



2017-2018
SCHOOL CALENDAR

Educating & equipping students to change the world for God's glory.

2017-2018 Abbreviated School Calendar

July 3 - 7	GHSA "Dead Week"
August 2 - 4	New Teacher Orientation
August 7 - 9	Faculty Pre-Planning
August 10	First Day of School (Half-Day)
September 4	Labor Day (Offices Closed)
October 9	Columbus Day (Offices Closed)
October 10	Faculty In-Service Day
November 20 - 24	Thanksgiving Holidays
December 14, 15, 18, 19	Semester Exams, Grades 6-12
December 18 - January 3	Christmas Holidays for Grades 3K - 5
December 20 - January 3	Christmas Holidays for Grades 6 - 12
January 3	Faculty In-Service Day
January 4	Students Return
January 8	2nd Semester Begins
January 15	Martin Luther King Day (Offices Closed)
February 19 - 20	Presidents' Day (Offices Closed)
March 26 - 30	Spring Break
March 30	Good Friday (Offices Closed)
May 13	Baccalaureate
May 18	Senior Honors Night
May 19	Commencement
May 17, 18, 21, 22	Final Exams, Grades 6-11
May 22	Last Day of School
May 23 - 24	Faculty Post-Planning
May 28	Memorial Day (Offices Closed)

School Hours

3K, PreK, Kindergarten Half Day Program	8:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
PreK, Kindergarten Full Day Program	8:15 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Kindergarten	8:15 a.m.* - 3:00 p.m. (Early Dismissal 12:00 p.m.)
Lower School	8:15 a.m.* - 3:00 p.m. (Early Dismissal 12:00 p.m.)
Middle and Upper Schools	8:15 a.m.* - 3:10 p.m. (Early Dismissal 12:15 p.m.)

*Late start Wednesday begin 8/16/17 8:50 a.m.

Every Wednesday beginning 8/16 all students report to campus at 8:50 a.m. unless otherwise announced.

Viking Store Hours

School Days	7:45 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Summer Hours	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Wednesdays

Viking Breakfast Club (Middlebrooks Athletic Center)

Every Late Start Wednesday - 7:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.
Everyone invited to dine on a selection of à la carte breakfast items including made-to-order omelettes!

How to Receive Calendar Updates:

Sometimes the calendar changes after print. Below is a list of ways to receive notices about new events and calendar changes.

- **Website Newsfeed & Calendar** - Our website www.fpdmacon.org has updates on campus events and activities. For sports-related calendar information visit www.fpdvikings.com.
- **Facebook** - www.facebook.com/FPDMAcon, /FPDAthletics, /FPDFineArts and /FPDALumni.
- **Twitter** - @FPDVikingSports and @FPDSMacon
- **E-Newsletter** - This biweekly newsletter keeps our families informed about upcoming events and special stories. If you do not receive our e-newsletter, please contact Beth Burnsed at beth.burnsed@fpdmacon.org to confirm

Campus News
www.fpdmacon.org

Athletic News
www.fpdvikings.com





August 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 MS/HS New Student Orientation 10:30 am - 12:30 pm	2 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am-2 pm	3	4	5 VB @ Lee County
			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> New Teacher Orientation </div>			
6	7 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am-2 pm	8	9 1st-5th Grades Meet & Greet 1:30 pm-3 pm Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am-2 pm SB @ NSHS	10 3K, Pre-K & K Meet & Greet 8:30 am	11 Lunch program begins FB vs. Howard (scrimmage)	12 SB vs. RHS SB vs. PHS
	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> Faculty Pre-Planning </div>			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> First Day of School Early Dismissal </div>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> VB @ Cherokee Cty. Tournament </div>	
13	14 Senior Parent College Meeting 7pm SB @ Schley Cty.	15 VB @ WRHS	16 Late Start Begins Wednesdays 8:50 am SB vs. WLHS	17 VB Tri Match HOME	18 Back to School Bash	19
20	21 MS/HS Parent Open House 6:30 pm	22 SB @ VHS VB Tri Match HOME	23	24 SB @ MDS VB @ Ola	25	26 SAT FB vs. Central @ Mercer All In Tailgate Party CC @ Wesleyan
27	28 Elementary Parent Open House (3k-5th) 6:30pm VB Tri Match HOME Board Meeting 5pm	29 VB Tri Match HOME CC @ SA	30	31 SB vs. TSA	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> Parents, please attend our Back to School Open Houses! </div>	



September 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: 80%;"> <p><i>Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. Philippians 4:6</i></p> </div>						
					1 FB vs. Brookstone	2 CC @ Berry College
3	4 Labor Day Offices Closed	5 SB vs. SA	6 SB @ CCHS	7 SB @ WCHS VB @ ELCA	8 FB @ Hawkinsville	9 ACT SB @ Calvary Day VB @ SCDS Tournament
10	11 Red Cross Blood Drive Fine Arts Lobby	12 School Pictures Grades 6 th -11 th SB vs. MDS VB @ MDS CC @ WR Invite	13 Mid QTR Grades Online SB vs. Schley	14 School Pictures Grades 3K-5 th VB @ Locust Grove	15 New Family Dinner 6:30 FB vs. Warren Cty.	16
17	18 Family Night	19 SB @ TSA VB Tri Match @ TSA	20 CC FPD Invite	21 SB @ SA	22	23
24	25 SB @ WLHS	26 SB vs. WCHS VB vs. SA	27 SB @ RHS	28 SB vs. VHS VB @ PHS CC @ Bleckley Cty. Invite	29 Homecoming FB vs. TCHS	30
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: 60%;"> <p>Elementary Play – 26th (7pm); 27th (1pm); 28th (7pm)</p> </div>						



October 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 SB Region Tournament	3 VB @ WLHS	4	5 SB Region Finals	6 FB @ WCHS CC @ Disney Invite	7 SAT VB Region Tournament
8	9 Columbus Day Offices Closed	10 Student Holiday Faculty In Service Day	11 CC @ MDS VB State 1 st Round	12	13 End of Qtr. 1 FB @ SA SB State 1 st Round	14
15	16	17 Fall Band Concert 7pm	18 QTR 1 Grades Online SB State 2 nd Round	19	20 FB @ TSA	21 VB State Qtr. Finals
22	23	24 Fall Festival Early Dismissal 3K-12 Parent Conf. 6-8pm Grades 3K-12.	25 NO LATE START Early Dismissal 3K-12 Parent Conf. 1-4pm Grades 3K-12. VB State Semifinals	26 SB State Semifinals	27 FB vs. MDS Senior Night	28 ACT SB State Finals VB State Finals CC Region
29	30 Board Meeting 5pm	31	<i>For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son that whosoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16</i>			



November 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever. Psalm 107:1</i> HAPPY THANKSGIVING!</p>			1	2	3 FB Region 7 Crossover Game GHSA CC State Meet	4 SAT Cheerleading Region GHSA CC State Meet
			<p>6th Grade Trip to Rock Eagle 8th Grade Trip to Orlando</p>			
5	6	7	8	9	10 FB 1 st Round Playoffs Cheerleading Finals	11
12	13	14	15 Mid QTR Grades Online	16	17 FB 2 nd Rnd State Playoffs	18
19	20	21	22 Offices Closed	23 Thanksgiving Day Offices Closed	24 Offices Closed FB Quarterfinal Playoffs	25
		<p>Thanksgiving Holidays</p>				
26	27	28 BB vs. HHS	29	30		



December 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>For unto us a child is born.... And He will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6</i></p>						<p>1 State Football Semifinals</p>
					<p>2 SAT</p>	
<p>3</p>	<p>4 Board Meeting 5pm</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7 Elementary Christmas Program 7pm</p>	<p>8 State Football Finals</p>	<p>9 ACT BB @ Paideia</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12 MS/HS Christmas Program 7pm BB @ Bleckley</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14 Mid Term Exams - Grades 6th -12th 8:15-10:15; 10:45-12:45</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>
<p>17</p>	<p>18 No School Elementary-Grades 3k-5th</p>	<p>19 No School Elementary-Grades 3k-5th Christmas Dance</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 Offices Closed BB @ Southwest Tournament</p>	<p>23</p>
	<p>Mid Term Exams - Grades 6th -12th 8:15-10:15; 10:45-12:45</p>		<p>Christmas Holidays</p>			
<p>24 Christmas Eve</p>	<p>25 Christmas Day Offices Closed</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28 BB (BOYS) @ Northeast Tournament</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>
<p>31 New Year's Eve</p>	<p>Christmas Holidays</p>			<p>BB (GIRLS) @ TSA Tournament</p>		



January 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 New Year's Day Offices Closed <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 10px auto;">Christmas Holidays</div>	2 Offices Closed	3 Faculty In-Service/ Student Holiday BB @ TCHS	4 Classes Resume for Students	5 End Semester 1 BB @ SA	6
7	8	9	10 BB @ WCHS	11	12 Report Cards Mailed BB @ MDS	13
14	15 MLK Holiday - Offices Closed	16 BB vs. TSA <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 10px auto;">Spirit Week</div>	17	18	19 BB vs. TCHS	20 BB @ HHS
21	22	23 BB vs. SA	24	25 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 10px auto;">Middle School Play 7pm</div>	26 BB vs. WCHS	27
28 Prospective Family Open House	29	30 BB vs. MDS	31 Soccer @ Lamar Cty. (scrimmage)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <i>Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge and He will make your path straight. Proverbs 3:5-6</i> </div>		



February 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Matthew 6:33</i></p>				1 Re-Enrollment	2 BB @ TSA Wrestling State 1 st Round- Traditional GHSA Swimming Finals	3
4	5	6 BB (GIRLS) Region 1 st Round	7 BB (BOYS) Region 1 st Round	8 WrAP Exam 8 th & 10 th	9 Mid-QTR Grades Online Red Cross Blood Drive Mixon Fincher Celebration 8:15-9am Grades 1 st -5 th BB Region Tournament Wrestling State Finals- Traditional	10 ACT BB Region Playoff
11	12 Rising 11 th /12 th Grade Parents Meeting Auditorium 7pm	13 Baseball vs. Taylor Cty.	14	15 Winter Band Concert 7pm	16 Baseball @ GMC Basketball State 1 st Round	17 Baseball vs. Mt. Pisgah
18	19 Presidents' Day Baseball @ HHS Student Holiday – Offices Closed	20	21	22 Basketball State 2 nd Round	23 Soccer @ U. Lee	24
25	26 Rising 9 th /10 th Grade Parents Meeting Auditorium 7pm Soccer vs. Strong Rock Board Meeting 5pm	27 Baseball @ WCHS Basketball State Quarterfinals	28 Soccer vs. Putnam Cty.			



March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>And now these three remain: faith, hope and love, but the greatest of these is love. 1st Corinthians 13:13</i></p>				1	2 Baseball vs. WCHS	3 Basketball Semifinals Baseball @ TSA (vs. Holy Innocence & Walker Cty.) Soccer vs. FPCA
4	5 Baseball vs. ELCA	6 Rising 7 th /8 th Grade Parents Meeting Lecture Hall 6:30pm Soccer @ Manchester	7	8 Class Pictures 3K-5 th Soccer @ DCHS	9 End of QTR 3	10 SAT Soccer @ PAC
				Spring Musical 7pm		
				GHSA Basketball State Finals		
11	12	13 Rising 6 th Grade Parents Meeting Lecture Hall 6:30pm Baseball vs. MDS Soccer @ MDS	14 QTR 3 Grades Online Family Night	15	16 Baseball @ MDS	17 Literary Meet- State
				Soccer @ Border Classic Invitational		
18	19	20 Baseball @ TSA Soccer vs. RHS (Boys)	21	22 Soccer vs. SA	23 Grandparents' Day Early Dismissal 3K-12 th Baseball vs. TSA	24
				Book Fair in Media Center		
25	26	27	28	29	30 Good Friday Offices Closed	31
				Spring Break		



April 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Easter	2	3	4	5	6 Prom	7
8	9	10 Baseball @ SA Soccer @ Brookstone	11 NO LATE START	12	13 Baseball vs. SA	14 ACT Gymnastics 1 st Round
ERB Testing Grades 1 st -8 th						
15	16 FPD Golf Tournament	17 Fine Arts Night Chorus & Dance Baseball vs. WRHS Soccer vs. Macon Cty	18	19 Mid QTR Grades Online Fine Arts Night Bands Soccer @ TSA	20 Gymnastics Sate Finals	21
22	23 Region Baseball Board Meeting 5pm	24 Jazz Night 4 th Grade trip to Jekyll	25 Region Baseball Soccer State 1 st Round	26	27 Region Finals Baseball	28 Region Track Girls & Boys
29	30					<i>Christ the Lord has risen indeed! Luke 24:34</i>



May 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Soccer 2 nd Round	2 Soccer 2 nd Round	3 Baseball 2 nd Round	4 Baseball 2 nd Round Soccer Quarterfinals	5 SAT Soccer Quarterfinals
				Spring Play 7pm		
6	7 AP Chemistry, am	8 AP Spanish, am AP Physics 1, pm Soccer Semifinals	9 Senior Exams AP Literature, am AP Physics 2, pm Baseball Quarterfinals	10 Senior Exams AP Government, am Baseball Quarterfinals Track Finals Girls & Boys	11 Senior Exams AP US History, am AP Art, pm Track Finals Girls & Boys Soccer Finals	12 Tennis Finals Track Finals Girls & Boys Soccer Finals
	5 th Grade trip to Washington, D.C.					
13 Baccalaureate @ First Presbyterian Church 7pm	14 AP Biology, am	15 AP Calc. AB & BC, am AP French, pm AP Comp. Science, pm Baseball Semifinals	16 AP Language, am Lacrosse Semifinals	17 AP Statistics, pm	18 Senior Honors Night @ First Presbyterian Church, 6pm AP Euro, AP Latin pm Elementary Field Day Early Dismissal 1 st -5 th	19 Commencement @ Ingleside Worship Center, Noon Lacrosse Finals
				Grades 6 th -11 th - Final Exams 8:15 & 10:45		
20	21 5 th Grade Graduation Golf Finals Baseball Finals	22 Last Day of School Early Dismissal Golf Finals Baseball Finals	23	24	25	26
	Grades 6 th -11 th - Final Exams 8:15 & 10:45		Faculty Post Planning			
27	28 Memorial Day Offices Closed	29	30	31	CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2018! <i>Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6</i>	



June 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> <p><i>And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent His Son to be Savior of the world. 1st John 4:14</i></p> </div>					1	2 SAT
3	4	5	6 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	7	8 Report Cards Mailed	9 ACT
10	11	12	13 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	21	22	23
24	25 Board Meeting 5pm	26	27 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	28	29	30



July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Independence Day Offices Closed	5	6	7
GHS "Dead Week"						
8	9	10	11 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	12	13	14 ACT
15	16	17	18 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	26	27	28
29	30 Accelerated Reader Testing. Media Center 10 am - 2 pm	31	<i>Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people He chose for His inheritance. Psalm 33:12</i>			

“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength.” Deuteronomy 6:5

We want to encourage our students, faculty and staff to remember to be “All In” on a daily basis. The ultimate goal in everything we pursue is not to win awards or achieve accolades, but to glorify Him.

This commitment takes many forms, whether it is remaining diligent in academic study, persevering through challenges, or being a consistently positive influence on others. We are called to not grow weary, but to remain faithful, committed to glorifying God by doing our best.

Regardless of the form it takes, being “All In” is not always easy. When conditions are favorable, it is easy to be dedicated. When studying for a course is simple, maintaining enthusiasm for the course is not a challenge. When a team is winning, being a team player is effortless. However, when challenges arise, it can be difficult to remain committed. During those challenges, it is more important than ever to be “All In,” to glorify God in the midst.

Thankfully, at FPD, we are part of a family of believers who encourage one another and uplift one another as we strive for this goal. “All In” is a concise reminder of what has always been at the heart of FPD. FPD is a community, a family, seeking to honor God in all that we do.



Opponent School Teams & Abbreviations

Bleckley County H.S. - Bleckley
Brookstone School - Brookstone
Carrollton H.S. - CHS
Central H.S. - Central
Chatham County H.S. - Chatham Cty
Crawford County H.S. - CCHS
Dooley County H.S. - DCHS
Dublin H.S. - Dublin
Eagles Landing Christian - ELCA
George Walton Academy - GWA
Georgia Military College - GMC Prep
Harris County H.S. - Harris Cty
Hawkinsville H.S. - Hawkinsville
Howard H.S. - HHS
Lamar County H.S. - Lamar Cty
Landmark Christian - LC
Lincoln County H.S. - LCHS
Macon County H.S. - Macon Cty.
Manchester H.S. - Manchester
Mary Persons H.S. - MPHS
Mount de Sales- MDS

Mt. Pisgah Christian School - Mt. Pisgah
Norcross H.S. - NHS
Northside H.S. - NSHS
Pace Academy - PA
Pacelli - PAC
Paideia School - Paideia
Peach County H.S. - PCHS
Perry H.S. - PHS
Pike County H.S. - PIKE
Rutland H.S. - RHS
Savannah Country Day Schools - SCDS
Stratford Academy - SA
Strong Rock Christian School - SRock
Tattnall Square Academy - TSA
Taylor County H.S. - Taylor Cty
Telfair County H.S. - Telfair Co.
Tift County H.S. - Tift Cty
Twiggs County H.S. - TCHS
Upson Lee H.S. - U. Lee
Veterans H. S. - VHS
Warner Robins H. S. - WRHS

Warren County H.S. - Warren Cty
Westside H.S. - Westside
West Laurens H.S. - WLHS
Wilkinson County H.S. - WCHS
Winder Barrow H.S. - WBHS

Athletic Abbreviations

BB - Basketball
CC - Cross Country
FB - Football
SB - Softball
VB - Volleyball

At the time of print, some sports schedules were not available. Please visit www.fpdvikings.com for complete athletic schedules.



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