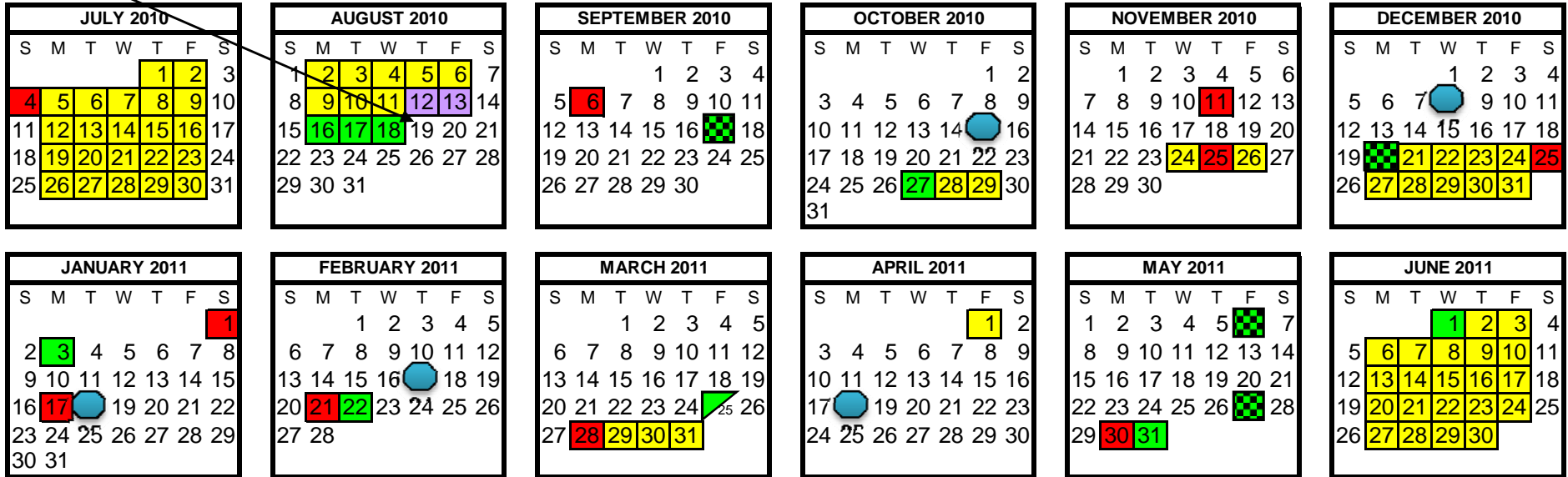


First day of school

DENVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2010-2011 School Year Calendar

Adopted by School District No. 1 in the City and County of Denver and the State of Colorado



NO CLASSES FOR STUDENTS

Non-Student Contact Days (No classes for students)

August 16, 17, 18; January 3; February 22; May 31; June 1

Total of 4.5 planning days - teacher self-directed planning. Total of 3.0 professional days - principal directed professional development. SLT to determine which non-student contact days are planning and which are professional.

Parent/Teacher Conference Days (No classes for students)

October 27 (Schools may modify the daily schedule for parent/teacher conference to meet the needs of the school community. Schools will also determine date and time for parent/teacher conference during 2nd semester.)

Early Release for Students

March 25 (School will dismiss three hours earlier than regular bell schedule.)

Assessment Days (No classes for students, See * and ** below for exceptions.)

September 17; December 20, May 6*, 27**

* **May 6--No Classes for Elementary, K-8, and Middle School Students**

** **May 27--No Classes for High School Students**

SEMESTER DATES

First Semester Begins 8/19; Ends 12/17

Second Semester Begins 1/4; Ends 5/27

STUDENT REPORT DAYS

78 Days

94.5 Days

172.5 Total Days

TEACHER REPORT DAYS

84 Days

100 Days

184 Total Days

MS/HS WALK-IN REGISTRATION

August 12, 13

EARLY RELEASE FOR STUDENTS

October 15; December 8; January 18; February 17; April 18. School will dismiss three hours earlier than regular bell schedule.

VACATION/NO CLASSES

HOLIDAY/NO CLASSES

- Independence Day - July 4
- Labor Day - September 6
- Veterans' Day - November 11
- Thanksgiving Day - November 25
- Christmas Day - December 25
- New Year's Day - January 1
- Martin Luther King Day - January 17
- Presidents' Day - February 21
- Cesar Chavez Day - March 31
(Observed March 28)
- Memorial Day - May 30

END OF TERM-TO BE FOLLOWED BY REPORT CARDS

ES, ECE-8 and MS Trimester: November 12; February 25; May 27

6-12, High School 6 Weeks: Sept. 24; Nov. 4; Dec. 17; February 18; April 14; May 27

6-12, High School 9 Weeks: October 13; December 17; March 14; May 27

BENCHMARK ASSESSMENTS

September 7-16; November 29-December 10; April 25-May 5

MID-TERM AND END OF COURSE ASSESSMENTS

September 7-16; December 6-16; May 9-25

The Calendar for the 2010-2011 school year is adopted by the Board of Education subject to the provision that if for any reason the School District must close schools for more than the time provided by the statutes, the adopted 2010-2011 calendar may be amended by the Board of Education to provide enough additional school days on Saturdays, during vacation, or at the end of the present calendar to meet legal requirements as required by the statutes.