

Buchanan County Head Start Preschool



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2026 – 2027 Calendar

Approved by the PC & the Executive Director/Liaison to the BOS: *July 20, 2026*



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**August
2026**

7 – School Days

11-month staff return to work Aug. 3rd.

Teachers/HV return Aug. 14th

Classroom staff return Aug. 18th – In-Service – OSHA – CA&N – Dietician - BCHD

School begins Aug. 21st

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3 BOS Meeting 11 Month Staff return	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 Parent Orientation	11	12	13	14 Teachers - HV return to work - Central Office	15
16	17 Teachers & HV work in Classrooms	18 Staff In- Service 8-3 Meet & Greet 4-7	19 PD – All Staff Mandatory	20 Meet & Greet -	21 School Begins Target date for Grant application	22
23	24	25 PC Meeting Pay Day	26	27	28	29
30	31 Council PM @ 10:30 – Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due					



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**September
2026**

21 – School Days = 28 Total

Closed Sept. 7th

Governance Training – Sept. 10th - Parent Workshop – Sept. 24th

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Refunding app. Due – Parent Meeting	2 Parent Meeting	3 Parent Meeting	4 All monthly paperwork is due	5
6	7 Labor Day	8	9	10 PC Governance Training -	11 HB Parent Meeting & Socialization	12
13	14 BOS Meeting	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22 PC Meeting	23	24 Parent Workshop CA& N @ 10:30 am	25 Pay Day	26
27	28	29	30 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due			



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**October
2026**

22 School Days – 50 Total
 45-Day Screening Deadline is October 2nd
 Parent Workshop – Fire Safety – October 15th

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 45-Day Screenings Deadline All monthly paperwork is due	3
4	5 BOS Meeting	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Columbus Day	13	14	15 Parent Workshop – Fire Safety	16	17
18	19	20 PC Meeting	21	22	23 Pay Day	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 HB Social Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due	31



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**November
2026**

17 School Days – 67 Total

Closed Nov. 3rd

Closed Nov. 25th – 27th - Thanksgiving Break – Program

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 BOS Meeting	3 Election Day - Program Closure	4	5	6 All monthly paperwork is due	7
8	9	10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 HB Parent Meeting & Socialization	21
22	23	24 PC Meeting Pay Day	25 Break	26 Thanksgiving Day Break	27 Break	28
29	30 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due					



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**December
2026**

13 School Days – 80 Total
 Staff Wellness Day – ALL STAFF – Dec. 18th
 Closed Dec. 21st – Dec. 31st – Holiday Break

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 All monthly paperwork is due	5
6	7 BOS Meeting	8	9	10	11 HB Parent Meeting & Socialization	12
13	14	15 PC Meeting	16	17	18 Staff Wellness Day Pay Day Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due	19
20	21 Break	22 Break	23 Break	24 Break	25 Break	26
27	28 Break	29 Break	30 Break	31 Break		



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**January
2027**

19 School Days – 99 Total

Closed Jan. 1st

Jan. 15th – Professional Development – ALL Staff

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Break New Year's Day	2
3	4 All monthly paperwork is due BOS Meeting	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Parent Workshop	15 Professional Dev. Day	16
17	18 M L King Day	19 PC Meeting	20	21	22 HB Parent Meeting & Socialization	23
24	25 Pay Day	26	27	28	29 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due	30
31						



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**February
2027**

20 School Days – 119 Total

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 BOS Meeting	2	3	4	5 All monthly paperwork is due	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 HB Parent Meeting & Socialization	13
14	15 Presidents' Day	16 PC Meeting	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Pay Day	26 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due	27
28						



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**March
2027**

20 School Days – 139 Total
Closed April 25th – 29th for Spring Break

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 BOS Meeting	2	3	4	5 All monthly paperwork is due	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 PC Meeting	17	18 Parent Workshop	19	20
21	22	23	24 Pay Day	25 Spring Break	26 Spring Break	27
28 Easter Sunday	29 Spring Break	30	31 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due			



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**April
2027**

School Days – 22 – 161 Total

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 All monthly paperwork is due	3
4	5 BOS Meeting	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 PC Meeting	21	22	23 Pay Day	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due	



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**May
2027**

School Days – 14 – Total 175

Last Day of School – May 20th

Staff Wellness May 21st – ALL staff

May 24th & 25th Close out files, clean rooms, and clean buses

May 31st – Program Closure

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3 All monthly paperwork is due BOS Meeting	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18 PC Meeting	19	20 Last Day of School	21	22
23	24	25 Pay Day Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due	26	27	28	29
30	31 Closed Memorial Day					



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**June
2027**

Important Information

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 Juneteenth Holiday	19 Juneteenth
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30 Mgt./Teachers/FA reports are due			



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**July
2027**

Important Information

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 Independence Day	5 Independence Day Holiday	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Logo		School Name				
August 2027		Important Information				
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Logo		School Name				
September 2027		Important Information				
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Labor Day	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		