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2017-18 School Year, Month by Month

Updated: August 4, 2017

The calendar below applies to the majority of schools, but note that <u>some schools offer programming on "intersession"</u> <u>calendars or may modify their calendars</u> with approval from the district, Baltimore Teachers Union, and a majority of staff.

Key: = schools closed = schools closed for students (buildings open and staffed)

August 2017

BALTIMORE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11 Districtwide summer programs end
14	15	16	17	18
21	22 Board of Commissioners meeting	23	24	25
28	29 Professional development (PD) for staff (schools closed for students)	30 PD for staff (schools closed for students)	31 PD for staff (schools closed for students)	1 PD for staff (schools closed for students)

Note: A district-sponsored SAT administration will take place on Saturday, August 26.

September 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 Labor Day (schools and offices closed)	5 First day of school for students; window opens for the <u>Kindergarten</u> <u>Readiness</u> <u>Assessment</u> ; 1st quarter starts	6	7	8
11 SECAC meeting	12 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	13	14	15
18	19	20	21 Observance day (modified after- school activities)	22 Observance day (modified after- school activities)
25	26 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	27	28 PCAB meeting (new date)	29

October 2017

Note: A district-sponsored SAT administration will take place on Saturday, October 7.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
9 SECAC meeting	10 Window closes for the <u>Kindergarten</u> <u>Readiness</u> <u>Assessment; Board</u> of Commissioners <u>meeting</u>	11 <u>PSAT</u> I for grades 10 and 11	12 PCAB meeting	13 1st-quarter progress reports
16	17	18	19 PD for staff (schools closed for students)	20 PD for staff (schools closed for students)
23	24 Board of Commissioners meeting	25	26	27
30	31			

November 2017

Note: A district-sponsored SAT administration will take place on Saturday, November 4.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2	3
6 Parent-teacher conferences and PD for staff (schools closed for students)	7	8	9 1st quarter ends	10 2nd quarter starts
13 SECAC meeting	14 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	15	16 PCAB meeting	17
	Ar	merican Education We	ek	
20	21	22 1st-quarter report cards	23 Thanksgiving (schools and offices closed)	24 Thanksgiving (schools and offices closed)
27	28 Board of Commissioners meeting	29	30	1

December 2017

Note: The annual Middle and High School Choice Fair will take place on Saturday, December 9.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4	5	6	7 PCAB meeting	8
11 <u>PARCC</u> window opens for high schools on block schedules; <u>SECAC</u> <u>meeting</u>	12 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22 2nd-quarter progress reports
25 Winter holiday (schools and offices closed)	26 Winter holiday (schools and offices closed)	27 Winter holiday (schools and offices closed)	28 Winter holiday (schools closed)	29 Winter holiday (schools closed)

January 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2	3	4	5

8 Window opens for the Government High School Assessment (HSA), Maryland Integrated Science Assessment for high school (MISA	9 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	10	11	12
HS), and English Language Proficiency Assessment for English language learners in all grades; <u>SECAC</u> <u>meeting</u>				
15 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Day (schools and offices closed)	16	17	18 PCAB meeting	19 <u>Middle and high</u> <u>school choice</u> applications due
22 Evening parent- teacher conferences	23 Evening parent- teacher conferences; <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	24 Evening parent- teacher conferences; 2nd quarter ends	25 Evening parent- teacher conferences; 3rd quarter starts	26 PD for staff (schools closed students); ever parent-teacher conferences; <u>PARCC</u> window closes for high schools on bloc schedules
29	30	31		

February 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1	2 Window closes for the Government High School Assessment (HSA) and the Maryland Integrated Science Assessment for high school (MISA HS)
5	6 2nd-quarter report cards	7	8	9
12 SECAC meeting	13 Board of Commissioners meeting	14	15 PCAB meeting	16 PD for staff (schools closed for students)
19	20	21	22	23

Presidents' Day (schools and offices closed)			Window closes for the English Language Proficiency Assessment for English language learners
26	27 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	28	

March 2018

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Note: If the district must close for inclement weather for more than one day, either the school year will be extended or spring break will be shortened (unless a waiver is granted by the state).

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1	2
5 Window opens for the Maryland Integrated Science Assessment (MISA) in grades 5 and 8	6	7	8	9 3rd-quarter progress reports
12 SECAC meeting	13 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	14	15 Window opens for the Alt-MISA for special education students in grades 5, 8, and 10 (certificate track); <u>PCAB</u> <u>meeting</u>	16 Parent-teacher conferences and PD for staff (schools closed for students)
19 Window opens for the Multi-State Alternate Assessment for special education students in grades 5, 8, and 11 (certificate track)	20	21 District-sponsored in-school SAT for students in grade 11	22	23 Window closes for the Maryland Integrated Science Assessment (MISA) in grades 5 and 8
26 Spring break (schools closed)	27 Spring break (schools closed)	28 Spring break (schools closed)	29 Spring break (schools and offices closed)	30 Spring break (schools and offices closed)

April 2018

Note: If the district must close for inclement weather for more than one day, either the school year will be extended or spring break will be shortened (unless a waiver is granted by the state).

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Spring	3	4	5	6 Observance

break (schools and offices closed)				day (modified after- school activities)
9 SECAC meeting	10 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	11 3rd quarter ends	12 4th quarter starts	13
16	17	18	19 PCAB meeting	20
23 Window opens for <u>PARCC</u> assessments in grades 3 to 8 and high schools not on block schedules; evening parent- teacher conferences	24 3rd-quarter report cards; evening parent-teacher conferences; <u>Board</u> of Commissioners meeting	25 Evening parent- teacher conferences	26 Evening parent- teacher conferences	27 Evening parent- teacher conferences

May 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30	1	2	3	4 Window closes for the Multi-State Alternate Assessment for special education students in grades 5, 8, and 11 (certificate track)
7 Window opens for the Government High School Assessment (HSA), Maryland Integrated Science Assessment for high school (MISA HS), and <u>Advanced</u> <u>Placement (AP)</u> exams	8 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	9	10	11
14 SECAC meeting	15	16 Observance day (modified after- school activities)	17 PCAB meeting	18 Window closes for the Alt-MISA for special education students in grades 5, 8, and 10, and for <u>AP</u> C exams
21 Observance day (modified after- school activities)	22 4th-quarter progress reports; <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	23	24	25
28 Memorial	29	30	31	

Day (schools and	l
offices closed)	

June 2018

Note: The last day of school is tentatively scheduled for June 14. If the district must close schools for *one day* due to inclement weather or an emergency, the last day of school will be June 15. If the district must close for *more than one day*, it must either apply to the state for a waiver to allow school to continue into the week of June 18 or remove days from spring break. If the district applies for a waiver and is denied, this would necessitate the removal of days from spring break.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
4 Window closes for <u>PARCC</u> assessments	5	6	7 PCAB meeting	8 Window closes for the Government High School Assessment (HSA), Maryland Integrated Science Assessment for high school (MISA HS)
11 SECAC meeting	12 <u>Board of</u> <u>Commissioners</u> <u>meeting</u>	13	14 Last day of school; 4th quarter ends	15
18	19	20	21 4th-quarter report cards	22
25	26	27	28	29

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