

What About Our Local Schools?

Do you know how to find information about your child's school or school division? There are three school divisions in and around Roanoke: Roanoke City Schools, Roanoke County Schools and Salem City Schools. Choose a school division from the pages below. Answer the questions by going to the division's Web site. Answer all questions with a complete sentence.

ROANOKE CITY SCHOOLS

<http://www.roanoke.k12.va.us>

Who is the superintendent of Roanoke City Schools?

Who is the chairperson of the Roanoke City School Board?

When does the Roanoke City School Board meet?

Find the "Make-Up Day Information" and "Inclement Weather Information" links on the RCS Homepage. Write the Internet addresses (URLs) for each:

Make-Up Day Information: _____

Inclement Weather Information: _____

Go to the *Quick Find* dropdown box on the left side of the RCS Homepage. Find the information to fill in the spaces of the table below:

2003-2004 School Calendar

First Day of School for Students	
First Parent-Teacher Conference Day	
Thanksgiving Holiday	
Winter Break	
Second Parent-Teacher Conference Day	
Spring Break	
Last Day of School for Students	

What is the Web site address (URL) of your child's school? (If you do not have a child in school, choose a school and write its name and Web site in the space below)

Answer the following questions about the school you chose:

Who is the principal?

What is the school's phone number and street address?

What did the students eat for lunch today in the cafeteria (elementary schools only)?

List the school supplies your child needs for the 2003-2004 school year (elementary schools and some middle schools only):

Did you find your child's teacher on the "Staff Page?" Yes No

Did you find the school's Standards of Learning scores? Yes No

On a scale of 1-10, how do you rate this school's Web site? _____

ROANOKE COUNTY SCHOOLS

<http://www.rcs.k12.va.us>

Who is the superintendent of Roanoke County Schools?

Who is the chairperson of the Roanoke County School Board?

When does the Roanoke County School Board meet?

What did the (elementary or middle) school students eat for lunch today in the cafeteria?

Go to the *Select One* dropdown box on the left side of the Roanoke County Schools Homepage. Find the information to fill in the spaces of the table below:

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Answer the following questions about the school you chose:

Who is the principal?

What is the school's phone number and street address?

List the school supplies your child needs for the 2003-2004 school year (elementary schools and some middle schools only):

Find the school's Student Handbook. Answer the following questions:

What is your child not permitted to wear to school?

Where do you find information for snow days and school emergencies?

Did you find your child's teacher on the "Staff Page?" Yes No

Did you find the school's Standards of Learning scores? Yes No

On a scale of 1-10, how good is this school's Web site? _____

List two more interesting things about the school you chose:

1. _____

2. _____

SALEM CITY SCHOOLS

<http://saalem.k12.va.us/>

Who is the superintendent of Salem City Schools?

Who is the chairperson of the Salem City School Board?

When does the Salem City School Board meet?

What did the (elementary or middle) school students eat for lunch today in the cafeteria?

Click on *Download the 2003-2004 School Calendar* on the left side of the Salem City Schools Homepage. Find the information to fill in the spaces of the table below:

2003-2004 School Calendar

First Day of School for Students	
First Parent-Teacher Conference Day	
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Winter Break	
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Spring Break	
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