# Colorado Academy 2021-2022 Major Dates – External

## August, 2021
- **Monday, August 2**: Upper School Golf Begins
- **Monday, August 9**: Upper School Preseason Fall Sports Begin
- **Wednesday, August 11**: Principals’ Incoming Faculty Workshop (8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.)
- **Thursday, August 12**: Incoming Faculty & Staff Orientation (7:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.)
- **Mon.-Fri., Aug. 16-20**: Faculty Professional Days
- **Tuesday, August 17**: Admission New Parent Orientation (5:00-8:30 p.m.) - Campus Center
- **Monday, August 23**: Faculty Work Day; US New Student Orientation (8:30 a.m. & 4:00 p.m.); MS New Student Tech Set-up (2:45-4:00 p.m.); MS New Student Orientation (4:00-5:00 p.m.); LS Student Meet & Greet (4:30 p.m.); All-School Barbeque
- **Tuesday, August 24**: Opening Day: K-12: Full Day; Pre-K: Half Day; All-School Assembly
- **Tuesday, August 24**: Parent Association ‘Get Involved’ Fair
- **Monday, August 30**: Senior Parent College Night (6:00-7:30 p.m.)

## September, 2021
- **Wednesday, September 1**: CA Connects: NO CLASSES
- **Monday, September 6**: Labor Day: SCHOOL CLOSED
- **Tuesday, September 7**: Classes Resume No Homework Due
- **Thursday, September 9**: Middle School Back-to-School Night
- **Tuesday, September 14**: Lower School Back-to-School Night
- **Thursday, September 16**: No Homework Due
- **Saturday, September 18**: Homecoming
- **Weds.-Fri., Sept. 22-24**: Eighth Grade Overnight Trip
- **Thurs.-Fri., Sept. 23-24**: Seventh Grade Advisory Trip
- **Thursday, September 23**: Upper School Back-to-School Night
- **Mon.-Fri., Sept. 27-Oct. 1**: College Reps Visit (Welborn House)

## October, 2021
- **Mon.-Mon., October 4-11**: Senior College Preparation Days
- **Tuesday, October 5**: Families of Diverse Backgrounds (5:30-7:00 p.m.)
- **Wednesday, October 6**: Parent Conferences - Middle School: NO CLASSES; LS & US: IN SESSION
- **Thursday, October 7**: Unofficial Practice ACT Test: Grade 11 (optional) (8:30 a.m.-Noon)
- **Thurs.-Fri., October 7-8**: Parent Conferences - All Divisions: NO CLASSES
- **Monday, October 11**: October Holiday: SCHOOL CLOSED
- **Tuesday, October 12**: Classes Resume No Homework Due
- **Wednesday, October 13**: PSAT Test: Grade 11 (recommended); Grade 10 (optional) (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)
- **Thursday, October 14**: Admission Preview #1 (8:30-11:30 a.m.)
- **Monday, October 18**: US PlatFORUM Day
- **Friday, October 22**: Admission Preview #2 (8:30-11:30 a.m.)
- **Thursday, October 28**: CA Gives Day
- **Friday, October 29**: Halloween Parade
**NOVEMBER, 2021**
Friday, November 5
Faculty Professional Day: **NO CLASSES**
Sun.-Weds., Nov. 7-10
ACIS Accreditation Visiting Team on Campus
Monday, November 15
Winter Sports Begin
Mon.-Fri., November 22-26
Thanksgiving Break: **SCHOOL CLOSED**
Monday, November 29
Classes Resume No Homework Due

**DECEMBER, 2021**
Thursday, December 16
Grandparents Day - All Divisions
Fri. (1 p.m.)-Mon., Dec. 17-Jan. 3, 2022
Winter Break - **NO CLASSES - NO SCHOOL FOR FACULTY**

**JANUARY, 2022**
Tuesday, January 4
Classes Resume No Homework Due
Monday, January 10
11th Grade College Night ‘Kick-Off’
Monday, January 17
Martin Luther King Jr. Day: **SCHOOL CLOSED** - Service Opportunities Encouraged

**FEBRUARY, 2022**
Thursday, February 17
Faculty Professional Day: **NO CLASSES**
Fri.-Mon., February 18-21
February Break: **NO CLASSES - NO SCHOOL FOR FACULTY**
Monday, February 21
Presidents Day: **SCHOOL CLOSED**
Tuesday, February 22
Classes Resume No Homework Due
Tues.-Fri., February 22-25
Freshman Intensive
Monday, February 28
Spring Sports Begin
Monday, February 28
Pre-ACT Test: Grade 10 only (8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)

**MARCH, 2022**
Thursday, March 3
Parent Conferences - Lower & Middle School: **NO CLASSES**; Upper School: **IN SESSION**
Friday, March 4
Parent Conferences - Lower, Middle & Upper School Advisory; **NO CLASSES**
Thursday, March 17
SPEAK Series: Mike Davis State of the School - 8:30 a.m.
Mon.-Sun., March 21-27
Spring Break - **NO CLASSES; NO SCHOOL FOR FACULTY**
Monday, March 28
Classes Resume No Homework Due
March or Early April
11th Grade Case Studies & College Fair

**APRIL, 2022**
Thursday, April 14
Faculty Professional Day & Recognition Reception; **NO CLASSES**
Friday, April 15
April Break: **NO CLASSES; NO SCHOOL FOR FACULTY**
Monday, April 18
Classes Resume No Homework Due
Mon.-Fri., April 18-22
Fifth Grade Crow Canyon Trip
Saturday, April 30
Colorado Academy Auction/Concert - Field House
MAY, 2022
Sunday, May 1  New Family Social & Upper School Course Registration (Noon-2:00 p.m.)
Monday-Friday, May 2-13  Upper School AP Exams
Monday-Friday, May 9-13  Middle School Interim
Monday-Friday, May 16-20  Senior Launch Week
Thursday, May 19  Upper School Awards Assembly (11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.)
Friday, May 20  Lower School Field Day; Giant Relay Day; Last Full Upper School Academic Day
Monday-Friday, May 23-27  Upper School Interim
Friday, May 27  Last Full Lower & Middle School Academic Day
Monday, May 30  Memorial Day: SCHOOL CLOSED
Tuesday, May 31  NO CLASSES; 5th Grade Continuation & Reception (9 & 10 a.m.)
                 8th Grade Continuation & Reception (4 & 5:30 p.m.)
                 Commencement Rehearsal (11:30 a.m.)

JUNE, 2022
Wednesday, June 1  Faculty Professional Day: NO CLASSES; Commencement Dinner (6:15 p.m.)
Thursday, June 2  Commencement Exercises & Brunch (9:30 & 11:30 a.m.)
                 Faculty Professional Day: NO CLASSES
Friday, June 3  Faculty Professional Day: NO CLASSES