

**August**

- 7-14 New Teacher, Pre-Service Professional Days
- 18-24 Pre-Service Professional Days for Teachers and Instructional Assistants
- 21 System-wide Professional Development Day
- 25 Schools Open – First Day for Students

**September**

- 7 Schools/Offices Closed – Labor Day
- 18 Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide; Professional Development Time available for Instructional Staff; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 28 Schools/Offices Closed – Yom Kippur

**October**

- 16 Schools Closed for Students and 10-Month Staff – Professional Meeting Day
- 29 Marking Period Ends. Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide; Teachers Work on End of Marking Period Items; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students

**November**

- 9 Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide; Professional Development Time available for Instructional Staff; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 23 Schools Closed for Students – Parent Conference Day
- 24 Schools Closed for Students – Professional Development Day for High School Teachers; Parent Conference Day for Elementary and Middle Schools
- 25–27 Schools/Offices Closed – Thanksgiving Holiday

**December**

- 3 Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal for Elementary Students; Professional Time for Elementary Teachers; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 23 Schools/Offices Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal – Last Day before Winter Holiday; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 24 Schools/Offices Closed – Christmas Eve
- 25 Schools/Offices Closed – Christmas
- 26-31 Schools/Offices Closed – Winter Holiday

**January**

- 1 Schools/Offices Closed – Winter Holiday
- 4 Schools/Offices Reopen
- 18 Schools/Offices Closed – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
- 22 Marking Period Ends. Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide; Teachers Work on End of Marking Period Items; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 25 Schools Closed for Students – Professional Day for Teachers

**February**

- 5 Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal for Elementary Students; Professional Time for Elementary Teachers; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 15 Schools/Offices Closed – Presidents' Day
- 16 Schools Closed for Students; Professional Development Day for Elementary and Middle School Teachers; Conference Day for High Schools

**March**

- 15 Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide; Professional Development Time available for Instructional Staff; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students

**April**

- 1 Marking Period Ends. Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide; Teachers Work on End of Marking Period Items; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 2 Schools/Offices Closed – Good Friday
- 5 Schools/Offices Closed – Easter Monday
- 26 Schools Closed for Students – Non-Work Day for Teachers and Instructional Assistants

**May**

- 11 Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal for Elementary Students; Professional Time for Elementary Teachers; Schools Closed for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 31 Schools/Offices Closed – Memorial Day

**June**

- 8 Last Day for Pre-Kindergarten Students
- 10 Last Day for Students, Two Hours and Forty-Five Minutes Early Dismissal System-wide – Professional Time for Teachers
- 11 Professional Time for Teachers – Last Duty Day; Non-Work Day for Instructional Assistants

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# CARROLL COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS-SCHOOL CALENDAR 2009-2010

All duty days or half days when students are not in school will be used for professional meetings, in-service activities, or workdays as determined by appropriate central office administrative personnel or the school principal.

## HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION DATES

June 2, 2010	Century High	(7:00 p.m.)
June 3, 2010	North Carroll High	(7:00 p.m.)
June 4, 2010	Westminster High	(2:00 p.m.)
June 4, 2010	South Carroll High	(7:30 p.m.)
June 5, 2010	Liberty High	(1:30 p.m.)
June 5, 2010	Winters Mill High	(7:30 p.m.)
June 6, 2010	Francis Scott Key High	(1:30 p.m.)

South Carroll Career & Technology Center will hold its Certificate Ceremony on Wednesday, May 26, 2010 – 7:00 p.m.  
 Carroll Springs will hold its Certificate Ceremony on Friday, May 28, 2010 – 7:00 p.m.  
 Gateway School will hold its Certificate Ceremony on Tuesday, June 1, 2010 – 7:00 p.m.  
 Carroll County Career & Technology Center will hold its Certificate Ceremony in January and May as students complete their programs. Dates and times will be released through the school.

## NUMBER OF DAYS IN SCHOOL CALENDAR

MONTH	PUPIL DAYS	TEACHER DAYS	*MARKING PERIODS
AUGUST	5	10	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FIRST</b> AUGUST 25 – OCTOBER 29</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SECOND</b> OCTOBER 30 – JANUARY 22</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>THIRD</b> JANUARY 26 – APRIL 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>FOURTH</b> APRIL 6 – June 10</p>
SEPTEMBER	20	20	
OCTOBER	21	21	
NOVEMBER	16	18	
DECEMBER	17	17	
JANUARY	18	19	
FEBRUARY	18	19	
MARCH	23	23	
APRIL	19	19	
MAY	20	20	
JUNE	8	9	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>-5*</u> 180</b>	<b><u>-5*</u> 190</b>	<p>*Actual marking periods may be adjusted depending on the use of emergency closing days.</p>

### \*Emergency Closing Days

*If any of the five (5) emergency closing days are not used, the last day for student and staff are as listed below:*

- One (1) day not used – Last Student Day – June 9<sup>th</sup>, Last Staff Day - June 10<sup>th</sup>.*
- Two (2) days not used – Last Student Day – June 8<sup>th</sup>, Last Staff Day - June 9<sup>th</sup>.*
- Three (3) days not used – Last Student Day – June 7<sup>th</sup>, Last Staff Day - June 8<sup>th</sup>.*
- Four (4) days not used – Last Student Day – June 4<sup>th</sup>, Last Staff Day - June 7<sup>th</sup>.*
- Five (5) days not used – Last Student Day – June 3<sup>rd</sup>, Last Staff Day - June 4<sup>th</sup>.*

In the event that the school year is shortened due to unused emergency closing days, the last student day will be a two-hour and forty-five minutes early dismissal. The one-day immediately following the last student day will serve as a professional day for teachers. If further emergency days are required, the Board will request a waiver from the State Board of Education and if not granted, the school year will be extended.