



# 2026 WAKE FOREST DEMON DEACONS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Atlantic Coast Conference - All times Eastern

Updated: July 20, 2026 (ACC Championship Game added)

| WK  | DATE        | OPPONENT                        | TIME (ET) | TV   |
|-----|-------------|---------------------------------|-----------|------|
| 1   | Thu, Sep 3  | vs Akron Zips                   | 7:00 PM   | ACCN |
| 2   | Sat, Sep 12 | @ Purdue Boilermakers           | TBD       | TBD  |
| 3   | Fri, Sep 18 | vs Miami Hurricanes             | 7:30 PM   | ESPN |
| 4   | Sat, Sep 26 | @ Louisville Cardinals          | TBD       | TBD  |
| 5   | Sat, Oct 3  | vs Stanford Cardinal            | TBD       | TBD  |
| 6   | Sat, Oct 10 | @ NC State Wolfpack             | TBD       | TBD  |
| 7   | Sat, Oct 17 | @ California Golden Bears       | TBD       | TBD  |
| BYE | Sat, Oct 24 | Open Date - Bye Week            | -         | -    |
| 9   | Sat, Oct 31 | vs Virginia Cavaliers           | TBD       | TBD  |
| 10  | Sat, Nov 7  | vs Merrimack Warriors           | TBD       | TBD  |
| 11  | Sat, Nov 14 | @ SMU Mustangs                  | TBD       | TBD  |
| 12  | Sat, Nov 21 | @ Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets   | TBD       | TBD  |
| 13  | Sat, Nov 28 | vs Duke Blue Devils             | TBD       | TBD  |
| CCG | Sat, Dec 5  | ACC Championship (if qualified) | 12:00 PM  | ABC  |

*Bold = network-confirmed time/TV. Window games have a set TV window; exact kickoff and network are announced about six days before each game.  
ACC Championship Game: Saturday, December 5, 2026 at Bank of America Stadium, Charlotte - team plays only if it finishes in the top two of the ACC.*