



# JEFFERSON PARISH PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM 2015-16 SCHOOL CALENDAR

REGULAR SUMMER SCHOOL (Grades 8-12) – 2015 (Mon. – Thur. Only):

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|---------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| May 27  | Wednesday | Teacher In-Service (Half-Day)   |
| May 28  | Thursday  | Semester A Registration         |
| June 1  | Monday    | Semester A – First Day          |
| June 24 | Wednesday | Semester A – Last Day (15 Days) |
| June 25 | Thursday  | Semester B Registration         |
| June 29 | Monday    | Semester B – First Day          |
| July 22 | Wednesday | Semester B – Last Day (15 Days) |
| July 23 | Thursday  | Summer School Close-Out         |

4<sup>th</sup> AND 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE SUMMER REMEDIATION - 2015:

|         |           |                                  |
|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| July 2  | Thursday  | Teacher In-Service (Half-Day)    |
| July 6  | Monday    | Remediation – First Day          |
| July 10 | Friday    | No School (Students/Teachers)    |
| July 29 | Wednesday | Remediation – Last Day (17 days) |

EOC SUMMER REMEDIATION - 2015:

|            |               |                                  |
|------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| June 8     | Monday        | Remediation – First Day          |
| June 19    | Friday        | Remediation – Last Day (10 Days) |
| June 22-26 | Monday-Friday | EOC Testing Window               |

EXTENDED SCHOOL YEAR PROGRAM (ESYP) SUMMER SCHOOL – 2015 (Mon. – Thur. Only):

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| June 5           | Friday          | Principals Meeting  |
| June 8           | Monday          | ESYP Staff Report   |
| June 9           | Tuesday         | ESYP Session 1 – First Day                                |
| June 25          | Thursday        | ESYP Session 1 – Last Day (11 Days)                       |
| June 29 – July 3 | Monday – Friday | ESYP Break (July 3 <sup>rd</sup> is a Systemwide Holiday) |
| July 6           | Monday          | ESYP Session 2 – First Day                                |
| July 23          | Thursday        | ESYP Session 2 – Last Day (12 Days)                       |
| July 24          | Friday          | ESYP Principal Meeting and Close Out                      |

REGULAR SCHOOL CALENDAR:

- Days marked in **bold** mean there is no school for students
- Days identified with a ♦ are designated make-up days for inclement weather. In some cases, only a few days during a break are designated. Please see the list at the end of the calendar for specific details.
- For information on school registration, please visit [jpschools.org](http://jpschools.org) or contact your child’s school.

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|--------------------|-------------------------|--|
| <b>August 5</b>    | <b>Wednesday</b>        | <b>First Day for Teachers – No students</b>                      |
| <b>August 5-7</b>  | <b>Wednesday-Friday</b> | <b>Classroom Prep./Teacher Professional Development</b>          |
| August 10          | Monday                  | First Day of School for Students (Grades 1-12)                   |
| August 13/14       | Thursday/Friday         | First Day of School for PK/K & Parent Orientation at all schools |
| <b>September 7</b> | <b>Monday</b>           | <b>Labor Day (Student/Employee Holiday)</b>                      |

REGULAR SCHOOL CALENDAR (Continued):

|                    |                |                                 |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| September 8-11     | Tuesday-Friday | Interim Reports Issued          |
| ♦ <b>October 5</b> | <b>Monday</b>  | <b>Student/Employee Holiday</b> |

- ♦ One or more days are reserved as a make-up day for inclement weather.
- \*Parent Conferences will be held after school on a regular school day. Specific times will be announced by each Principal.
- \*\*Students are released 120 minutes earlier on early release days.

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|-------------------------|------------------------|--|
| October 9               | Friday                 | End of First Marking Period (43 Days)  |
| October 16              | Friday                 | Report Cards Issued  |
| <b>◆ October 19</b>     | <b>Monday</b>          | <b>Teacher PD and Parent Conferences (4-7 PM)*</b>   |
| November 9-13           | Monday-Friday          | Interim Reports Issued   |
| <b>◆ November 23-27</b> | <b>Monday-Friday</b>   | <b>Fall Break (Student/Employee Holiday)</b>   |
| November 30-            | Monday-Wednesday       | Fall EOC Testing Window  |
| December 16             |                        |  |
| December 16-18          | Wednesday-Friday       | Middle/High Exam Days (Half-day in Middle and High Schools Only, Full Day in Elementary)** |
| December 18             | Friday                 | End of Second Marking Period (44 Days)   |
| <b>December 21-</b>     | <b>Monday-Friday</b>   | <b>Winter Break (Student/Employee Holiday)</b>   |
| <b>January 1</b>        |                        |  |
| <b>January 4</b>        | <b>Monday</b>          | <b>Records Day (Student Holiday)</b>   |
| January 8               | Friday                 | Report Cards Issued  |
| <b>January 18</b>       | <b>Monday</b>          | <b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Student/Employee Holiday)</b>                              |
| February 1-5            | Monday-Friday          | Interim Reports Issued   |
| <b>◆ February 8-12</b>  | <b>Monday-Friday</b>   | <b>Mardi Gras (Student/Employee Holiday)</b>   |
| February 22             | Monday                 | Early Release Day - Parent Conferences***  |
| March 1                 | Tuesday                | ACT Exam   |
| March 11                | Friday                 | End of Third Marking Period (43 Days)  |
| March 14-18             | Monday-Friday          | PARCC Testing – Phase I (Grades 3-8 Math/ELA)  |
| March 21                | Monday                 | Report Cards Issued  |
| <b>◆ March 25 –</b>     | <b>Friday - Friday</b> | <b>Spring Break (Student/Employee Holiday)</b>   |
| <b>April 1</b>          |                        |  |
| April 5-6               | Tuesday-Wednesday      | LEAP/iLEAP Testing (Grades 3-8 Science/Social Studies)                                     |
| April 18-22             | Monday-Friday          | Interim Reports Issued   |
| April 25-29             | Monday-Friday          | PARCC Testing – Phase 2 (Grades 3-8 Math/ELA)  |
| April 25-May 20         | Monday-Friday          | Spring EOC Testing Window (High School)  |
| May 13                  | Friday                 | Last Day for Seniors Exempt from all Exams   |
| May 16-18               | Monday-Wednesday       | Senior Exams   |
| May 23-25               | Monday-Wednesday       | Middle/High Exam Days (Half-Day Middle and High Schools Only, Full Day in Elementary)**    |
| May 25                  | Wednesday              | Last Day for Students – Half-Day (End of Final Marking Period – 47 Days)                   |
| <b>May 26</b>           | <b>Thursday</b>        | <b>Records Day</b>   |

◆ One or more days are reserved as a make-up day for inclement weather

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\*\*Half-days must contain 190 instructional minutes.

\*\*\*Students will be released 120 minutes early. Parent Conferences will run for 3 hours after dismissal.

## INCLEMENT WEATHER DAYS

The make-up days for inclement weather are marked with a diamond (◆) in the calendar:

October 5, 2015  
October 19, 2015  
November 23, 2015  
November 24, 2015  
January 18, 2016  
February 11, 2016  
February 12, 2016  
February 22, 2016  
March 25, 2016  
March 30, 2016  
March 31, 2016  
April 1, 2016

**Inclement Weather Days are not listed in any particular order. If the school system is shut down for any reason, the district will announce make-up days as needed. If the district closes for an extended period of time, the district may pursue other means of making up instructional time including adding time to the school day.**

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