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**Early Release Reminder**

All Aiken County Public School students will be dismissed from school early on the first Wednesday of each month during the school year. This time will be used as staff development for teachers employed by Aiken County Public Schools.

**September 1, 2010 • October 6, 2010 • November 3, 2010**

**December 1, 2010 • January 5, 2011 • February 2, 2011**

**March 2, 2011 \* May 4, 2011**

*\*Note: There will be no early release day in April due to the Spring Break holiday.*

Parents are asked to mark these dates on their calendar and make arrangements for child care and transportation. School buses will operate as usual on these days by transporting bus riders to their normal point of delivery.

Parents and child care providers may contact the child's school for the exact dismissal time or visit the district website at [www.aiken.k12.sc.us](http://www.aiken.k12.sc.us), click on SCHOOLS, and then select the area of the child's school to view early release times.

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