

2019-20 Calendar-at-a-Glance

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180 School Days

Quarter 1 = 50 days
 Quarter 2 = 40 days
 Quarter 3 = 51 days
 Quarter 4 = 39 days

Inclement Weather

Days missed due to inclement weather will be made up with hours accumulated by the schools in excess of the minimum 990 hours required by the standards of accreditation.

Professional Days

Professional Development Days consist of contract time provided for:

- Learning experiences (both individual and collaborative) that enhance school and teacher practices, leading to improved student learning; and
- Improving our practices with the aim of supporting school and division priorities.

Teacher Work Days consist of contract time provided for planning curriculum, instruction and assessments and assessing student work.

Religious/Cultural Observances

Rosh Hashanah: sunset 9/29 – nightfall 10/1
 Yom Kippur: sunset 10/8 – nightfall 10/9
 Diwali: 10/27
 Veterans Day: 11/11
 Hanukkah: sunset 12/22 – nightfall 12/30
 Christmas: 12/25
 Kwanzaa: 12/26 – 1/1
 Chinese New Year: 1/25
 Passover: sunset 4/8 – nightfall 4/16
 Good Friday: 4/10
 Easter: 4/12
 Orthodox Easter: 4/19
 Ramadan: 4/23 – 5/23

Observances With Holiday

Labor Day: 9/2
 Thanksgiving: 11/28
 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day: 1/20
 Memorial Day: 5/25
 Independence Day: 7/4 (observed 7/3)

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- New Teacher Orientation: 8/6 – 8/9
- Combination Teacher Workday/Professional Development Day (to be determined at the building level): 8/12, 8/14, 8/15, 8/19, 8/20
- Reserved for Division-wide Professional Development (no students): 8/13, 8/16, 11/1 (Making Connections will be held 11/1)
- 21 First Day of School: 8/21
- Holiday: 9/2, 11/27 – 11/29, 12/23 – 1/3, 1/20, 4/6 – 4/10, 5/25, 7/3
- Reserved for School-based Professional Development (no students): 9/30, 1/17 (half-day), 3/2
- End of 9-week Grading Period: 10/31, 1/17 (half-day), 4/3 (half-day), 6/5 (half-day)
- Teacher Workday (no students): 11/4, 1/21, 3/3, 4/3 (half-day), 6/5 (half-day), 6/8
- Reserved for Parent Conferences (may be a trade-off for teaching staff if conferences are held on other dates by the school; no students): 11/5
- 5 Last Day of School (half-day for students): 6/5

Notes: (1) Staff will make every effort to avoid scheduling activities on major religious/cultural observances. (2) Parent conferences must be completed by the end of November. (3) The school calendar may be abbreviated should fiscal challenges make it necessary.