Lyon County School District Board Memo

Date:February 25, 2025To:Board of School TrusteesFrom:BillieJo Hogan, Executive Director of Human Resources

Re: 2026-2027 Master School Calendar Approval

Recommendation: That the Board of Trustees approve the 2026-2027 Master School Calendar.

Background Information:

Board Policy ICA - *Development of a School Master Calendar* states that, in order to maximize student learning, a school master calendar will be developed and presented by the Superintendent and/or designee to the Board by October 1 of the preceding school year.

Additionally, Administrative Regulation #3 of Policy ICA states that the first day of school should be scheduled immediately after Labor Day each year, as possible.

Both proposed calendars adhere to Policy ICA's requirements: Spring Break: Spring Break scheduled for the first full week of April, Winter Break is scheduled for two full weeks and Thanksgiving Break scheduled for three to five days

Proposed Calendars:

Calendar 1 (Post-Labor Day Start)

- Start Date: September 8, 2026 (after Labor Day)
- End of First Semester: February 4, 2027
- Last Day of School: June 21, 2027 (half-day, due to Juneteenth holiday observed on June 18, 2027)
- Thanksgiving Break: 3 days
- Winter Break: 2 weeks
- Spring Break: 1 week (first full week of April)

Calendar 2 (Pre-Labor Day Start – Alternative Option)

Since Policy ICA includes the language "as possible," we are presenting an alternative calendar option for Board consideration.

- Start Date: August 26, 2026 (before Labor Day)
- End of First Semester: January 28, 2027
- Last Day of School: June 11, 2027
- Thanksgiving Break: 5 days
- Winter Break: 2 weeks
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• Spring Break: 1 week (first full week of April)

Attachments:

- 1. Lyon County School District 2026-27 Calendar (Post-Labor Day Start)
- 2. Lyon County School District 2026-27 Calendar (Pre-Labor Day Start)

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