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## 2026-2027 Calendar (Updated 5/18/2026)

<b>Event:</b>	<b>Whom:</b>	<b>Place:</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>Time:</b>
Mandatory Parent/Guardian Meeting	All Orchestra Parents/Guardians	Durant Auditorium	8/19	6:30pm
FOA All-State Auditions	Registered Students	Rodgers MS	9/19	TBA
All-County Pre-Screening Recording Due!	Registered Students	Electronic to Mr. Emory	10/5	N/A
Solos & Sweets (Orchestra Recital)	All Orchestra Students	Durant Cafeteria	10/14	6:30pm, 6pm call
<i>West Coast Invitational (WCI) HUGE FUNDRAISER!</i>	All Orchestra Students	Durant HS	10/17	10am-11pm
After School Orchestra Rehearsals Begin (Required)	All Orchestra Students	Every Wednesday beginning on 10/21		3:45-6:00pm
FOA District Solo and Ensemble MPA	All Orchestra Students	Durant HS	11/7	All-Day
All-County Auditions	Registered Students	TBA	11/9	5:00-9:00pm
G.A.T.I Outreach Tour	Chamber Orchestra	District Schools	11/19	All-Day
<b>Fall Break</b>				
Winter Concert (Combined w/ Band)	All Band/Orchestra Students	DHS Auditorium	12/10	7pm, 5:30pm call
<b>Winter Break</b>				
FMEA/All-State Orchestra	All-State Students Only	TPA Convention CTR	1/13-16	TBA
All-County Orchestra	Accepted Students Only	Blake HS	2/4-6	TBA
Orchestra MPA Rehearse-A-Thon! (MONDAY!)	All Orchestra Students	Durant HS	2/15	9:00am-4:00pm
<i>WGI Regional Color Guard Show – HUGE FUNDRAISER</i>	All Orchestra Students	Durant HS	2/20	6am-11pm
Orchestra Pre-MPA Concert (Combined w/ MMS)	All Orchestra Students	DHS Auditorium	2/23	7:00pm
<b>FOA DISTRICT CONCERT MPA</b>	All Orchestras	Robinson HS	3/4-3/6	TBA
FGEA Guitar District S&E	Guitar Orchestra	TBA	TBA	All-Day
<i>FFCC Color Guard Show – HUGE FUNDRAISER!</i>	All Orchestra Students	Durant HS	3/13	10am – 11pm
<b>Spring Break</b>				
FOA State Solo & Ensemble MPA (Tentative)	Students w/ I/II @ District	TBA	3/27	All-Day
DC Music for All Trip	Durant Band/Orchestra	Washington DC	4/8-4/12	All-Day
FOA STATE CONCERT MPA (Tentative)	Chamber Orchestra	TBA	4/12-14	TBA
Orchestra Awards Banquet	All Orchestra Students	DHS Cafeteria	4/30	6:00pm
SPECTRUM CONCERT (Combined w/ Band)	All Durant Band/Orchestra	DHS Auditorium	5/7	6:00pm
Durant Commencement Ceremony	'27-28 Chamber Orchestra	FL State Fairgrounds	TBA	TBA

This calendar is tentative and is subject to change. Please address any questions to Mr. Emory – jason.emory@hcps.net