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#### August 2014

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11 New Teacher Institute Mentor Academy	12 New Teacher Institute Mentor Academy	13 New Teacher Institute Mentor Academy	14 New Teacher Institute Mentor Academy	15 New Teacher Institute Mentor Academy
18	19 PD for staff	20 PD for staff	21 PD for staff	22 PD for staff
25 First day for students Start of 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter	26	27	28	29

### September 2014

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	2	3	4	5
Labor Day				
Schools and offices closed				
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
				PD for staff; schools closed for
				students
29	30			
Window for distribution of	Window for distribution of			
1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter progress reports	1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter progress reports			

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### October 2014

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 Window for distribution of 1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter progress reports	2 Window for distribution of 1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter progress reports	3 Parent-teacher conferences; early release for students
6 High School Assessments (HSAs)	7 HSAs	8 HSAs	9 HSAs	10 HSAs
13 HSAs	14 HSAs	15 HSAs	16 HSAs	17 PD for staff; schools closed for students
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29 End of 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter	30 Start of 2nd quarter	31

### November 2014

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 PD for staff; schools closed for students	4 Election Day Schools and offices closed	5 Window for distribution of 1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter report cards	6 Window for distribution of 1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter report cards	7 Window for distribution of 1 <sup>st</sup> -quarter report cards
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27 Thanksgiving Schools and offices closed	28 Thanksgiving Schools and offices closed

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### December 2014

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	2	3	4	5
8 Window for distribution of 2 <sup>nd</sup> -quarter progress reports	9 Window for distribution of 2 <sup>nd</sup> -quarter progress reports	10 Window for distribution of 2 <sup>nd</sup> -quarter progress reports	11 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences	12 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences
15 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences	16 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences	17	18	19
22	23	24 Winter holiday Schools and offices closed	25 Winter holiday Schools and offices closed	26 Winter holiday Schools and offices closed
29 Winter holiday; schools closed	30 Winter holiday; schools closed	31 Winter holiday; schools closed		

#### January 2015

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
			1 Winter holiday Schools and offices closed	2 Winter holiday; schools closed
5	6	7	8	9
12 High School Assessments (HSAs)	13 HSAs High school midterm exams	14 HSAs High school midterm exams	15 HSAs High school midterm exams	16 HSAs; high school midterm exams; end of 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter
19 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Day Schools and offices closed	20 HSAs Start of 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter	21 HSAs	22 HSAs; window for distribution of 2 <sup>nd</sup> -quarter report cards	23 HSAs; window for distribution of 2 <sup>nd</sup> -quarter report cards
26 Window for distribution of 2 <sup>nd</sup> -quarter report cards	27	28	29	30

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### February 2015

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16 Presidents' Day; schools and offices closed	17 PD for staff; schools closed for students	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27

### March 2015

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 Window for distribution of 3 <sup>rd</sup> -quarter progress reports; Window for midyear Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Career (PARCC) assessments	3 Window for distribution of 3 <sup>rd</sup> -quarter progress reports; window for PARCC	4 Window for distribution of 3 <sup>rd</sup> -quarter progress reports; window for PARCC	5 Window for PARCC	6 Parent-teacher conferences Early release for students
9 Window for PARCC	10 Window for PARCC	11 Window for PARCC	12 Window for PARCC	13 Window for PARCC
16 Window for PARCC	17 Window for PARCC	18 Window for PARCC	19 Window for PARCC	20 Window for PARCC
23 Window for PARCC	24 Window for PARCC	25 Window for PARCC End of 3rd quarter	26 Window for PARCC Start of 4th quarter	27 Window for PARCC
30 Window for distribution of 3rd-quarter report cards	31 Window for distribution of 3rd-quarter report cards			

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### April 2015

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 Window for distribution of 3rd-quarter report cards	2 Window for distribution of 3rd-quarter report cards	3 Spring break Schools and offices closed
6 Spring break Schools and offices closed	7 Spring break Schools closed	8 Spring break Schools closed	9 Spring break Schools closed	10 Spring break Schools closed
13 Window for Maryland School Assessment (MSA) in science in grades 5 and 8; High School Assessments (HSAs) for seniors	14 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) HSAs (seniors)	15 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) HSAs (seniors)	16 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) HSAs (seniors)	17 PD for staff; schools closed for students
20 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8); window for end-of-year Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Career (PARCC) assessments	21 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	22 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	23 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	24 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC
27 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	28 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	29 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	30 MSA (science, grades 5 and 8) PARCC	

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#### May 2015

High school graduation ceremonies will take place between Friday, May 29, and Sunday, May 31.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1 Window for Maryland School Assessment (MSA) in science in grades 5 and 8; window for end-of-year Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Career (PARCC) assessments
4 PARCC Advanced Placement (AP) exams	5 PARCC AP exams	6 PARCC AP exams	7 Window for distribution of 4th-quarter progress reports PARCC AP exams	8 Window for distribution of 4th-quarter progress reports PARCC AP exams
11 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences; window for distribution of 4th-quarter progress reports; PARCC; AP exams	12 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences; PARCC; AP exams	13 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences; PARCC; AP exams	14 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences; PARCC; AP exams	15 Window for evening parent-teacher conferences; PARCC; AP exams
18 High School Assessments (HSAs)	19 HSAs	20 HSAs	21 HSAs	22 HSAs
25 Memorial Day Schools and offices closed	26 HSAs	27 HSAs	28 HSAs	29 HSAs

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#### June 2015

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 High School Assessments (HSAs)	2 HSAs	3 HSAs	4 HSAs	5
8 High school final exams (grades 9 to 11)*	9 High school final exams (grades 9 to 11)*	10 High school final exams (grades 9 to 11)*	11 Make-up day for high school final exams (grades 9 to 11)*	12 Make-up day for high school final exams (grades 9 to 11)*
15 End of 4th quarter Last day of school for students (if five "snow days" are used)*	16 Window for distribution of 4th-quarter report cards*; professional development and last day of school for staff (if five "snow days" are used)*	17 Window for distribution of 4th-quarter report cards*	18 Window for distribution of 4th-quarter report cards*	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

### \*About the Last Day of School

- If no snow days are used, the last day is June 8 for students and June 9 for 10-month employees
- If 1 snow day is used, the last day is June 9 for students and June 10 for 10-month employees
- If 2 snow days are used, the last day is June 10 for students and June 11 for 10-month employees
- If 3 snow days are used, the last day is June 11 for students and June 12 for 10-month employees
- If 4 snow days are used, the last day is June 12 for students and June 15 for 10-month employees
- If 5 snow days are used, the last day is June 15 for students and June 16 for 10-month employees

The distribution window for **4th-quarter report cards** will shift by one day for each snow day used; for example, if *no* snow days are used, report cards will be distributed between June 9 and 11. Snow days will also affect the schedule for **high school final exams**, which will shift one day for each snow day used; for example, if *no* snow days are used, high school final exams will take place from June 1 to 3 (with make-up days on June 4 and 5).

**Professional development** will be scheduled on the last day of school for 10-month employees. Staff should also be aware that if their school has elected "school-based options" for scheduling of professional days, the last day may vary from the information listed above. Please check with your school administrators for information.