



Unleashing Potential

Comprehensive Calendar 2026–2027



2026–2027 School Calendar

Montgomery County Public Schools

2026	
July 3	Independence Day—Schools and offices closed
August 17, 18, 19, 20, 21	Professional days for teachers
August 24 *	Student Transition Day*
August 25	First day of school for students
September 7	Labor Day—Schools and offices closed
September 18	Early release day for students/Planning/Grades/Interims for Educational Staff
September 21	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
October 16	Professional Development Day for staff; no school for students
November 2	Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students
November 3	Election Day—Schools and offices closed
November 23, 24, and 25	Early release days for students
November 26 and 27	Thanksgiving Holiday—Schools and offices closed
December 23	Early release day for students
December 24 and 25	Winter Break Holiday—Schools and offices closed
December 28 and 29	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
December 30 and 31	Systemwide Closure—Schools and offices closed
2027	
January 1	New Year's Day—Schools and offices closed
January 18	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday—Schools and offices closed
January 25	Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students
February 15	Presidents' Day Holiday—Schools and offices closed
February 26	Early release day for students/Planning/Grades/Interims for Educational Staff
March 9	Professional Development Day for staff; no school for students
March 26 and 29	Spring Break Holiday—No school for students and teachers
March 30 and 31	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
April 1 and 2	Systemwide Closures—Schools and offices closed
April 12	Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students
April 22 **	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
May 17 **	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
May 31	Memorial Day Holiday—Schools and offices closed
June 11	Last day of school for students; early release day for students
June 14 **	Grading and Planning for the end of term
June 18	Systemwide Closure—Schools and offices closed

*Student Transition Day is a full non-instructional day for students entering Grades K, 6, and 9; entering Grade 3 in elementary schools that service only Grades 3-5; and all new students to MCPS.

**If the school year is disrupted by emergencies and schools are closed three or more days, dates identified as possible make-up instructional days include April 22, May 17, June 14, 15, 16, and 17

2026-2027 WORK SCHEDULES

POSITIONS	FIRST WORK DAY	LAST WORK DAY	IN—SERVICE DATES	NO-WORK, NO-PAY DAYS
SUPPORTING SERVICES WORKING LESS THAN 12 MONTHS				2026-2027
Office Assistant II (4020), School Secretary I (4210), School Secretary II (4230), Career Advising Cluster Lead (6771)	8/12/26	6/17/27	8/21/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Media Assistant (6625)	8/12/26	6/17/27	8/21/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Speech Language Pathology Assistant (6530), Paraeducator Level II, Special Education Itinerant (6450), Paraeducator Level I, Special Education (6551), Paraeducator Level II, Special Education (6552), Paraeducator Level III, Special Education (6553), Paraeducator Level II, Special Education MCITP (6554), Educational Interpreter/Transliterators (6560), Occupational Therapy Assistant (6580), Wellness Trainer (7587)	8/19/26	6/11/27	8/19/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Bus Attendant, Special Education (6510), Bus Operator I (9210), Bus Operator II (9320), Radio Bus Operator (9325), Bus Operator I Permanent Sub (9490)	8/20/26	6/11/27	8/20/26 8/21/26 10/16/26	09/21/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Food Services Field Manager (7740)	8/17/26	6/11/27	8/18/26 8/19/26 10/16/26	09/21/2026, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Food Services Satellite Manager I (7600), Food Services Satellite Manager II (7610), Food Services Satellite Manager III (7615), Cafeteria Permanent Substitute (7531)	8/19/26	6/11/27	8/19/26 10/16/26	09/21/2026, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Security Assistant (5190), Parent Community Coordinator (6500), Teacher Assistant (6590), Paraeducator I (6600), Paraeducator Level I, ELD (6603), Paraeducator Level I, Focus (6604), Paraeducator Level II, PreK (6605), Paraeducator Level I, CREA (6606), Paraeducator Level I, 504 (6608), Paraeducator Level II, 504 (6609), Paraeducator Level I, Title I (6701), Dual Enrollment Program Assistant (6540)	8/19/26	6/11/27	8/19/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Lunch Hour Aide (6490), Lunch Hour Aide Perm (6491)	8/24/26	6/11/27	1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Paraeducator Level II, Head Start (6700)	8/18/26	6/14/27	8/21/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Social Services Assistant (6990)	8/18/26	6/14/27	8/21/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Cafeteria Worker I (7511), Warehouse Worker (9310), Truck Driver Warehouse Worker (9330), DFNS Truck Driver Warehouse Worker (9335)	8/20/26	6/11/27	10/16/26	09/21/2026, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27

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2026-2027 WORK SCHEDULES (CONTINUED)

POSITIONS	FIRST WORK DAY	LAST WORK DAY	IN - SERVICE DATES	NO-WORK, NO-PAY DAYS
SUPPORTING SERVICES WORKING LESS THAN 12 MONTHS				
Security Team Leader (5130)	8/19/26	6/14/27	8/21/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
CPF Worker I (7520), Catering Services Worker (7525)	8/18/26	6/8/27	10/16/26	09/21/2026, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
CPF Worker II (7560)	8/17/26	6/8/27	10/16/26	09/21/2026, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Cafeteria Manager I (7620), Cafeteria Manager II (7640), Cafeteria Manager III (7661), Cafeteria Manager IV (7680)	8/18/26	6/11/27	8/18/26 10/16/26	09/21/2026, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 01/25/27, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
Media Service Technician (6640)	8/12/26	6/17/27	8/21/26 1/25/27	09/21/26, 10/16/26, 11/02/26, 12/28/26, 12/29/26, 12/30/26, 12/31/26, 03/09/27, 03/30/27, 03/31/27, 04/01/27, 04/02/27, 04/12/27, 04/22/27, 05/17/27
OTHER EMPLOYEES				
Teachers	8/17/26	6/14/27		
12-mo. Employees	7/1/26	6/30/27		

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*Excludes 16 hours of unscheduled professional time **Reflects hours change from last school year

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2026 MEETINGS

- ▶ **MONDAY, JULY 6 4 p.m.**
Student Member of the Board Installation Ceremony
- ▶ **THURSDAY, JULY 16** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
- ▶ **THURSDAY, AUGUST 20** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
- ▶ **MONDAY, AUGUST 31 10 a.m.**
Committee on Special Populations Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 10 a.m.**
Strategic Planning Committee Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 3 p.m.**
Policy Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Work Session OPEN 12 p.m.
- ▶ **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 6 p.m.**
Legislative Summit
- ▶ **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 5:30 p.m.**
Fiscal Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22 6 p.m.**
Board Meeting with SEIU Local 500
- ▶ **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.
- ▶ **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6 6 p.m.**
Meeting with MCEA
- ▶ **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Board Business Meeting OPEN 12 p.m.
- ▶ **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13 6 p.m.**
Meeting with MCAAP/MCBOA
- ▶ **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15 10 a.m.**
Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Preliminary Presentation and Work Session 1
- ▶ **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Board Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.

- ▶ **MONDAY, OCTOBER 26 5 p.m.**
Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Hearing 1
- ▶ **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27 5 p.m.**
Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Hearing 2
- ▶ **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2 10 a.m.**
Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Work Session 2
- ▶ **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5 10 a.m.**
Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Work Session 3*
- ▶ **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12 5 p.m.**
Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Hearing 3*
- ▶ **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16 6 p.m.**
Meeting with MCCPTA
- ▶ **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
(with Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Decisions)
- ▶ **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3 4 p.m.**
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.
- ▶ **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10**
Election of Officers 9 a.m.
Closed Session 9:10 a.m.
Celebrations 12:30 p.m.
Business Meeting 1 p.m.
- ▶ **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17 6 p.m.**
Board Meeting with Student Leaders

2027 MEETINGS

- ▶ **MONDAY, JANUARY 11 5 p.m.**
Operating Budget Hearing 1
- ▶ **TUESDAY, JANUARY 12 10 a.m.**
Operating Budget Work Session 1
- ▶ **THURSDAY, JANUARY 14** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Work Session OPEN 12 p.m.
- ▶ **TUESDAY, JANUARY 19 10 a.m.**
Committee on Special Populations Meeting
- ▶ **THURSDAY, JANUARY 21 5 p.m.**
Operating Budget Hearing 2
- ▶ **MONDAY, JANUARY 25 10 a.m.**
Strategic Planning Committee Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, JANUARY 26 3 p.m.**
Policy Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27 5:30 p.m.**
Fiscal Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **THURSDAY, JANUARY 28** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.
- ▶ **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2 10 a.m.**
Operating Budget Work Session 2
- ▶ **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Work Session OPEN 12 p.m.
(with Spring Facilities and Boundaries Presentation and Work Session #1)
- ▶ **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8 10 a.m.**
Operating Budget Work Session 3*
- ▶ **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11 5 p.m.**
Operating Budget Hearing 3*
- ▶ **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16 5 p.m.**
Spring Facilities and Boundaries Hearing 1
- ▶ **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
(with Tentative Adoption of Operating Budget)
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.
- ▶ **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22 5 p.m.**
Spring Facilities and Boundaries Hearing 2
- ▶ **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23 10 a.m.**
Spring Facilities and Boundaries Work Session 2
- ▶ **MONDAY, MARCH 1 10 a.m.**
Spring Facilities and Boundaries Work Session 3*
- ▶ **TUESDAY, MARCH 2 10 a.m.**
Committee on Special Populations Meeting
- ▶ **MONDAY, MARCH 8 10 a.m.**
Strategic Planning Committee Meeting

- ▶ **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10 5 p.m.**
Spring Facilities and Boundaries Hearing 3 *
- ▶ **THURSDAY, MARCH 11** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Work Session OPEN 12 p.m.
- ▶ **MONDAY, MARCH 15 3 p.m.**
Policy Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, MARCH 16 5:30 p.m.**
Fiscal Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **THURSDAY, MARCH 25** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
(with Spring Facilities and Boundaries Decisions)
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.
- ▶ **THURSDAY, APRIL 15** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
- ▶ **THURSDAY, APRIL 29 6:30 p.m.**
Board Meeting with Montgomery County Planning Board
- ▶ **THURSDAY, MAY 6** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 12 p.m.
- ▶ **MONDAY, MAY 10 10 a.m.**
Committee on Special Populations Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, MAY 11 10 a.m.**
Committee Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, MAY 11 10 a.m.**
Strategic Planning Committee Meeting
- ▶ **THURSDAY, MAY 20** CLOSED 1 p.m.
Business Meeting OPEN 4 p.m.
Board Meeting Celebrations 3:30 p.m.
- ▶ **MONDAY, MAY 24 3 p.m.**
Policy Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **TUESDAY, MAY 25 5:30 p.m.**
Fiscal Management Committee Meeting
- ▶ **THURSDAY, JUNE 3** CLOSED 9 a.m.
Work Session OPEN 12 p.m.
- ▶ **THURSDAY, JUNE 17** CLOSED 1 p.m.

*IF NEEDED

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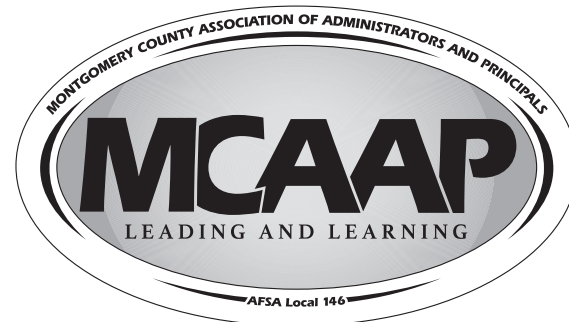
2026

- 08/12** MCAAP Leadership Retreat, MCAAP or, 2–8 p.m.
09/08 LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
09/09 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
09/10 School Business Administrators' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
09/16 HS Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
 MS Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
09/16 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 3–5:30 p.m.
09/24 ES Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
09/25 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
10/01 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
10/02 EPAT, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
 Title I Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 11:45 a.m.–4 p.m.
10/06 LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
10/07 HS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
10/08 School Business Administrators' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
10/09 ES AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 12 p.m.–3:30 p.m.
10/13 MS AP/MC PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 4–5:15 p.m.
10/15 MCBOA PLC, MCAAP or, 8–11:30 a.m.
10/21 Central Services Administrators' PLC, MCAAP/Hybrid, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
10/23 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
10/27 HS AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 8–11:30 a.m.
10/28 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
10/29 ES Principals' PLC, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
11/04 HS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
11/05 LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
11/06 EPAT, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
 Title I Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 11:45 a.m.–4 p.m.
11/10 MCAAP Annual Fall Membership Meeting, Sports & Social Bethesda, 4:30–7:30 p.m.
11/11 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 3–5:30 p.m.
11/12 School Business Administrators' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
11/18 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
11/19 ES Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
12/01 LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
12/02 HS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
12/03 MCBOA PLC, MCAAP or, 8–11:30 a.m.
12/04 EPAT, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
12/04 Title I Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 11:45 a.m.–4 p.m.
12/08 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
12/09 HS AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 8–11:30 a.m.
 MS AP/MC PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
12/10 School Business Administrators' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
12/11 ES AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 12 p.m.–3:30 p.m.
12/16 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 3–5:30 p.m.
12/18 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.

2027

- 01/05** LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
01/06 HS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
01/12 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
01/14 School Business Administrators' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
01/20 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting MCAAP, 3–5:30 p.m.
01/26 Central Services Administrators' PLC, MCAAP/Hybrid, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
01/27 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
01/28 ES Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
01/29 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
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 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 3–5:30 p.m.
02/19 ES AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 12 p.m.–3:30 p.m.
02/24 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
02/25 ES Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
02/26 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
03/05 EPAT, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
 Title I Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 11:45 a.m.–4 p.m.
03/10 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
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03/19 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
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04/14 HS AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 8–11:30 a.m.
04/21 Central Services Administrators' PLC, MCAAP/Hybrid, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
04/23 ES AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 12 p.m.–3:30 p.m.
04/28 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3 p.m.
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04/29 ES Principals' PLC, 15 W. Gude, Potomac & Patuxent Rooms, 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m.
04/30 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
05/04 LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
05/05 HS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3 p.m.
05/06 MCBOA PLC, MCAAP or, 8–11:30 a.m.

- 05/07** EPAT, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
 Title I Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 11:45 a.m.–4 p.m.
05/11 Athletic Directors' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30–11:30 a.m.
05/13 School Business Administrators' PLC, MCAAP, 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
 MCAAP Annual Spring Membership Meeting, 4:30–7:30 p.m.
05/19 MCAAP Board of Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 3–5:30 p.m.
05/26 MS Principals' PLC, MCAAP, 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.
05/28 A&S PGS Implementation Team, MCAAP, 1–3 p.m.
06/01 LDAC, MCAAP, 9–11 a.m.
06/04 ES AP/Coordinator PLC, MCAAP, 12 p.m.–3:30 p.m.
06/21 MCAAP Conference



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- 9/2...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 10/7...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 11/4...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 12/9...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.

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- 1/6...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 2/3...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 3/3...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 4/7...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 5/5...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.
- 6/2...Representative Assembly Meeting , 5–7 p.m.

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- 7/24....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 8/11....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 8/13....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 9/15....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 9/18....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Beech Conference Room
- 10/16 ..** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Maple Conference Room
- 10/20 ..** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 11/17 ..** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 11/20 ..** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Maple Conference Room
- 12/18 ..** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Maple Conference Room

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- 1/15....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Maple Conference Room
- 1/19....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 2/16....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
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- 5/21....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Maple Conference Room
- 6/11....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team- SSPGS Implementation Team, 45 West Gude Drive, Maple Conference Room
- 6/15....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.
- 7/20....** Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg 8:30 a.m.

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Department of Shared Accountability	240-740-2930
Division of School Leadership and Improvement	240-740-3068
Division of Human Resource and Talent Management: Certification Unit	240-740-8030
Division of Human Resources and Talent Management, Tuition Reimbursement	240-740-8045
Division of Teaching and Learning	240-740-3970
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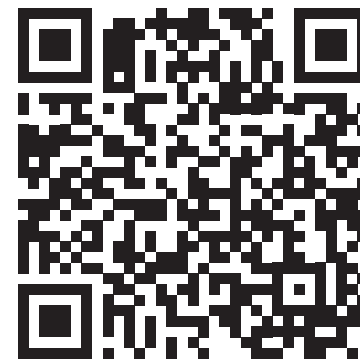
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JULY 2026

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

3 **HOLIDAY**—Independence Day—Schools and offices closed

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

4 Independence Day
9 Martyrdom of the Báb
10 Dharma Day/Asalha Puja
Chokhor Duchon
29 Guru Purnima

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

1 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Hoffman Rooms, 8 a.m.
Saturday School Registration Begins, 8 a.m.
2 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Hoffman Rooms, 8 a.m.
6 Student Member of the Board Installation Ceremony, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
7 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
9 Testing Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
10 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafras Lab, 8 a.m.
13 Section 504 Admin Training (2 sessions), Montgomery College, Germantown Campus, 8 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
16 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
17 Special Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 9 a.m.
Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
20 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
Division of Teaching and Learning Principal Meetings, 850 Hungerford Magothy Room, 9 a.m.
21 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
Infants and Toddlers Program Collaboration Committee Meeting, Virtual, 1 p.m.
New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 12 p.m.
New Leader Day 1/Day 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
22 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 12 p.m.
New Leader Day 1/Day 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
Principal Intern, 15 W. Gude, Tred Avon Room, 8 a.m.
23 Section 504 Admin Training (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 8 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
25 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel,
SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
27 Facilitating Professional Learning Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
28 Facilitating Professional Learning Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
29 All Staff Development Teachers (SDT) Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
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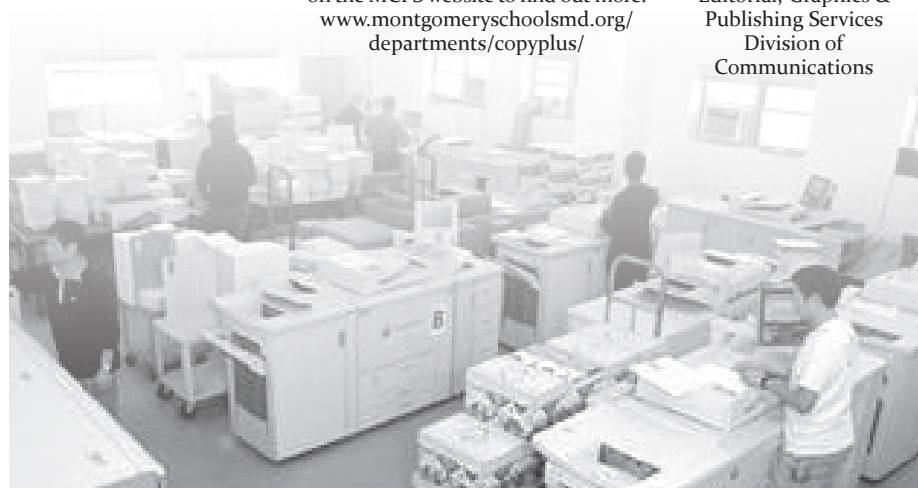
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BOARD OF EDUCATION — Student Member of the Board Installation 4 p.m.							
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					BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting 4 p.m.		
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POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

AUGUST 2026

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 17–21** Professional Days for Teachers
24 Student Transition Day/Non-Instructional Day
26 First Day of School for Students

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

- 5–14** Farvardegan, Mukhtad, Gatha Prayers
15 Feast of Assumption
16 Parsi New Year
20 Khordad Sal
25 Mawlid al-Nabi
27 Raksha Bandhan
Ullambana Day (Mahayana, Theravada)

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–31** National Back-to-School Month
National Immunization Awareness Month
1 Get Ready for Kindergarten Month
31 International Overdose Awareness Day

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 4** Section 504 New Counselor/Case Manager Refresher Training (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Sassafras Lab, 8:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
6 Section 504 New Counselor/Case Manager Refresher Training (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Sassafras Lab, 8:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
10 Athletic Director Meeting, Virtual Zoom Link: Meeting ID: 843 4520 8858 Passcode: 785470, 10 a.m.
11 Fall Preseason Coaches' Meeting, Watkins Mills HS, 11:30 a.m.
Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500—901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
12 Summer Graduation, Paint Branch HS, 10 a.m.
13 Administrative and Supervisory (A&S), Seneca Valley HS, 8:30 a.m.
Testing Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
14–22 Montgomery County Agricultural Fair
17 Special Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, Carver Education Services Center Auditorium, 1 p.m.
Preschool Education Program Itinerant Teacher PLC Meeting, 850 Hungerford Drive, Preschool Education Program Office, Room 204, 8:30 a.m.
Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, Carver Education Services Center Auditorium, 8:30 a.m.
18 Department of Transportation Back-to-School Meeting
FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafras Lab, 8 a.m.
20 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
Athletic Directors Meeting joined by Principals and Montgomery County Police Department, 15 W. Gude Dr, Pocomoke & Patapsco Rooms, 8 a.m.
Department of Transportation Divisionwide In-Service Training (Multiple Locations)
Social Studies Elementary Office Hours, Virtual Zoom Link Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
21 Department of Transportation Dry Run Day (All Buses)
Ribbon Cutting for New Schools: JoAnn Leck ES, Burtonsville ES, and Poolsville HS

- 22** Back-to-School Regional Fair:
Albert Einstein HS, Paint Branch HS, and Gaithersburg HS, 9 a.m.–12 p.m.
Richard Montgomery HS 1–4 p.m.
Wheaton HS and Seneca Valley HS 3–6 p.m.
24 Pre-K and Head Start Home/Family Visits all week — No School for Pre-K and Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
Pre-K Special Education Family/Home Visits—No School for Pre-K Special Education Students, 8 a.m.
25 Head Start Policy and Procedures Training for All Head Start Teachers and Paraeducators, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8:30 a.m.
Pre-K and Head Start Home/Family Visits all week — No School for Pre-K and Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
Pre-K Special Education Family/Home Visits—No School for Pre-K Special Education Students, 8 a.m.
26 Pre-K and Head Start Home/Family Visits all week — No School for Pre-K and Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
27 Preschool Education Program Staff Professional Learning—No School for Pre-K Special Education Students, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 9 a.m.
Pre-K and Head Start Home/Family Visits all week — No School for Pre-K and Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
Reading Specialists Office Hours, Virtual, 1–2 p.m.
28 Pre-K and Head Start Home/Family Visits all week — No School for Pre-K and Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
Pre-K Special Education Family/Home Visits—No School for Pre-K Special Education Students, 8 a.m.
31 Committee of Special Populations Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 10 a.m.
First Day of School for Pre-K Special Education Students. Start time depends on program
Pre-K/Head Start Staggered Opening, 8:30 a.m.

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	PRE - SERVICE WEEK					MCPS EVENT — MCPS Back-to-School Regional Fairs
				BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.		
23	24	25	26	27	28	\$ 29
	MCPS EVENT — Student Transition Day— First Day of School for Grades K, 6, 9 and Students New to MCPS	MCPS EVENT — First Day of School for All Students				
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\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

SEPTEMBER 2026

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 7** **HOLIDAY**—Labor Day—Schools and offices closed
18 Early Release Day for Students
21 Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

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| 1 Krishna Janmashtami | 16 Vishwakarma Puja |
| 7 Labor Day | 20–21 Yom Kippur |
| 8–15 Paryushan | 25–Oct 2 Sukkot |
| 11–13 Rosh Hashanah | 26–Oct 10 Pitru Paksh |
| 12 First Installation of Adi Granth | 28 Birth of Confucius |
| 14 Ganesh Chaturthi | |

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–30** Attendance Awareness Month
 African Heritage Month
 National Suicide Prevention Month
 National Recovery Month
8 International Literacy Day
13–19 National Arts in Education Week
14–20 National School Coordinators Appreciation Week
15–Oct. 15 Hispanic Heritage Month
15 National IT Professionals Day
26 National School Parent Group Appreciation Day

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1** Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Meeting, Site Specific, 8:30 a.m.
 Pre-K/Head Start Staggered Opening, 8:30 a.m.
2 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
3 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 12 p.m.
4 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 Emergent Multilingual Learners (ESOL transition counselors) Team Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
7 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
8 Policy Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room , 3 p.m.
 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/ Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
9 All ES Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Secondary Math Professional Learning, 3:30 p.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting, Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
10 Board Work Session, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 9 a.m.
 Board Work Session, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 4 p.m.
 All ES Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
10 English Language Development Sec. Students with Limited or Interrupted Formal Education Math PLC, 15 W. Gude, Tred Avon Room, 8:30 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours, Virtual, 1–2 p.m.

- 10 (cont.)** . Testing Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
11 All ES Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/ Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
14 Legislative Summit, 15 W. Gude, Room , 6 p.m.
 Administrative and Supervisory Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
15 Fiscal Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room , 5:30 p.m.
 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Collaboration Committee Meeting, Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Principal Intern Meeting, 15 West Gude Drive, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
16 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco Room, 8:30 a.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Planning Day, Remote Optional, 8 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meetings, Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
17 Acceleration and Enriched Instruction Support Teacher Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8:30 a.m.
 International Admissions and Enrollment Leadership Meetings, 1 p.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Section 504 New Counselor/Case Manager Refresher Training (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Sassafras Lab, 8:30 a.m.
 Section 504 New Counselor/Case Manager Refresher Training (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Sassafras Lab, 12:30 p.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours, Virtual Zoom Link, Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
18 ESOL Transition Counselor Team Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac or Patuxent Room, 1 p.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team Meeting, 45 W. Gude, Beech Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
19 George B. Thomas Sr. Learning Academy/Summer School, 8:30 a.m.
 Opening Ceremonies, 9 High School Locations, 8:30 a.m.
 Opening Ceremonies: George B. Thomas Sr. Learning Academy, All 9 Locations and 1 Virtual School, 8 a.m.
22 Board Meeting with SEIU 500 Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Room , 6 p.m.
 Student-Athlete Leadership Council Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 11 a.m.
23 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
24 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Reading Specialist Office Hours, Virtual, 1–2 p.m.

- 24 (cont.)** . Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/ Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
25 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Student Service Learning Summer Due Date
26 Saturday School Session 1, 9 High School Locations, 8 a.m.
28 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
29 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Enrichment Update Webinar (for families), Virtual, 6:30 p.m.
 Elementary Science Leadership Cohort, Maryland Agriculture History Farm, 18400 Muncaster Road, Derwood, MD, 8:30 a.m. or 1 p.m.
 Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/ Patuxent, 8 a.m.
 School Library Media Programs ES PLC
30 Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/ Patuxent, 8 a.m.

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6	7 HOLIDAY—Schools and offices closed (Labor Day)	8	9	10 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Work Session, 12 p.m.	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 🕒 \$ Early Release Day for Students — Planning/Grades/Interims for Educational Staff	19
20	21 Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers (Yom Kippur)	22	23	24 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.	25	26
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16 Professional Day for Teachers—No school for students

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

1–2 Mehregan
2–3 Shemini Atzeret
3–4 Simchat Torah
11–19 Navaratri
12 Indigenous Peoples' Day
18 Durga Puja/Ashtami (Hindu)
20 Dusshera (Hindu)
26 Pavarana
26–Nov 24 . Kathina

BOARD RECOGNITION

1–31 Bullying Prevention Awareness Month
 National Disability Employment Awareness Month
 National Domestic Violence Awareness Month
 National Principals Month
2 Building Service Worker Appreciation Day /
 National Custodial Worker's Recognition Day
5 World Teachers Day
6 National Coaches Appreciation Day
7 Walk to School Day
12–16 National School Lunch Week
18–24 America's Safe Schools Week
19–23 National School Bus Safety Week
23–31 Red Ribbon Week

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

1 International Admissions and Enrollment Leadership Meetings, 1 p.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon
 Rooms, 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
2 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 ESOL Transition Counselor Team Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms, 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
5 Principal Intern, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
6 Board Meeting with MCEA Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Room , 6 p.m.
 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Dr. Mary Ehrenworth: Day 1: Secondary English Language Development
 and English Language Arts Teachers Turning AI into a (Surprisingly
 Kind and Powerful) Writing Coach and Instructional Partner for
 Teachers and Students, 15 W Gude, Patuxent Room
 Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Tred Avon Room, 11:30 a.m.
 Section 504 New Counselor/Case Manager Refresher Training
 (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 8:30 a.m.
 Section 504 New Counselor/Case Manager Refresher Training
 (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 12:30 p.m.
7 ELA CS Meetings (Middle), 3:45 p.m.
 English Language Development Content Specialist Meeting
 ES Counselor Cluster Meeting, 1 p.m.
 Intake Specialist Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.

7 (cont.) .. MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 National Walk & Bike to School Day
 Secondary English Language Development and English Language Arts
 Teachers Turning AI into a (Surprisingly Kind and Powerful) Writing
 Coach and Instructional Partner for Teachers and Students, Day 2
8 Board Work Session, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 9 a.m.
 Board Work Session, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 8 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours, Virtual, 1–2 p.m.
 Testing Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
9 College Fair, College Fairs USA, Bohrer Park, 9 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
 Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 sessions),
 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 9 a.m.
 Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 sessions),
 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 12:30 p.m.
13 Board Meeting with MCAAP & MCBOA Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Room , 6 p.m.
 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Enrichment Update Webinar (for
 families), Virtual, 6:30 p.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Meeting, The Silver
 Spring Civic Building at Veteran's Plaza, 8:30 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
14 ALL Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke
 Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting, Richard
 Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
15 Capital Budget, Capital Improvements Program Preliminary
 Presentation and Work Session # 1, 15 W. Gude, 10 a.m.
 ALL Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke
 Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 International Admissions and Enrollment Leadership Meetings, 1 p.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional, Individual Planning
 Day, Site Specific, 12 p.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours , Virtual Zoom Link
 Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
16 Department of Transportation Fall In-service Training (Multiple Locations)
 ESOL Transition Counselor Team Meetings, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team
 Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
19 Districtwide Professional Learning Day
 MCPS Honors Jazz Auditions, Albert Einstein HS
19-23 National School Bus Safety Week
20 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Gifted & Talented Liaisons, Virtual, 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m., Virtual 9 a.m.
 Grade 5 Strathmore Concerts, Music Center of Strathmore

20 (cont.) . K-5: From Data Points to Pathfinders: Mapping Content and Language
 Objectives for Emergent Multilingual Learners
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/
 Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance
 and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg,
 8:30 a.m.
21 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting, Richard
 Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA,
 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
22 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Gifted & Talented Liaisons, Center for Technology Innovation-Patuxent
 Room, Virtual/Zoom, 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m., Virtual 9 a.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours, Virtual, 1–2 p.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/
 Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
23 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
 Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.
 ONE International Admissions and Enrollment Meeting, Rocking Horse
 Road Center, 8:30 a.m.
26 Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Hearing # 1,
 15 W. Gude, Room , 5 p.m.
27 Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Hearing #2,
 15 W. Gude, Room , 5 p.m.
 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Enrichment Update Webinar (for
 families), Virtual, 6:30 p.m.
 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
28 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Feedback Council, Virtual, 4:30 p.m.
 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 CogAT Training, Center for Technology Innovation, 8:30 a.m.
 ES Counselor Cluster Meeting, 1 p.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Montgomery County Youth Chorus Concert



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										MCPS EVENT — Latina Legacy Conference End of Marking Period 1			



POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

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ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

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OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 2 Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students
 3 **HOLIDAY**—Election Day—Schools and offices closed
 23–25 Early Release Days for Students
 26–27 **HOLIDAY**—Thanksgiving—Schools and offices closed

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

- 1 All Saints Day
 Lhabab Duchen (Tibetan)
 8 Bandi Chhor Divas -Guru Tegh Bahadur
 Diwali
 10 Birth of the Báb
 Gujarati New Year
 11 Birth of Bahá'u'lláh
 Veterans' Day
 14 Gyan Panchami
 26 Thanksgiving Day
 27 American Indian Heritage Day

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–30 National Career Development Month
 National Family Engagement Month
 Native American Heritage Month
 1 Maryland Emancipation Day
 2–6 National School Psychology Week
 8 National STEM and STEAM Day
 11 In Honor of Veterans Day
 13 World Kindness Day
 16–20 American Education Week
 18 Education Support Professionals Day
 20 Substitute Educators Day
 27 Native American Heritage Day

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 2 Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Work Session # 2,
 15 W. Gude, Room , 10 a.m.
 School Library Media Programs ES Professional Learning
 3 Humanities Grade 7 Curriculum Scope and Sequence and PL, —850
 Hungerford Drive, Eastern MS, or Martin Luther King, Jr. MS, 8:30 a.m.
 4 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Preseason Coaches' Meeting, Watkins Mills HS, 3 p.m.
 5 Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Work Session # 3 (If
 Needed), 15 W. Gude, Room , 10 a.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafrahs Lab, 8 a.m.
 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
 6 Auditory Communications Specialist Meeting, English Manor, 10 a.m.
 Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
 ESOL Transition Counselor Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.

- 10 Administrative and Supervisory (A&S), 15 West Gude Drive,
 3rd Floor (All Conference Rooms), 7 a.m.
 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Enrichment Update Webinar (for
 families), Virtual, 6:30 p.m.
 MCPS Senior Honors Band and All-County Orchestra Auditions, Wootton HS, 6 p.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
 11 CogAT Open Lab, 15 W. Gude, Choptank Lab, 8:30 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/ Zoom,
 12:30 p.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting, Richard
 Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
 12 Capital Budget and Capital Improvements Program Hearing # 3 (If Needed),
 15 W. Gude, Room , 5 p.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms,
 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/ Zoom,
 12:30 p.m.
 Student-Athlete Leadership Council Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Pocomoke
 Room, 11 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 13 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms,
 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training,
 MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
 16 Board Meeting with MCCPTA, 15 W. Gude, Room , 6 p.m.
 Administrative and Supervisory Peer assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room,
 8 a.m.
 CogAT Open Lab, Center for Technology Innovation, Choptank Lab, 8:30 a.m.
 MCPS Senior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Albert Einstein HS, 4:30 p.m.
 National, State, and Local Government District Assessments—Marking Period 2
 17 All Staff Development Teachers (SDT) Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room,
 8 a.m.
 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Grade 2 Strathmore Concerts, Music Center of Strathmore
 Infants and Toddlers Program Collaboration Committee Meeting,
 Virtual, 1 p.m.
 MCPS Junior Honors Band & Orchestra Auditions, Wootton HS, 6 p.m.
 MCPS Junior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Bethesda Chevy-Chase HS, 5:30 p.m.
 Section 504 Causation Meeting, Remote/ Zoom , 10 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and
 Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
 18 CogAT Open Lab, Center for Technology Innovation, 8:30 a.m.
 CogAT Training, Center for Technology Innovation , 8:30 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, 11:30 a.m.

- 18 (cont.) . Principal Intern Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting, Richard
 Montgomery HS , 3:45 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA,
 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
 19 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco Room, 8 a.m.
 Bilingual Assessment Team Monthly PLC Meeting, 9 a.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 CogAT Open Lab, Center for Technology Innovation, 8:30 a.m.
 Information Technology Foundation Lab Gifting Ceremony, Virtual, 9:30 a.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours , Virtual Zoom Link
 Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 20 ESOL Transition Counselor Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
 Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/ Zoom,
 12:30 p.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team
 Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
 23–25 No School for General and Pre-K Special Education/Head Start Students;
 Early Release for FULL DAY General and Pre-K Special Education/
 Head Start Students
 Pre-K Special Education Family Conferences
 25 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 26 International Admissions and Enrollment Leadership Meeting, 1 p.m.
 30 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Planning Day, Remote
 Optional, 8:30 a.m.
 MCPS Senior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Albert Einstein HS,
 4:30 p.m.

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1	2 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Capital Budget and CIP Work Session 2 Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students Teacher Grades Due by End of Duty Day	3 ELECTION DAY— Schools and offices closed	4	5 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Capital Budget and CIP Work Session 3 *if needed	6	7
8	9	10 A&S MEETING Report Cards Available in Synergy	11	12 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Capital Budget and CIP Work Session 2 Non-Instructional Day for Grading and Planning for Instructional Staff. No School for Students	13 🕒 \$	14
15	16 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Meeting with MCCPTA	17	18	19 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.	20	21
22	23 P A R E N T T E A C H E R C O N F E R E N C E S Early Release Day for Students	24 Early Release Day for Students	25 Early Release Day for Students	26 HOLIDAY— Schools and offices closed (Thanksgiving)	27 🕒 \$ HOLIDAY— Schools and offices closed (Thanksgiving)	28
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POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



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OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 23 Early Release Days for Students
 24–25 **HOLIDAYS**—Schools and offices closed
 28–29 Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
 30–31 **SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE**—Schools and offices closed

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

- 4–12 Channukah
 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception
 Bodhi Day
 14 Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur
 19 Gita Jayanti
 21 Yalda
 25 Christmas Day
 26-Jan. 1... Kwanzaa

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 7–11 National Inclusive Schools Week
 8–14 Computer Science Education Week

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Humanities Grade 6 Review and Reflection of Curriculum Implementation,
 —850 Hungerford Drive, Eastern MS, or Martin Luther King, Jr. MS, 8:30 a.m.
 MCPS Junior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Bethesda Chevy-Chase HS, 5:30 p.m.
 SLMP MS PLC
 2 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 3 Board Member Installation Ceremony, 15 W. Gude, Room , 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 12 p.m.
 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafrahs Lab, 8 a.m.
 4 Elementary Science Leadership Cohort, Maryland Agriculture History
 Farm, 18400 Muncester Road, Derwood, MD, 8:30 a.m. or 1 p.m.
 ESOL Transition Counselor Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
 7 MCPS Senior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Albert Einstein HS, 4:30 p.m.
 8 MCPS Junior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Bethesda Chevy-Chase
 HS, 5:30 p.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
 9 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/Patuxent , 8 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting,
 Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.

- 10 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/Patuxent, 8 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 11 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 Assistant Principal Leader Learning Training, Virtual/Zoom, 8 a.m.
 12 Automotive Trades Foundation Used Car Sale and IT Foundation Used
 Computer Sale, Gaithersburg HS, 9 a.m.
 14 MCPS Senior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Albert Einstein HS, 4:30 p.m.
 15 MCPS Junior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Bethesda Chevy-Chase HS, 5:30 p.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and
 Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
 16 All Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 FY28- Superintendent Operating Budget Presentation
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting,
 Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA, 12
 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
 17 Board of Education Meeting with Student Leaders
 ALL Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Athletic Director Meeting, 850 Hungerford Drive, Room 56, 9 a.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 International Admissions and Enrollment Leadership Meeting, 1 p.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, Carver Education Services
 Center Auditorium, 12:30 p.m.
 Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 Meeting),
 Remote/ Zoom , 10 a.m.
 Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 Meeting),
 Remote/ Zoom , 1 p.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours , Virtual Zoom Link,
 Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 18 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
 Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.
 ONE International Admissions and Enrollment Meeting,
 Rocking Horse Road Center, 8:30 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team
 Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
 21 MCPS Senior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Albert Einstein HS, 4:30 p.m.

- 22 MCPS Junior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Bethesda Chevy-Chase
 HS, 5:30 p.m.
 23 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 30 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.

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				BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.			
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			MCPS EVENT — FY28- Superintendent Operating Budget Presentation Marking Period 2 Interims Distributed	BOARD OF EDUCATION — Meeting with Student Leaders			
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W I N T E R B R E A K							
			Early Release Day for Students	HOLIDAY— Schools and offices closed (Christmas Eve)		HOLIDAY— Schools and offices closed (Christmas)	
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W I N T E R B R E A K							
	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers	SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE— Schools and offices closed	SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE— Schools and offices closed			



POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

JANUARY 2027

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 1** **HOLIDAY**—New Year's Day—Schools and offices closed
18 **HOLIDAY**—Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—Schools and offices closed
25 Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

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| 1 New Year's Day | 13 Korean American Day |
| 1-2 Shogatsu matsuri | 14 Makar Sankranti |
| 6 Three Kings Day | 18 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day |
| 7 Orthodox Christmas | 30 Saadeh |

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1-31** Muslim American Heritage Month
 School Board Appreciation Month
24 International Day of Education

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 4** Student Member of the Board Filing Period Opens
6 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms, 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
7 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 8 a.m.
 MCPS International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme/Career-related Programme Coordinators, —MCPS International Baccalaureate Schools, 9 a.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms, 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
8 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 10 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
 Student Service Learning First Semester Due Date
11 Board of Education Operating Budget Hearing #1, 5 p.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
12 Operating Budget Work Session 1, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom
 ALL Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Collaboration Committee Meeting, Virtual, 1 p.m.
 New Grade 4 Centers for Enriched Studies Teacher Semester 2 PD, Center for Technology Innovation-Tred Avon Room, 8:30 a.m.
 Principal Intern, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Student-Athlete Leadership Council Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 11 a.m.
13 ALL Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.

- 13 (cont.)** . English Language Arts Resource Teacher Meeting (High), 3:15 p.m.
 English Language Development Resource Teacher Meeting
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS Junior Honors Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal, Bethesda Chevy-Chase HS, 5:30 p.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting, Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
14 Board Work Session, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 9 a.m.
 Board Work Session, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 New Grade 5 Centers for Enriched Studies Teacher Semester 2 Professional Development, Center for Technology Innovation-Tred Avon Room, 8:30 a.m.
 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1-2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
15 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
16-23 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Week of Service
16 MCPS Honors Jazz Concert, Sherwood HS, 7 p.m.
19 Countywide Center Lead Teacher PLC Meeting, Virtual
 Committee of Special Populations Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 10 a.m.
 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Gifted & Talented Liaisons, Virtual, 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m., Virtual 9 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
20 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Health & Physical Education Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting, High School: 2:30 p.m. Middle School: 3 p.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting, Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
21 Board of Education Operating Budget Hearing #2
 Athletic Directors Meeting, MCAAP, 9 am, joined by HS Principals at 12:00 pm
 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Gifted & Talented Liaisons, Center for Technology Innovation-Patuxent Room, 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m. Virtual/Zoom, 9 a.m."
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours , Virtual Zoom Link., Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
22 Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.

- 25** Head Start Home/Family Visits—No School for Head Start Students
26 Policy Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room , 3 p.m.
 Head Start Home/Family Visits—No School for Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
27 Fiscal Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room , 5:30 p.m.
 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Feedback Council, Virtual, 4:30 p.m.
 Head Start Home/Family Visits—No School for Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
28 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Head Start Home/Family Visits — No School for Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Planning Day, Remote Optional, 8:30 a.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1-2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Student Member of the Board Filing Period Closes, 5 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
29 Auditory Communications Specialist Meeting, English Manor, 10 a.m.
 Head Start Home/Family Visits—No School for Head Start Students, 8:30 a.m.
30 MCPS Jr/Sr Band/Orchestra Gala Concert, Seneca Valley HS, 6:30 p.m.

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JANUARY 2027

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					HOLIDAY —Schools and offices closed (New Year's Day)	
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	BOARD OF EDUCATION — Operating Budget Hearing, 5 p.m..	BOARD OF EDUCATION — Operating Budget Work Session #1, 10 a.m.		BOARD OF EDUCATION — Work Session, 12 p.m.	Last Day for Students to Hand In Late Work for Marking Period 2	
17	18	19	20	21	22  \$	23
	HOLIDAY —Schools and offices closed (Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day)			BOARD OF EDUCATION — Operating Budget Hearing #2, 5 p.m.	End of Marking Period 2	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	Non-Instructional Day for Grading and Planning for Instructional Staff. No School for Students			BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.		



POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

FEBRUARY 2027

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 15** **HOLIDAY**—Presidents' Day—Schools and offices closed
26 Early Release Day for Students

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

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| 6 Lunar New Year | 10 Ash Wednesday |
| 7 Tet Nguyen Dan | 15 Parinirvana |
| 7 Losar | 21 Magha Puja |
| Feb 8 –Mar 8 Ramadan: The Islamic Month of Fasting | Chotrul Duchen |

BOARD RECOGNITIONS

- 1–28** African American History Month
 Career and Technology Education Month
 Love the Bus Month
 Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month
1–5 National School Counseling Week
15 National School Resource Officer Day
22–26 Public Schools Week

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1–5** National School Counseling Week
2 Board of Education Operating Budget Work Session #2, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom
 Humanities Grade 7 Curriculum Scope and Sequence and PL, —850
 Hungerford Drive, Eastern MS, or Martin Luther King, Jr. MS, 8:30 a.m.
 Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room, 11:30 a.m.
3 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
4 Board of Education Work Session (with Spring Facilities and Boundaries
 Presentation and Work Session 1), 15 W. Gude, Boardroom
 Board of Education Work Session, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Room, 9 a.m.
 Board of Education Work Session, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Room, 4 p.m.
 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 8 a.m.
5 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
8 Board of Education Operating Budget Work Session #3, 15 W. Gude,
 Boardroom (if needed)
 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/Patuxent, 8 a.m.
 MCPS Northwest MS All-County Band/Orchestra Concert,
 Quince Orchard HS, 7:30 p.m.
9 Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/Patuxent, 8 a.m.
 MCPS Northeast MS All-County Band/Orchestra Concert, Rockville HS, 7:30 p.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting,
 MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
10 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS Southeast MS All-County Band/Orchestra Concert, Albert Einstein HS, 7:30 p.m.
 McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Principal Intern, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting,
 Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.

- 11** Board of Education Operating Budget Hearing #3 (if needed)
 2E Case Managers, 8:30 a.m.
 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 MCPS Southwest MS All-County Band/Orchestra Concert, Walter Johnson HS,
 7:30 p.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
12 Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU) Fair, Universities at
 Shady Grove, 6 p.m.
 MCPS Dance Showcase, Montgomery College, Silver Spring Cultural Arts Center, 7 p.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
16 Board of Education Spring Facilities and Boundaries Hearing 1
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and
 Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
17 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting,
 Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
18 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Dual Enrollment Program Assistants (DEPA) Meeting, 12:30 p.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours, Virtual Zoom Link
 Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
19 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
 Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.
 MCPS Instrumental Small Ensemble Adjudication, Parkland MS, 4 p.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team
 Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
20 MCPS Instrumental Solo Adjudication, Parkland MS, 9 a.m.
22 Board of Education Spring Facilities and Boundaries Hearing 2
 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
 Section 504 Dual Enrollment Training, Remote/ Zoom, 10 a.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/
 Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
22–28 Southern Region Community Art Show, Takoma Park Silver Spring
 Campus Cafritz Art Center, 8 a.m.—8 p.m.
 Eastern Region Community Art Show, 8 a.m.—8 p.m.

- 23** Board of Education Spring Facilities and Boundaries Work Session 2,
 15 W. Gude, Boardroom
 Administrative and Supervisory Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
 Spring Preseason Coaches' Meeting, Watkins Mills HS, 3 p.m.
24 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/
 Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team (TPGS),
 MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
25 Aspiring Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 4:30 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/
 Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
26 Assistant Principal Leader Learning Training, Virtual/Zoom, 8 a.m.
27 Automotive Trades Foundation Used Car Sale and IT Foundation Used
 Computer Sale, Damascus High School, 9 a.m.

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FEBRUARY 2027

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Report Cards Available in Synergy	2	3 Report Cards Distributed	4 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Work Session, 12 p.m.	5  \$	6
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14	15 HOLIDAY—Schools and offices closed (Presidents' Day)	16	17	18 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting with Tentative Adoption of the FY28 Operating Budget, 4 p.m.	19  \$	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 Early Release Day For Students — Planning/Grades/Interims for Educational Staff	27
28 MCPS EVENT— Southern and Eastern Region Community Art Show Closing Reception , 4–6 p.m.						



POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

MARCH 2027

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 9** Professional Day for Teachers—No school for students
26–29 **SPRING BREAK**—No school for students and teachers
30–31 Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

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| 6 Maha Shivratri | 23 Hola Mohalla |
| 9 Eid al-Fitr | 25 Holy (Maundy) Thursday |
| 20–21 Norouz (Nowruz) | 26 Good Friday |
| 22 Holi | Kuan Yin (Avalokitesvara) Birthday |
| Parinirvana | 28 Easter |
| 22–23 Purim | |

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–31** National Athletic Training Month
 Women's History Month
 Youth Arts Month
4 National Maintenance Worker Appreciation Day
7–13 National School Social Work Week

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1** Board of Education Spring Facilities and Boundaries Work Session 3, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom
 NSL District Assessments—Marking Period 3
 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
- 2** Committee of Special Populations Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 10 a.m.
 District II HS Choral Adjudication, Churchill HS
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms, 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
- 3** Elementary Science Leadership Cohort, Maryland Agriculture History Farm
 18400 Muncaster Road, Derwood, MD, 8:30 a.m. or 1 p.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
 MCPS HS Orchestra Adjudication 1, Walter Johnson HS, 8:30 a.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms, 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 New Reading Specialists PL, 8:30 a.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/ Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
- 4** College and Career Navigator Meeting, 8:30 a.m.
 District II HS Choral Adjudication, Northwest HS
 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 8 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
- 5** ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 MCPS HS Orchestra Adjudication 2, Seneca Valley HS, 8:30 a.m.
 MCPS International Baccalaureate Middle Years/Primary Years Programmes Coordinators, —MCPS International Baccalaureate Schools, 9 a.m.
 Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.

- 8** District II Chamber Choir Adjudication, Damascus United Methodist Church
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 Principal Intern, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
- 8–14** Central South Region Community Art Show, 8 a.m.—8 p.m.
 Central Region Community Art Show, Montgomery College Rockville Campus, Theater Arts Building, 8 a.m.—8 p.m.
- 9** Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Day, Virtual, 8:30 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
- 10** Board of Education Spring Facilities and Boundaries Hearing 2
 All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 MCPS HS Band Adjudication 1, Quince Orchard HS, 8:30 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
- 11** Board of Education Board Work Session, Closed Session, 15 West Gude Drive, Room , 9 a.m.
 Board of Education Work Session, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 4 p.m.
 ALL Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 12 p.m.
 District II Chamber Choir Adjudication, Damascus United Methodist Church
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Student-Athlete Leadership Council Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 11 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
- 12** All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
 All Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 MCPS HS Band Adjudication 2, Paint Branch HS, 8:30 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
- 15** Policy Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude Dr, Room , 3 p.m.
 All Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
- 16** Fiscal Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room , 5:30 p.m.
 All Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 District II MS Choral Adjudication, Albert Einstein HS
 Infants and Toddlers Program Collaboration Committee Meeting, Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
- 17** Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Support Teacher, —Center for Technology Innovation, 8:30 a.m.

- 17 (cont.)** .. Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco Room, 8 a.m.
 Gifted & Talented Liaisons, Virtual, 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m., Virtual 9 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS MS Orchestra Adjudication 1, Rockville HS, 9 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting, Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
- 18** District II MS Choral Adjudication, Clarksburg HS
 Facilitative Leadership, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco Room, 8 a.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours , Virtual Zoom Link, Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
- 19** Business Pitch Challenge, Carver Education Services Center Auditorium, 10 a.m.
 Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.
 MCPS MS Orchestra Adjudication 2, Gaithersburg HS, 9 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
- 22** District II MS Choral Adjudication, Blake HS
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 sessions), 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 9 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.
- 23** Gifted & Talented Liaisons, Center for Technology Innovation-Patuxent Room, Virtual-Zoom, 8:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m., Virtual 9 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students, Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 MCPS MS Orchestra Adjudication 3, Richard Montgomery HS, 9 a.m.
- 24** District II MS Choral Adjudication, Watkins Mill HS
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
- 25** Board Business Meeting, Closed Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Student Service Learning Award Due Date
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
- 31** Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.



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MARCH 2027

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	1	2	3	4 Marking Period 3 Interims Distributed	5 🕒 \$	6
7	8	9 Non-Instructional Day for Professional Development for Instructional Staff. No School for Students (Eid al-Fitr)	10	11 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Work Session, 12 p.m.	12	13 MCPS EVENT— Minority Scholars Retreat
14 MCPS EVENT— Central South and Central Region Community Art Show Closing Reception , 4–6 p.m.	15	16	17 MCPS EVENT — Gold Star Gala Honoring Teachers of the Year	18 MCPS EVENT — Gold Star Gala Honoring Service Employees of the Year	19 🕒 \$	20
21	22	23	24	25 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m. Last Day for Students to Hand In Late Work for Marking Period 3	26 S P R I N G B R E A K HOLIDAY— Schools and offices closed (Good Friday)	27
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S P R I N G B R E A K						
	HOLIDAY— Schools and offices closed (Easter Monday)	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers	Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers			



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APRIL 2027

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 1–2** **SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE DAYS**—Schools and offices closed
12 Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students
22 Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
 Designated Make-Up Day for Emergency School Closure

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–30** Arab American Heritage Month
 Maryland Safe Schools Month
 Month of the Military Child
 National Autism Awareness Month
 Occupational Therapy Month
 School Library Month
 School Nutrition Employee Week
4 National School Librarian Day
5–9 National Assistant Principals Week
7 National Paraprofessional Appreciation Day
11–17 National School Library Week
18–24 National Volunteer Week
 Administrative Professional Week
19–23 Afterschool Professionals Appreciation Week
24–30 National Student Leadership Week
27 School Bus Driver Appreciation Day

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

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| 7 Ugadi | 20 Hanuman Jayanti |
| 8 Hanamatsuri | 21–May 2 .. Festival of Ridván |
| 13–15 Songkran | 21 First Day of Ridván |
| Theravada New Year | 21–29 Passover |
| 14 Vaisakhi | 29 Ninth Day of Ridván |
| Ram Navami | 30 Orthodox Good Friday |
| 19 Mahavir Jayanti | |

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 2** Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
4 MCPS MS Band Adjudication 1, Montgomery Blair HS, 9 a.m.
5–11 Central North Region Community Art Show, Montgomery College
 Germantown Campus, Bioscience Building, 8 a.m.–8 p.m.
 Northern Region Community Art Show, 8 a.m.–8 p.m.
6 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room,
 8 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students,
 Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
7 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Feedback Council, Virtual, 4:30 p.m.
 All Staff Development Teachers Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room,
 8 a.m.

- 7 (cont.)** ... Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
 MCPS MS Band Adjudication 2, Damascus HS, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
8 FY27 Monthly New Record Keeping Training, 15 W. Gude, Sassafra Lab, 8 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students,
 Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 MCPS MS Band Adjudication 3, Kennedy HS, 9 a.m.
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
 Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
9 Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Learning Through Theatre Experience for Title I Grade 3 Students,
 Imagination Stage, 10:30 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
10 Superintendent Shuffle (5K to Reduce Meal Debt)
13 Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room , 8:30 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/
 Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
14 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms,
 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting, Richard
 Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
15 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Humanities Grade 7 Curriculum Scope and Sequence and PL, —850
 Hungerford Drive, Eastern MS, or Martin Luther King, Jr. MS,
 8:30 a.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 MCPS Instrumental Emerging Ensembles Adjudication 1, Whitman HS, 8:30 a.m.
 New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms,
 12 p.m.
 New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
 Social Studies Elementary Office Hours , Virtual Zoom Link,
 Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
16 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 Auditory Communications Specialist Meeting, English Manor, 10 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional, Individual Planning
 Day, Site Specific, 12 p.m.

- 16 (cont.)** . ONE International Admissions and Enrollment International Admissions and
 Enrollment Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 8:30 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team
 Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
19 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
20 Administrative and Supervisory (A&S), 15 W. Gude, 3rd Floor
 (All Conference Rooms), 7 a.m.
 MCPS Instrumental Emerging Ensembles Adjudication 2, Wootton HS, 8:30 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and
 Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
21 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Preschool Education Program Principals' Meeting, 9:30 a.m.
 Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting,
 Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
 Student-Athlete Leadership Council Meeting, 15 West Gude,
 Patuxent Room, 11 a.m.
22 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Take Your Child to Work Day, All MCPS Locations
23 Saturday School Session 22 (Last), 9 High School Locations, 8:30 a.m.
26 Principals Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
27 Future Ready Apprenticeship & Internship Ceremony, Quince Orchard HS,
 5:30 p.m.
28 Student Member of the Board Election Day
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team,
 MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
29 Board Meeting with Montgomery County Planning Board
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
 Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
30 MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
 Potomac or Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.



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								SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE— Schools and offices closed				SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE— Schools and offices closed					
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										End of Marking Period 3		MCPS EVENT — Superintendent Shuffle (5K To Reduce Meal Debt)					
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MCPS EVENT— Central North and Northern Region Community Art Show Closing Reception , 4–6 p.m.		Non-Instructional Day for Grading and Planning for Instructional Staff. No School for Students						BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.									
18		19		20		21		22		23		24					
		Report Cards Available in Synergy				Report Cards Distributed		Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers (Passover)									
25		26		27		28		29		30							
						MCPS EVENT—Student Member of the Board (SMOB) Election Day											

MAY 2027

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 17** Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers
Designated Make-Up Day for Emergency School Closure
- 31** **HOLIDAY**—Memorial Day—Schools and offices closed

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–31** Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month
Jewish American Heritage Month
- 1–7** National Physical Education and Sport Week
- 1** School Principals Day
- 3–7** Teacher Appreciation Week
School Nutrition Employee Week
- 4** Teacher's Day
- 5** National Bike and Roll to School Day
- 7** School Lunch Hero Day
- 10–14** Pupil Personnel Worker Week
- 12** School Nurse Day
- 14** School Communicators Day
- 18** Speech Pathologist Day

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

- 2** Orthodox Easter
Twelfth Day of Rídván
- 3–4** Yom Ha'Shoah
- 6** Ascension Thursday (Western)
- 13** Buddha's Birthday
- 16** Eid al-Adha: Feast of the Sacrifice
- 20** Vesak/Visakha
- 29** Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh
- 31** Memorial Day

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1** Closing Ceremonies, 9 High School Locations, 8:30 a.m.
Closing Ceremonies: George B. Thomas Sr. Learning Academy (Saturday School), All 9 Locations and 1 Virtual School, 8:30 a.m.
- 4** Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Day, Site Specific, 8:30 a.m.
Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/Patuxent, 8 a.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 5
MSTAR EOC American Government
MSTAR MISA Grade 8
- 5** Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
Leader Learning, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco/Pocomoke/Potomac/Patuxent, 8 a.m.
MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 5
MSTAR EOC American Government
MSTAR MISA Grade 8
- 6** Board of Education Work Session, Closed Session,
15 W. Gude, Room, 9 a.m.
Board of Education Work Session, Open Session,
15 W. Gude, Room, 4 p.m.
Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 4
MSTAR EOC American Government, Make-up
Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
- 7** Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.

- 7 (cont.)** ... MSTAR ELA/Literacy 4
MSTAR EOC American Government, Make-up
Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
- 10** Committee of Special Populations Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
Boardroom, 10 a.m.
Administrative and Supervisory Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
MSTAR EOC LS MISA
MSTAR MISA 5
Principal Intern, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
- 11** Assistant Principal—Year 2 Training, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
ES Counselor Cluster Meeting, 1 p.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8
MSTAR EOC LS MISA
MSTAR MISA 5
Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting,
MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
- 12** Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 10
MSTAR MISA 5
Visual and Performing Arts Resource Teacher Meeting,
Richard Montgomery HS, 3:45 p.m.
- 13** Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 10
MSTAR Math 3
MSTAR MISA 5
Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
Testing Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
- 14** Deadline for ESY STAR Form Submission
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, & 8, Make-up
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 10, Make-up
MSTAR EOC LS MISA, Make-up
MSTAR Math 3
MSTAR-DLM Alternate Assessment 3–11
Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training,
MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
- 15** Automotive Trades Foundation Used Car Sale and IT Foundation Used
Computer Sale, Thomas Edison High School of Technology, 9 a.m.
- 18** All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
Infants and Toddlers Program Collaboration Committee Meeting, Virtual, 1 p.m.
MSTAR Math 4
Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 sessions),
Remote/ Zoom, 10 a.m.
Quarterly School-based Section 504 Coordinator Meeting (2 sessions),
Remote/ Zoom, 1 p.m.
Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and
Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave., Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
- 19** All Elementary School Math Leaders, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room
Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
Business, Management, and Finance Graduation, Gaithersburg HS, 6:30 p.m.
Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 3
MSTAR Math 4
MSTAR: Algebra 2
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MSTAR: Geometry
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- 19 (cont.)** .. Physical Disabilities Service Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room, 11:30 a.m.
Science Resource Teacher/Content Specialist Meeting, Richard Montgomery HS,
3:45 p.m.
- 20** Board Business Meeting, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
Board Business Meeting, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
MSTAR ELA/Literacy 3
MSTAR Math 5
MSTAR: Algebra 2
MSTAR: Algebra I
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MSTAR: Math 6
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MSTAR: Math 8
Social Studies Elementary Office Hours, Virtual Zoom Link,
Meeting ID: 872 5184 5566 Passcode: ess, 1:30 p.m.
Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
- 21** ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
MCPS Districtwide All Psychologists Staff Meeting, 15 W. Gude,
Potomac and Patuxent Rooms, 1 p.m.
MSTAR Math 5
Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1–2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
- 24** Policy Management Committee Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Room, 3 p.m.
MSTAR Make-up
New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms,
12 p.m.
New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent Room, 8 a.m.
- 25** Fiscal Management Committee Meeting, 15 West Gude Drive,
Room, 5:30 p.m.
MSTAR Make-up
MSTAR Social Studies 8
New Leader—Breakout Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Potomac and Tred Avon Rooms,
12 p.m.
New Leader Meeting, 15 W. Gude, Patuxent, 8 a.m.
- 26** Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
MSTAR Make-up
MSTAR Social Studies 8
Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team,
MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
- 27** Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
MSTAR Make-up
Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
- 28** Last Day for STAR Form Submission for SY26–27
MSTAR Make-up
Student Service Learning Second Semester Due Date

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	3	4 MCPS EVENT — Board of Education Distinguished Service To Education Honors MSTAR ELA/Literacy 5 MSTAR EOC American Government MSTAR MISA Grade 8	5 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 5 MSTAR EOC American Government MSTAR MISA Grade 8	6 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Work Session, 12 p.m. MSTAR ELA/Literacy 4 MSTAR EOC American Government, Make-up	7 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 4 MSTAR EOC American Government, Make-up	1 8
9	10 MCPS EVENT — Superintendent's Arts Award Evening of Excellence MSTAR EOC LS MISA MSTAR MISA 5	11 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8 MSTAR EOC LS MISA	12 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 10 MSTAR MISA 5	13 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 10 MSTAR Math 3 MSTAR MISA 5	14 Last day for SENIORS to submit assignments for Marking Period 4 MSTAR ELA/Literacy 6, 7, 8, Make-up MSTAR ELA/Literacy 10 MSTAR EOC LS MISA, Make-up MSTAR Math 3 MSTAR-DLM Alternate Assessment 3-11	15
16	17 Non-Instructional Day—No school for students and teachers (Eid al-Adha)	18 MSTAR Math 4	19 Marking Period 4 Interims Distributed MSTAR ELA/Literacy 3 MSTAR Math 4 MSTAR: Algebra 2 MSTAR: Algebra I MSTAR: Geometry MSTAR: Math 6, 7, 8	20 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m. MSTAR: Math 6, 7, 8	21  \$ MSTAR Math 5	22
23	24 ❄️ Winston Churchill HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Bethesda-Chevy Chase HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. MSTAR Make-up MCPS EVENT — MCPS Educational Foundation Evening of Excellence	25 Northwood HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Albert Einstein HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. Walt Whitman HS Graduation, 6 p.m. MSTAR Make-up MSTAR Social Studies 8	26 Damascus HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Pooleville HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. Seneca Valley HS Graduation, 6 p.m. MSTAR Make-up MSTAR Social Studies 8	27 Gaithersburg HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Thomas Wootton HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. Quince Orchard HS Graduation, 6 p.m. MSTAR Make-up	28 Walter Johnson HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Blair Ewing @ Blake HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. MSTAR Make-up	29
30	31 HOLIDAY —Schools and offices closed (Memorial Day)				 \$	



POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

JUNE 2027

OFFICIAL SCHOOL SCHEDULE

- 14–17** Designated Make-Up Day for Emergency School Closure
16 Last Day of School for Students, Early Release Day for Students
17 Grading and Planning for the end of term; no school for students
18 Systemwide Closure Day—Schools and offices closed

BOARD RECOGNITION

- 1–30** Recognition of LGBTQ+ Pride Month

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

- 6** Islamic New Year
10–12 Shavuot
15 Ashura
18 Saga Dawa Duchen
19 Juneteenth (aka: Freedom Day or Emancipation Day)

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- 1** First Day for STAR Form Submission for SY27-28
2 Accelerated and Enriched Instruction Feedback Council, Virtual, 4:30 p.m.
 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 8 a.m.
 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 MCEA Representative Assembly Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 5 p.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Speech Language Services Professional Learning Meeting, Virtual/ Zoom, 12:30 p.m.
3 Board of Education Work Session, Closed Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 9 a.m.
 Board of Education Work Session, Open Session, 15 W. Gude, Room , 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
 Central Services Professional Learning Design, 15 W. Gude, Potomac Room, 12 p.m.
 Student Well-being Department Meeting and Social Work Professional Learning Community, 8:30 a.m.
4 Elementary Science Leadership Cohort, Maryland Agriculture History Farm. 18400 Muncaster Road, Derwood, MD ,
 8:30 a.m. or 1 p.m.
 MCPS International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme/Primary Years Programme Coordinators, —MCPS
 International Baccalaureate Schools, 9 a.m.
 ONE International Admissions and Enrollment Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 8:30 a.m.

- 4 (cont.)** .. Orientation and Mobility Team Meeting, English Manor, 8 a.m.
7 Administrative and Supervisory Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCAAP, 8 a.m.
8 All Reading Specialists PL, 15 W. Gude, Patapsco and Pocomoke Rooms, 8:30 a.m.
 Infants and Toddlers Program Staff Professional Planning Day, Remote Optional, 8:30 a.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Collaboration Committee Meeting, MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 2 p.m.
9 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth Systems Implementation Team, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 1 p.m.
10 Athletic Director Meeting, MCAAP, 9 a.m.
 Elementary Math Office Hours, Virtual, 2 p.m.
 Itinerant, Teacher of the Deaf Meeting, English Manor, 8:30 a.m.
 Last Day of School for Pre-K Special Education Students, Programs have different start times
 Reading Specialists Office Hours Virtual 1-2 p.m., Virtual, 1 p.m.
 Teacher of the Visually Impaired Team Meeting, English Manor, 2 p.m.
 Teacher Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel Meeting, MCEA, 12 Taft Court, 8:30 a.m.
11 AP Coordinators, Virtual, 9 a.m.
 Auditory Communications Specialist Meeting, English Manor, 10 a.m.
 Department of Transportation Job Hiring Fair
 ESOL Transition Counselors Team Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
 Modern Learning Center Graduation, Montgomery County Correctional Facility, 1 p.m.
 Pupil Personnel Worker Professional Development Training, MCEA/Virtual (rotates), 1:30 p.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Implementation Team Meeting, Maple Conference Room, 8:30 a.m.
14 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel
15 College and Career Navigator Meeting, 8:30 a.m.
16 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.
 Supporting Services Professional Growth System Peer Assistance and Review Panel, SEIU Local 500, 901 Russell Ave.,
 Gaithersburg, 8:30 a.m.
17 Board Business Meeting, Closed Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 1 p.m.
 Board Business Meeting, Open Session , 15 W. Gude, Boardroom, 4 p.m.
 Braille Team Meeting, English Manor, 11 a.m.
20–21 Administrative and Supervisory Meeting, 15 West Gude Drive, 3rd Floor (All Conference Rooms), 7 a.m.
23 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
23–24 Administrative & Supervisory (A&S) Meeting
30 Intake Specialist Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 9 a.m.
McKinney-Vento Act Meeting, Rocking Horse Road Center, 10 a.m.



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JUNE 2027

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			1 Sherwood HS Graduation, 9 a.m. James Hubert Blake HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. Paint Branch HS Graduation, 6 p.m.	2 Wheaton HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Montgomery Blair HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. John F. Kennedy HS Graduation, 6 p.m.	3 BOARD OF EDUCATION — Work Session, 12 p.m. MCPS EVENT — Retirement Celebration	4 Richard Montgomery HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Northwest HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. Last Day for Students to Hand In Late Work for Marking Period 4	5
6	7 Rockville HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Springbrook HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m. Magruder HS Graduation, 6 p.m.	8 Watkins Mill HS Graduation, 9 a.m. Clarksburg HS Graduation, 1:30 p.m.	9 Rock Terrace School Graduation, 9 a.m. Longview Graduation, 10:30 a.m. Stephen Knolls Graduation, 1:30 p.m. R.I.C.A. Graduation, 6 p.m.	10	11 🕒 \$ MCPS EVENT — Last Day of School/ Early Release Day for Students, and Full Day for Staff End of Marking Period 4 Model Learning Center, 1 p.m.	12	
13	14 ❄️ Non-Instructional Day for Grading and Planning for Instructional Staff. No School for Students.	15 ❄️	16 ❄️	17 ❄️ BOARD OF EDUCATION — Business Meeting, 4 p.m.	18 ❄️ SYSTEMWIDE CLOSURE — Schools and offices closed	19	
20	21 Report Cards Available in Synergy	22	23 Report Cards Mailed Home	24	25 🕒 \$	26	
27	28	29	30				



POSSIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL DAY TO MAKE UP FOR EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSURE

\$ PAY DAY



ATTENDANCE COLLECTION

DAYS OF COMMEMORATION

JULY 2026

- 4 Independence Day
- 9 Martyrdom of the Báb
- 10 Dharma Day/Asalha Puja
Chokhor Duchen
- 29 Guru Purnima

AUGUST 2026

- 5–14 Farvardegan, Muktd, Gatha Prayers
- 15 Feast of Assumption
- 16 Parsi New Year
- 20 Khordad Sal
- 25 Mawlid al-Nabi
- 27 Raksha Bandhan
Ullambana Day (Mahayana, Theravada)

SEPTEMBER 2026

- 1 Krishna Janmashtami
- 7 Labor Day
- 8–15 Paryushan
- 11–13 Rosh Hashanah
- 12 First Installation of Adi Granth
- 14 Ganesh Chaturthi
- 16 Vishwakarma Puja
- 20–21 Yom Kippur
- 25–Oct 2... Sukkot
- 26–Oct 10.. Pitru Paksh
- 28 Birth of Confucius

OCTOBER 2026

- 1–2 Mehregan
- 2–3 Shemini Atzeret
- 3–4 Simchat Torah
- 11–19 Navaratri
- 12 Indigenous Peoples' Day
- 18 Durga Puja/Ashtami (Hindu)
- 20 Dusshera (Hindu)
- 26 Pavarana
- 26–Nov 24 . Kathina

NOVEMBER 2026

- 1 All Saints Day
Lhabab Duchen (Tibetan)
- 8 Bandi Chhor Divas -Guru Tegh Bahadur
Diwali
- 10 Birth of the Báb
Gujarati New Year
- 11 Birth of Bahá'u'lláh
Veterans' Day
- 14 Gyan Panchami
- 26 Thanksgiving Day
- 27 American Indian Heritage Day

DECEMBER 2026

- 4–12 Channukah
- 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception
Bodhi Day
- 14 Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur
- 19 Gita Jayanti
- 21 Yalda
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26-Jan. 1... Kwanzaa

JANUARY 2027

- 1 New Year's Day
- 1–2 Shogatsu matsuri
- 6 Three Kings Day
- 7 Orthodox Christmas
- 13 Korean American Day
- 14 Makar Sankranti
- 18 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- 30 Saadeh

FEBRUARY 2027

- 6 Lunar New Year
Tet Nguyen Dan
- 7 Losar
- Feb 8 –Mar 8 Ramadan: The Islamic Month of Fasting
- 10 Ash Wednesday
- 15 Parinirvana
- 21 Magha Puja
Chotrul Duchen

MARCH 2027

- 6 Maha Shivratri
- 9 Eid al-Fitr
- 20–21 Norouz (Nowruz)
- 22 Holi
Parinirvana
- 22–23 Purim
- 23 Hola Mohalla
- 25 Holy (Maundy) Thursday
- 26 Good Friday
Kuan Yin (Avalokitesvara) Birthday
- 28 Easter

APRIL 2027

- 7 Ugadi
- 8 Hanamatsuri
- 13–15 Songkran
Theravada New Year
- 14 Vaisakhi
Ram Navami
- 19 Mahavir Jayanti
- 20 Hanuman Jayanti
- 21–May 2.. Festival of Ridvan
- 21 First Day of Ridván
- 21–29 Passover
- 29 Ninth Day of Ridván
- 30 Orthodox Good Friday

MAY 2027

- 2 Orthodox Easter
Twelfth Day of Ridván
- 3–4 Yom Ha'Shoah
- 6 Ascension Thursday (Western)
- 13 Buddha's Birthday
- 16 Eid al-Adha: Feast of the Sacrifice
- 20 Vesak/Visakha
- 29 Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh
- 31 Memorial Day

JUNE 2027

- 6 Islamic New Year
- 10–12 Shavuot
- 15 Ashura
- 18 Saga Dawa Duchen
- 19 Juneteenth
(aka: Freedom Day or Emancipation Day)

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