

Brief Facts

Jasper County School District School Calendar 2008-2009

Curriculum Institute	August 6-7
New Teachers Orientation	August 8
Professional Development Day	August 12-13
Teacher Workdays	August 14 - 15
First Day for Students	August 18
Labor Day Holiday	September 1
One Hour Early Dismissal/Academic Plans	September 18
Early Dismissal	September 19
Interim Progress Reports Issued	September 24
GT Referral Deadline	October 17
End of 1 st Quarter	October 20
HSAP	October 21-31
Professional Development/Teacher Workday	October 27
Report Cards Issued	October 28
Election Day	November 4
Veteran's Day Holiday	November 11
Thanksgiving Holidays	November 26-28
Interim Progress Reports Issued	December 3
Winter Vacation	December 18 - January 2
End of 2 nd Quarter	January 15
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday	January 19
Report Cards Issued	January 22
Professional Development/Teacher Workday	January 26
Professional Development Day	February 16
Interim Progress Reports Issued	February 25
One Hour Early Dismissal/Academic Plans	March 5
Early Dismissal	March 6
End of 3 rd Quarter	March 24
Report Cards Issued	March 31
Professional Development	April 3
Spring Vacation	April 10-17
Interim Progress Reports Issued	May 13
Palmetto Achievement Challenge Test (PACT)	May 12-23
Memorial Day Holiday	May 25
Early Dismissal/End of 4 th Quarter/ Last Day for Students Report Cards Issued	June 5
Teacher Workday	June 8
Teacher Workday-Last Day for Teachers	June 9

***NOTE**

185 Days Employees: August 13, 2008-June 8, 2009
Will work on the following days: August 13, 2008, August 14, 2008, August 15, 2007, October 27, 2008 and January 26, 2009

205 Days Employees: July 28, 2008-June 15, 2009
Will work on Teacher Workdays/Staff Development Days

210 Days Employees: July 28, 2008-June 22, 2009
Will work on Teacher Workdays/Staff Development Days

220 Days Employees: July 21, 2008-June 19, 2009
Will work on the following days: Nov. 4, 2008, Nov. 11, 2008, Nov. 26, 2008, December 18, 2008, December 19, 2008 and April 10, 2009

240 Days Employees: July 1, 2008-June 30, 2009
Will work on the following days: Nov. 4, 2008, Nov. 11, 2008, Nov. 26, 2008, December 18, 2008, December 19, 2008 and April 10, 2009

Inclement Weather

In the event of bad weather, parents are encouraged to tune into local radio or television stations. Decisions to close school will usually be made by 6:30 a.m. If school is closed because of bad weather, we will use December 18, 2008, December 19, 2008 and June 10, 2009 for make-up days.

School Breakfast/Lunch Prices

Regular	\$.75 / \$1.15
Reduced	\$.30 / \$.40

Graduation Dates

Ridgeland Senior High School	June , 2009 - 6:00PM
Hardeeville High School	June , 2009 - 6:00PM

Board of Education

The Jasper County School District is governed by a nine member Board of Education which meets on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the District Office, Ridgeland. ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. Written agenda requests should be submitted to the Superintendent by 12:00 Monday before the next scheduled Board meeting.

Board Members

Berty Riley	Chairman
Priscilla Fraser	Vice-Chairman
Mary Gallagher	Chaplain
Alina Hamilton-Clark	Secretary
James Gardner	
Randy Horton	
Michael Hubbard	
Kathleen Snooks	
Patricia Walls	

Frequently Called Numbers

Superintendent	717-1100
Accountability, Occupational Ed. & Testing	717-1151
Adult Education	803-943-4717
Business & Finance	717-1166
Curriculum	717-1152
Family Literacy, Parenting & Transportation	717-1182
Food Service	717-1142
Home Schooling	717-1573
Maintenance & Operations	717-1170
Personnel	717-1114
Public Relations	717-1106
Special Services	717-1133
Student Services	717-1572
Technology	717-1172
Title I	717-1113

Schools

Hardeeville Elementary School	784-8400
Hardeeville Middle/High School	784-8600
Project Hope Alternative School	368-6600
Ridgeland Elementary School	717-1300
Ridgeland Junior High School	717-1400
Ridgeland Senior High School	717-1500
Academy for Career Excellence (ACE)	987-8107

Vision Statement

The Jasper County School District aspires to become the pride of the community where all students are empowered to excel to high academic standards guided by highly qualified professionals and dedicated citizens.

JASPER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Employee Calendar 2008-2009 School Year

Jasper County School District
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- TEACHER/STUDENT HOLIDAY
- PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY/STUDENT HOLIDAY
- FIRST DAY FOR STUDENTS
- CURRICULUM INSTITUTE
- NEW TEACHERS ORIENTATION
- REPORT CARDS ISSUED
- LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS
- WORKDAY FOR 220/240 DAYS EMPLOYEES
- EARLY DISMISSAL
- TEACHER WORKDAY/STUDENT HOLIDAY

PARENT CONFERENCE DAYS: September 18, 2008 4-7p.m. & March 5, 2009 4-7p.m.

SUMMER SCHOOL June 22 - July 10, 2009

School Improvement Council (SIC) and Parents, Teachers & Students Association (PTSA) Proposed Meetings

Ridgeland Senior High (9-12)	Ridgeland Junior High (6-8)	Ridgeland Elementary (Pre-k-5)	Hardeeville High (6-12)	Hardeeville Elementary (Pre-k-5)
SIC(6:00-7:00)/PTSA(7:00-8:00)	SIC(6:00-7:00)/PTA(7:00-8:00)	SIC(6:00-7:00)/PTA(7:00-8:00)	SIC(6:00-7:00)/PTSA(7:00-8:00)	SIC (6:00-7:00)/PTA (7:00-8:00)
August 28, 2007	August 19, 2008	August 16, 2008	August 21, 2008	August 28, 2008
September 18, 2008	September 23, 2008	October 21, 2008	September 18, 2008	September 25, 2008
October 23, 2008	October 21, 2008	November 18, 2008	October 16, 2008	October 23, 2008
November 20, 2008	November 18, 2008	January 20, 2009	November 13, 2008	November 20, 2008
January 22, 2009	January 20, 2009	February 17, 2009	January 22, 2009	January 29, 2009
February 19, 2009	February 17, 2009	March 17, 2009	February 19, 2009	February 26, 2009
March 26, 2009	March 24, 2009	April 21, 2009	March 26, 2009	March 19, 2009
April 23, 2009	April 21, 2009	May 19, 2009	April 30, 2009	April 23, 2009
May 14, 2009	May 12, 2009		May 14, 2009	