17)
August 31-Sep 11	DIBELS Beginning-of-Year Administration (Grades K-2) (schools starting Aug 24 & 31)
August 27	Principals' Advisory #1 – All Principals/Head Teachers – (Florida Conf. Office)
August 31	New Teacher Mentor Meetings/Webinar #1 Begins (August 31-September 4)
September 1	New Teachers Grade 3-8 Reading-Plus Webinar Required Training
September 3	New Teachers Grade K-3 Lexia Core5 Webinar Required Training
September 3	OPENING REPORT DEADLINE: All information MUST be updated in FACTS SIS & Dashboard - NO Errors
September 7	Labor Day Holiday – No School
September 8	All Teachers Grades K-8 Big Ideas Webinar Required Training
September 10	New Teachers Grades K-8 DreamBox Webinar Required Training
September 14-18	MAP Assessment Administration #1(Grades 3-10) - Fall (Test week Sep 14-18; Make-up week Sep 21-25)
September 17-19	Southern Union Student Leadership Conference – Academies only/Grades 9-12 (Nosoca Pines, SC)
September 21	Professional Development/Study Group Day #1 – Half-day (Noon Dismissal)
September 28	New Teacher Mentor Meetings/Webinar #2 Begins (Sep 28-Oct 2)
September 30	DIBELS Data Entry Cut-off for schools starting Aug 10, 17, 24, & 31
October 9	End of First Grading Period (44 Days)
October 11	Florida Conference Constituency Meeting
October 12	Fall Break – No School
October	Required Parent-Teacher Conferences (Date TBD Locally) – Discuss MAP & other Assessment Scores with Parents
October 13	Early Childhood Education Mtg. – All pre-kindergarten teachers please plan to attend (Southeastern Conf.)
October 14	Florida Early Childhood Advisory (FLECA) (Florida Conf. Office)
October 16	Revised School Budgets Due
October 19	Professional Development/Study Group Day #2 – Half-day (Noon Dismissal)
October 21	Board of Education #1 (Florida Conf. Office)
October 26	New Teacher Mentor Meetings/Webinar #3 Begins (Oct 26-Oct 30)
October 28	Special Needs Coordinators' Training (Florida Conf. Office)
October 29	Principals' Advisory #2 – All Principals/Head Teachers – (Florida Conf. Office)
November	Adventist Education Week (Date TBD at Your Local School)
November 23-27	Thanksgiving Vacation
November 30	Professional Development/Study Group Day #3 – Half-day (Noon Dismissal)
November 30	DIBELS Mid-year Administration/Interim Writing Sample (Test Nov 30-Dec 11; Data Entry cut-off week Dec 14-17)
December 3	Principals' Advisory #3 – NEW Principals ONLY – (Florida Conf. Office)
December 7-11	MAP Assessment Administration #2 (Grades 3-10) - Winter (Test week Dec 7-11; Make-up week Dec 14-18)
December 18	Noon Dismissal /End of Second Grading Period (44 Days)
Dec. 21- Jan. 1	Christmas/New Year's Vacation (Conference Office Closed Dec. 24-Jan.1)

Calendar for year 2020 (United States)

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Second Semester

January 4	School Preparation/Hurricane make-up school days
January 5	Second Semester Begins
January ____	Required Parent-Teacher Conferences (Date TBD Locally) – Discuss MAP & other Assessment Scores with Parents
January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday – No School
January 20-23	Southern Union Prayer Conference – Academies only/Grades 9-12 (Camp Kulaqua)
January 25	New Teacher Mentor Meetings/Webinar #4 Begins (Jan 25-Jan 29)
January 25-26	Jr. Academy Principals' In-service (Southern Union Office, Norcross, GA)
January 27	Special Needs Coordinators' Meeting #2
February 1-3	COE Administrative Assistants' Meetings (Southern Union Office, Norcross, GA)
February 7	Treasurers/Board Chairs/ Principals Meeting (Florida Conf. Office)
February 11	Principals' Advisory #4 – All Principals/Head Teachers (Florida Conf. Office)
February 15	President's Day Holiday – No School / OR Hurricane Make-up Day, if necessary
February 16-19	Outdoor Education Week #1 (Camp Kulaqua)
February 22	New Teacher Mentor Meetings/Webinar #5 Begins (Feb 22-Feb 26)
February 22-25	Outdoor Education Week #2 (Camp Kulaqua)
March 1	Professional Development/Study Group Day #4 – Half-day (Noon Dismissal)
March 2	Principals' Advisory #5 – NEW Principals/Head Teachers – (Florida Conf. Office)
March 8-10	WrAP Testing (Writing Assessment Program) – Grades 3-8 / Final Writing Sample* (Make-up days Mar 11-Mar 12) *PRINCIPALS: MAIL your Completed, Checked, and Corrected WrAP Tests to the Conference by MARCH 12 .
March 10	Board of Education #2 (Florida Conf. Office)
March 12	Proposed School Budgets Due
March 12	End of Third Grading Period (47 Days)
March 15-19	Spring Break
March 22	School Resumes
March 23	Early Childhood Education Mtg. – All pre-kindergarten teachers please plan to attend (Florida Conf. Office)
March 24	Florida Early Childhood Advisory (FLECA) (Florida Conf. Office)
March ____	Required Parent-Teacher Conferences (Date TBD Locally) – Discuss MAP & other Assessment Scores with Parents
March 27-28	Florida Conference Innovation & Robotics Competition (Forest Lake Academy)
March 29	New Teacher Mentor Meetings/Webinar #6 Begins (Mar 29-Apr 2)
March 31	Annual Progress Reports Due to Office of Education-ALL SCHOOLS (except schools under accreditation for the current school year)
April 2	Easter Break – No School
April 7-10	Festival of the Arts, Grades 6-12 (Forest Lake Academy Campus)
April 7	Special Needs Coordinators' Training (Florida Conf. Office)
April 8	Principals' Advisory #6 – All Principals/Head Teachers (Florida Conf. Office)
April 12	Professional Development/Study Group Day #5 – Half-day (Noon Dismissal)
April TBD	English Camp Meeting
April TBD	Spanish Camp Meeting
May 2	NAD Robotics Tournament
May 3-7	DIBELS End-of-Year Administration (Grades K-2)
May 3-7	MAP Assessment Administration #3 (Grades 3-10) - End-of-Year Benchmark (Test week May 3-7; Make-up week May 10-14)
May 5	Board of Education #3 (Florida Conf. Office)
May 10	Professional Development/Study Group Day #6 – Half-day (Noon Dismissal)
May 19	DIBELS Data Entry Cut-off
May 21	Last Day of School/ End of Fourth Grading Period (44 days)
May 21	NTCA Graduation - Please do not schedule elementary graduations on this date
May 21-22	FLA Graduation - Please do not schedule elementary graduations on this date
May 21-22	GMAA Graduation - Please do not schedule elementary graduations on this date.
May 24-28	Post School Work Days
May 26	FACTS SIS ENTRY DEADLINE: ALL Grades, Attendance, & Documentation MUST be Entered by this Date
May 31	Memorial Day Holiday
June 30	Employment Year Ends

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<p>Summary of School Days by Grading Periods</p> <p>44 days - 1st Grading Period – Aug 10 - Oct 9</p> <p>44 days - 2nd Grading Period – Oct 13 - Dec 18</p> <p>47 days - 3rd Grading Period – Jan 7 - Mar 19</p> <p>44 days - 4th Grading Period – Mar 22 - May 21</p> <p>179 Days Total* (Submit Change Request Form to make any adjustments.)</p>	<p>Allowable Days (Attendance MUST be taken to count as school days.)</p> <p>>Picnic/School Fair (one per semester) 2 days</p> <p>>Ingathering Field Day 1 day</p> <p>>Parent/Teacher Conferences 3 half-days</p> <p>>Registration day <u>may</u> be counted as a school day if student contact and duration requirements are followed. (SU code 1233)</p> <p>>The <u>only</u> allowed half-days are as shown, unless by change request.</p>
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*Any local change in this calendar must be approved by the Conference Office of Education. Submit Request Form.

- Notes:
- Please notify the Conference Office of Education in the event of an emergency closing.
 - Teacher In-services, Conventions, & Full-day Professional Development/Study Group Days are **NOT** counted as school days.
 - **Use Monday holidays as hurricane make-up days, if necessary.**