

CAROLINA PANTHERS 2026 SCHEDULE

Preseason and all 18 weeks | Times in Eastern | Track every result as you go

HOME GAMES	ROAD GAMES	BYE WEEK	STADIUM	HEAD COACH
9	8	Week 5	Bank of America	Dave Canales

PRESEASON SCHEDULE

WEEK	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (ET)	TV	RESULT
PRE HOF	Thu, Aug 6	vs Arizona Cardinals (Canton)	8:00 PM	NBC	
PRE 1	Sat, Aug 15	at Buffalo Bills	1:00 PM	Panthers TV	
PRE 2	Fri, Aug 21	at Jacksonville Jaguars	7:30 PM	Panthers TV	
PRE 3	Fri, Aug 28	vs Houston Texans	7:00 PM	Panthers TV	

REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE

WEEK	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (ET)	TV	RESULT
1	Sun, Sep 13	vs Chicago Bears HOME OPENER	1:00 PM	FOX	
2	Sun, Sep 20	at Atlanta Falcons	1:00 PM	FOX	
3	Sun, Sep 27	at Cleveland Browns	1:00 PM	FOX	
4	Sun, Oct 4	vs Detroit Lions SUNDAY NIGHT	8:20 PM	NBC	
5		BYE WEEK			
6	Sun, Oct 18	at Philadelphia Eagles	1:00 PM	CBS	
7	Sun, Oct 25	vs Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1:00 PM	FOX	
8	Thu, Oct 29	at Green Bay Packers THURSDAY NIGHT	8:15 PM	Prime	
9	Sun, Nov 8	vs Denver Broncos	1:00 PM	CBS	
10	Sun, Nov 15	at New Orleans Saints	1:00 PM	FOX	
11	Sun, Nov 22	vs Baltimore Ravens	1:00 PM	FOX	
12	Mon, Nov 30	at Tampa Bay Buccaneers MONDAY NIGHT	8:15 PM	ESPN	
13	Sun, Dec 6	at Minnesota Vikings	4:25 PM	CBS	
14	Sun, Dec 13	vs New Orleans Saints	1:00 PM	CBS	
15	Sun, Dec 20	vs Cincinnati Bengals	1:00 PM	FOX	
16	TBD	at Pittsburgh Steelers	TBD	TBD	
17	Sun, Jan 3	vs Seattle Seahawks	1:00 PM	FOX	
18	TBD	vs Atlanta Falcons SEASON FINALE	TBD	TBD	

SEASON NOTES

- Beat Arizona 33-30 in the Aug 6 Hall of Fame Game in Canton.
- Luke Kuechly was enshrined in Canton two days later, on Aug 8.
- Week 5 bye is the earliest in the league, shared with Kansas City.
- Nine home dates at Bank of America Stadium, eight road games.
- Three road trips leave the Eastern zone, all to Central cities.
- Defending NFC South champions after going 8-9 in 2025.
- Three prime time kickoffs: Weeks 4, 8 and 12.
- Weeks 16 and 18 have no date, time or TV listing yet.
- Atlanta bookends the year: away in Week 2, home in Week 18.
- Week 1 hosts Chicago, the reigning NFC North champion.