

# VALLEY CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

## 2024-2025 CALENDAR

July 22-24	All New Teacher Tech Training		Early Release – 12:00pm
July 25-26	New Teacher Orientation		Early Release – 12:30 pm
July 29	All VCS Staff/Faculty Return   Independent Work		Early Release – 12:40 pm
July 30	ALL VCS Staff/Faculty Orientation Staff Pictures 7:00	October 24	ES (K-6) & JH Parent/Teacher Conferences HS Parent/Teacher Conferences Early Release – 12:00pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm
July 31	VCS Staff/Faculty Retreat		
August 1-2	Faculty Orientation/Individual Campuses	October 31- November 3	Fall Play
August 4-6	HS Senior Kick Off		
August 5	Meet the Teacher (K-4) (9:00-12:45)	November 11	Veterans Service/Grandparents Day – HS
August 6	Meet the Teacher (5-8) (9:00-12:45) JH Parent Orientation HS Trojan Boot Camp (9 <sup>th</sup> grade/New) 12-4	November 12	Veterans Service – K-8
August 7	First Day of School Teacher In-service Early Release – 12:00pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm	November 13	Teacher In-service Early Release – 12:00pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm Progress Reports Grades Released
August 12- 30	EL MAP Testing	November 20-22	HS Spiritual Emphasis Conference
August 20	HS Back to School Night	November 22	Legacy Auction
August 21-23	JH 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Leadership Camp	November 25	K-4 Turkey Trot
September 2	Labor Day – No School	November 26	Early Release – 12:00pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm
September 4	Progress Report Grades Released	November 27-29	Thanksgiving Break - No School
September 21	Prince & Princess Party	December 4	Celebration of Christmas – K-4 5:30 5-8 7:00
Sept. 23-27	ES Spirit Week HS Homecoming Week Night of Worship Block Party and Game – HS ER 1pm Homecoming Banquet and Dance	December 11	Staff Christmas Party
Sept. 30	K-8 Open House	December 13	HS Christmas Joy
October 3	HS Open House	December 16-19	HS First Semester Exams – Early Release
October 4	End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter New Student Application Opens	December 17-19	JH 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Semester Exams
October 7-11	Fall Break	December 19	Instrumental Program (5-8)
October 16	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Grades Released	December 20	Make-up Exams/Teacher Workday Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm End of 1st Semester and 2nd Quarter
October 21	HS College Fair	Dec 21- January 5	Christmas Break
October 23	HS All School PSAT Test Day ES (K-6) & JH Parent/Teacher Conferences	January 6	School Resumes
		January 7	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Grades Released

January 18	VCS Golf Tournament	April 23	Spring Spectacular K-4
January 20	Martin Luther King Day- No School	April 26	HS Prom
January 27	K-8 Open House	May 1-4	HS Spring Play
January 28	Grandparents Day – K-8	May 2-3	Art Show
January 30	HS Open House	May 6	Instrumental Spring Concert (5-8) HS Instrumental Spring Concert
February 4	Progress Report Grades Released	May 7	Spring Choir & Theatre Program 5-8 7:00
February 5	K-12 Teacher Conferences Early Release – 12:30pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm	May 12	HS Spring Showcase 7:00
February 10-14	K-8 Spiritual Emphasis Week	May 15-16	HS Senior Exams
February 17	President’s Day - No School	May 16	Kindergarten Graduation & Final Day
February 18	Christian School Conference Location: Scottsdale Christian Academy Virtual Learning (students off campus)	May 16, 19-20	JH 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Final Exams
February 21	HS Trojan Tournament Early Release – 12:30pm	May 18	HS Baccalaureate
February 24-28	I55 Christian Book Fair K-4	May 19-21	Kindergarten Round-Up (Incoming K)
March 3-6	I55 Christian Book Fair 5-8	May 19-22	HS Senior Sendoff HS Second Semester Exams
March 3-14	HS Spring Service Break	May 22	JH 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion Last Day of School 1-4 12:30pm   5-8 12:40 End 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester and 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter
March 7	End of 3rd Quarter	May 23	HS Graduation Make up Exams Teacher Workday/Grades
March 10-14	ES/JH Spring Break	May 27	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester Grades Released
March 19	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Grades Released Teacher In-service Early Release – 12:00pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm		No highlight – All Schools Pink – Lower Elementary K-4 Blue – Upper Elementary /JH 5-8 Grey – High School
March 31-April 4	ES Victor E. Trojan Spirit Week		
April 3	JH Trojan Tournament		
April 10	Champions Breakfast		
April 12	K-12 Free Flow Open House		
April 16	HS Test Day / 9 & 10 Pre-ACT/SAT Juniors Teacher In-Service Early Release – 12:00pm Early Release – 12:30 pm Early Release – 12:40 pm Progress Report Grades Released		
April 18	Good Friday – No School		
April 21	Virtual Learning (students off campus)		
April 22-25	JH Map Testing		
April 22-May 2	ES MAP Testing		
			<b>PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS</b>
		9/18	3/19
		11/13	4/16
		2/5	