

# Christina School District Calendar 2016-2017

JULY 2016	
July 4 (Mon)	SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED

AUGUST 2016	
August 17-19 (Wed-Fri)	New Teacher Orientation
August 22 (Mon)	Classroom Prep Day
August 23-25 (Tues-Thurs)	Professional Development
August 26 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED (Offices Open )
August 29 (Mon)	<p><b>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grades 1-6 and Grade 9</li> <li>• Grades PK-12, <b>Brennen School-Delaware Autism Program (DAP)</b></li> <li>• Grades K-12, Delaware School for the Deaf (DSD)</li> <li>• Grades K-12, REACH Program</li> <li>• <b>Sarah Pyle Academy</b></li> </ul> <p><b>ORIENTATION DAY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kindergarten (<i>Orientation times are determined at each Elementary School site</i>)</li> </ul>
August 29 (Mon) – September 1 (Thurs)	<p><b>Preschool &amp; Prekindergarten Home Visits</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Christina Early Education Center (CEEC)</li> <li>• Delaware School for the Deaf (DSD)</li> <li>• City of Wilmington Preschool Programs</li> </ul>
August 30 (Tue)	<p><b>ALL STUDENTS ATTEND SCHOOL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kindergarten through Grade 12</li> <li>• Montessori Academy at Christina – Newark/Wilmington</li> </ul>

SEPTEMBER 2016	
September 2 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED & OFFICES OPEN
September 5 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED – Labor Day
September 6 (Tue)	<p><b>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Preschool children except DAP students</li> </ul>
September 12 (Mon)	Open House: Middle Schools
September 13 (Tue)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development (Offices Open)
September 15 (Thu)	Open House: High Schools
September 19 (Mon)	Open House: Elementary Schools
September 22 (Thu)	Open House: Specialized Schools
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OCTOBER 2016	
October 3 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – (Offices Open)
October 7 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development (Offices Open)
October 12 (Wed)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – (Offices Open)
October 17 (Mon)	Choice Open House – Newark High School, 5:30-7:00 pm
October 24 (Mon)	Choice Open House – Bayard Middle School, 5:30-7:00 pm
October 28 (Fri)	*1 <sup>st</sup> Marking Period Ends (4 Marking period Schools)

NOVEMBER 2016	
November 1 (Tue)	* Choice Application Period Begins for 2017-2018 School Year, Grades KN-12
November 2 (Wed)	AVID Shadow Day
November 8 (Tue)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED – Presidential Election Day
November 11 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Veterans' Day
November 18 (Fri)	1 <sup>st</sup> Trimester Ends (Trimester Schools)
November 21 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – (Offices Open) – (Parent Conferences during Regular School Hours & Evening Hours from 4 – 7:30 pm) <b>*** Paraprofessional OFF Evening Hours 4 – 7:30 pm</b>
November 22 (Tue)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – (Offices Open) – (Parent Conferences during the first 3.5 hours of the school day) <b>*** Paraprofessional OFF</b>
November 23 (Wed)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - (Offices Open) - Thanksgiving Holiday
November 24-25 (Thu-Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Thanksgiving Holiday

DECEMBER 2016	
December 23 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED – Winter Holiday
December 26 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED – Winter Holiday
December 27- Dec 29 (Tue - Thur)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED (Offices Open)
December 30 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED

JANUARY 2017	
January 2 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED
January 11 (Wed)	State Deadline for School Choice Applications for 2017-2018 School Year, Grades 1-12
January 16 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED – Martin Luther King Holiday
January 17, 18, 19, 20, (Tue-Fri)	Early Dismissal - High Schools - Semester Exams
January 20 (Fri)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)

FEBRUARY 2017	
February 17 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Parent Conferences(Offices Open) <b>*** Paraprofessional OFF</b>
February 20 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Presidents' Day
February 24 (Fri)	<b>*** 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester Ends</b>

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MARCH 2017	
March 17 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development (Offices Open)
March 24 (Thu)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)
March 25 (Sat)	Band Festival, 4:00 – 6:00 pm, Glasgow High School

APRIL 2017	
April 14 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED – Spring Break
April 17 –April 21 (Mon-Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Spring Break (Offices Open)
April 25 (Tue)	Annual District Art Show Opening Reception, 6:00-8:00 pm, Gauger-Cobbs
April 26 – May 2 (Wed – Tue)	Annual District Art Show, 7:00 am-3:00 pm, Gauger-Cobbs Middle School

MAY 2017	
May 3 (Wed)	Annual District Art Show, 7:00 am-2:00 pm, Gauger-Cobbs Middle School
May 4 (Thu)	7 <sup>th</sup> Annual Transition to Adult Life Fair – Christiana High School
May 25 (Thu)	*** 3 <sup>rd</sup> Trimester Ends
May 26 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – (Offices Open)
May 29 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Memorial Day

JUNE 2017	
June 5 (Mon)	Glasgow High School Graduation
June 6 (Tue)	Christiana High School Graduation
June 7 (Wed)	Newark High School Graduation
June 7-12 (Wed - Mon)	High School Exams
June 8 (Thu)	Brennen School, Delaware Autism Program (DAP) Graduation – Afternoon Delaware School for the Deaf (DSD) Graduation – Evening
June 9 (Fri)	Groves Adult High School Graduation Last PK Student Day*
June 15 (Thu)	Last Student Day* <i>Last Paraprofessional Day*</i>
June 16 (Fri)	Last Teacher Day*
June 19 (Mon)	**** <b><i>Weather Contingency Day</i></b>

Note: \*\*\* Weather Contingency Day is defined as an approved day that schools and/or offices are closed that can be returned to the calendar as a regular school day in the event of excessive school closures due to weather or other circumstances. The decision to activate a Weather Contingency Day will be made by the Superintendent.