

## Free Breakfast and Lunch for All Students this year!

We are pleased to announce that Anson County Schools will participate in a new program called Community Eligibility Provision (CEP). ALL Anson County Schools are now able to provide healthy breakfast and lunches each day at NO CHARGE for ALL STUDENTS!

## AIG Department Hosts Math Boot Camp for Rising Third and Fourth Graders

Anson County Schools AIG Department hosted a Math Boot Camp from July 20 to 23 for rising 3rd and 4th grade students. The theme for this year's camp was Math Around the World. Campers participated in numerous math activities related to other countries, including multiple multiplication and division methods, symmetry, fractions, roman numerals, geometry, time and measurement.

Students were asked to imagine travel to the countries either by airplane, train or ship. Additionally, Lynn Edwards from the Anson County Chamber of Commerce visited to discuss the local board game, Ansonian Adventures. Students were able to play this game on the last day during the return trip to Anson County.

Pictured below are the students who attended this year's camp. Anson County Schools is excited to say that the camp was a success, and all participants enjoyed their four days.

## 2015 - 2016 School Year Bell Schedule

2015-16 Bell Schedule	Morning Bell	Afternoon Dismissal
Wadesboro Primary School	7:30 AM	2:25 PM
Wadesboro Elementary School	7:30 AM	2:35 PM
Ansonville Elementary School	7:30 AM	2:30 PM
Morven Elementary School	7:30 AM	2:30 PM
Peachland-Polkton Elementary School	7:30 AM	2:30 PM
Lilesville Elementary School	7:30 AM	2:30 PM
Anson High School	8:15 AM	3:25 PM
Anson Middle School	8:15 AM	3:25 PM
Anson Academy	8:15 AM	3:25 PM
Anson New Technology High School	8:15 AM	3:25 PM
Anson Early College High School	8:15 AM	3:10 PM



## Anson County Schools 2015-2016 School Year Calendar

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July 3.....Holiday  
 August 10-14.....New Teacher Orientation  
 August 17.....First Day for Teachers  
 August 17.....Optional Work Day/Non-Student Day  
 August 18.....Employee Opening Day Convocation  
 August 18-21.....Required for Staff/Non-Student Day  
 August 24.....First Day for Students  
 September 7.....Labor Day Holiday  
 September 25.....Mid-Term Progress Report Release  
 October 1.....Early Release for Students  
 October 1.....District-Wide Parent/Teacher Conferences  
 October 26.....End of Marking Period  
 October 27..... Required for Staff/Non-Student Day  
 November 6.....Report Card Release  
 November 11.....Veteran's Day Holiday  
 November 24.....Early Release for Students  
 November 25.....Optional Work Day/Non-Student Day  
 November 26-27.....Holiday  
 December 3.....Early Release for Students  
 December 4.....Mid-Term Progress Report Release  
 December 18.....Early Release for Students  
 December 21-22.....Student Holiday/AL Day for Staff  
 December 23-25.....Holiday  
 December 28-31.....Student Holiday/AL Day for Staff  
 January 1.....Holiday  
 January 15.....End of Marking Period  
 January 18.....Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday  
 January 19.....Optional Work Day/Non-Student Day  
 January 20.....Required for Staff/Non-Student Day  
 January 21.....2nd Semester Begins  
 January 29.....Report Card Release  
 February 4.....Secondary Schools Release Early Only  
 February 4.....Secondary Parent/Teacher Conferences  
 February 19.....Mid-Term Progress Report Release  
 February 29.....Optional Work Day/Non-Student Day  
 March 3.....Elementary Schools Release Early Only  
 March 3.....Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences  
 March 24.....End of Marking Period  
 March 24.....Early Release for Students  
 March 25.....Holiday  
 March 28-April 1.....Student Holiday/AL Day for Staff  
 April 8.....Report Card Release  
 April 29.....Mid-Term Progress Report Release  
 May 30.....Holiday  
 June 3.....End of Marking Period  
 June 3.....Report Card Release  
 June 3.....Early Release Day for Students  
 June 3.....Last Day for Students  
 June 4.....District Graduation  
 June 6-7.....Required for Staff/Non-Student Day  
 June 8-10.....Optional Work Day/Non-Student Day  
 June 10.....Last Day for Teachers

**Early Release Schedule:**  
 Elementary Schools release at 12:30 p.m.  
 Secondary Schools (Middle/High Schools) release at 1:30 p.m.

- Holiday
- Student Holiday - AL Day for Staff
- Optional Work Day - Non-Student Day
- Required for Staff - Non-Student Day
- End of Marking Period
- New Teacher Orientation
- Early Release
- Secondary Early Release Only
- Elementary Early Release Only

Weather Make-Up Days to be determined. Saturdays will be considered as a weather make-up day.

## School Employees Contribute \$18,280.10 to United Way!

On May 28, 2015, Anson County Schools received recognition at the United Way Participation Reception for outstanding contribution to the United Way Campaign for the year 2014. School employees did a fantastic job supporting the campaign by donating a total of \$18,280.10 which focuses on children & youth, housing & financial stability and health & mental health. We are extremely proud the employees of Anson County Schools for their contributions.

## Classroom "Wish List"

Items listed below are often used in classrooms. Churches, businesses, clubs, organizations, parents and friends of education may donate any of these items to a school in Anson County. Schools receiving large amounts of supplies will share with schools that may need additional supplies.

Thanks for helping children!

- Beach towel or small blanket
  - Book bag (without rollers)
  - Zip Lock Bags (all sizes)
  - # 2 wooden pencils
  - Pencil top erasers
  - Wide ruled notebook paper
  - Spiral bound composition books, wide ruled (approximately 70 pages)
  - Sheet protectors
  - College ruled notebook paper
  - Reusable water bottles
  - Tennis balls
  - Glue sticks or Bottled Elmer's Glue
  - Boxes of Kleenex
  - Glitter
  - White or brown lunch paper bags
  - Paper plates
  - Paper napkins
  - Tissue paper (any color)
  - Pipe cleaners
  - Colored pencils
  - Wooden clip boards
  - Ballpoint pens (any color)
  - Folders with 2, 3, or 4 pockets
  - Mechanical pencils
  - Subject composition books
  - Pencil pouch
  - Graph paper
  - 1-inch 3 ring binder (with clear plastic sleeve on front cover)
  - Crayons
  - Kindergarten lined paper
  - Protractor
  - Compass
  - Ruler
  - Non spiral composition books
  - Yarn
  - Shoebox size plastic storage containers
  - Tab dividers (5 sections)
  - Highlighters (any color)
  - Index cards and card box
  - Rolls of paper towels
- Financial donations may be made and designated to assist with school supplies, field trips, lunch and/or breakfast money, uniform clothing, etc. Financial donations should be submitted to the school Principal. Receipts will be provided upon request.*