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August

Friday	12	Administrative & Supervisory Personnel Meeting
Wednesday	17	Teachers on Duty
Thursday	18	Systemwide Professional Development Activities
Wednesday	24	Opening Day for Students
	Pupil Days	6
	Teacher Days	11

September

Monday	5	Labor Day – Schools and Offices Closed
Sunday	11	Eid al-Adha*
	Pupil Days	21
	Teacher Days	21

October

Monday	3	Schools and Offices Closed – Rosh Hashanah
Monday	10	Columbus Day*
Wednesday	12	Schools and Offices Closed – Yom Kippur
Friday	21	Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on C
Thursday	27	First Marking Period Ends – Elementary and Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Grade Report Analysis** – Teachers on Duty; High Schools in Session Full Day
	Pupil Days	18
	Teacher Days	19

November

Tuesday	8	Election Day – Schools and Offices Closed
Thursday	10	Report Cards Distributed; Preschool-3 and Pre-K Conference Day – No Preschool-3 or Pre-K A.M. or P.M. Se Teachers on Duty
Friday	11	Veterans Day*; Elementary Conference Day – Schools Closed for Elementary Students – Teachers on Duty – I Schools and High Schools in Session Full Day
Monday-Friday	14-18	American Education Week
Thursday-Friday	24-25	Thanksgiving Holiday – Schools and Offices Closed
	Pupil Days	18-19
	Teacher Days	19

December

Friday	9	Half-Day Professional Development – Elementary and Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Teachers on Duty; High Schools in Session Full Day
Thursday	15	Bill of Rights Day*
Thursday	22	Christmas Holiday/Winter Break Begins at the End of School Day
	Pupil Days	16
	Teacher Days	16

January

Tuesday	3	Schools Reopen
Friday	13	Second Marking Period Ends – All Schools Close 3 Hours Early – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis** – Teachers on Duty
Sunday	15	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s, Birthday *
Monday	16	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s, Birthday Observed – Schools and Offices Closed
Tuesday	17	Systemwide Professional Development Day, Schools Closed for All Students, Teachers on Duty
Thursday	26	Distribution of Report Cards
	Pupil Days	19
	Teacher Days	20

February

Sunday	12	Lincoln's Birthday*
Friday	17	Half-Day Professional Development – Elementary and Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students– Teachers on Duty; High Schools in Session Full Day
Monday	20	Presidents' Day – Schools and Offices Closed
Wednesday	22	Washington's Birthday*
	Pupil Days	19
	Teacher Days	19

March

Saturday	25	Maryland Day*
Friday	31	Third Marking Period Ends – Elementary and Middle School Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students - Grade and Data Analysis** – Teachers on Duty; High Schools in Session Full Day
	Pupil Days	23
	Teacher Days	23

April

Friday	7	Easter Holiday/Spring Break begins at the end of the day
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Calendars - Next School Year

Tuesday	18	Schools Reopen
Thursday	20	Distribution of Report Cards
	Pupil Days	14
	Teacher Days	14

May

Monday	8	Pre-K and Kindergarten Conference Day – No Preschool-3, Pre-K, or Kindergarten Sessions; Teachers on Duty
Tuesday	9	Pre-K Conference Day – No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions; Teachers on Duty
Friday	26	Last Day for Seniors
Monday	29	Memorial Day Observed – Schools and Offices Closed
Tuesday	30	Commencement Exercises Begin
	Pupil Days	22
	Teacher Days	22

June

Thursday-Friday	1-9	Commencement Exercises
Wednesday	14	Flag Day*
Thursday	15	Assessment Day*** – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis – Elementary, Middle, and High Schools in Session Full Day of Classes for Preschool-3 and Pre-K
Friday	16	Assessment Day*** – Elementary and Middle School Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis** – Teachers on Duty; High Schools in Session Full Day
Monday	19	Assessment Day*** – Last Day of Classes; Elementary and Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – in Session Full Day – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis** – Teachers on Duty
	Pupil Days	13
	Teacher Days	13

Total Pupil Days:189-190
Total Teacher Days:197

June

Thursday-Friday	29-30	Summer School Teachers on Duty (Teachers choose June 29 or June 30)
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July

Tuesday	4	Independence Day – Schools and Offices Closed
Wednesday	5	Summer School Begins
Friday	28	Summer School Ends

* Schools open with appropriate exercises OR appropriate exercises to be scheduled on the school day prior

** GRADE & DATA RECORDING, DATA ANALYSIS – Principals and teachers will have time for grade and data recording, data analysis/progress assessment

***ASSESSMENT DAY – High schools will have the opportunity to administer traditional final exams or to use alternative assessment procedures.

If schools are closed six days due to emergency conditions, it may be necessary to alter the school calendar. Additional days may be scheduled as required at the end of the school year. Depending on the use of emergency full-day closures, delayed openings or early dismissals, the calendar may be adjusted as needed to meet the minimum days/hours. Professional Development days may be modified. Teacher duty days will not exceed 191. End-of-year adjustments to the school calendar will be announced as feasible.

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