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SYSTEM CALENDAR

2012-13 School Year 2013-14 School Year 2014-15 School Year Import the BCPS System

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2013 High School Graduation

Schedule

2013 - 2014 School Year

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August

Friday 16

Administrative & Supervisory Personnel Meeting Monday 19 Teachers on Duty

Tuesday, Wednesday 20 or 21

Systemwide Professional Development Activities - Common Core State Standards.

Teachers will participate on one of the two Scheduled Days

Opening Day for Students 26 Monday

Pupil Days 5 Teacher Days 10

September

Monday 2 Labor Day-Schools and Offices Closed Thursday Rosh Hashanah - Schools and Offices Closed 5

> Pupil Days 19 Teacher Days 19

October

Monday 14 Columbus Day\*

Friday 18 Professional Development Day/ MSEA Convention - Schools Closed for Students Thursday 31

First marking period ends – Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Elementary and Middle School Students – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis – Teachers on Duty\*\*

Pupil Days 22

Teacher Days 23

November

Friday Systemwide Professional Development for All Schools - Schools Closed for All Students 1

Monday 11

Thursday 14 Distribution of Report Cards (secondary)- PS-3 & PK Conference Day, No PS-3 or PK A.M.

or P.M. Sessions - Teachers on Duty

Friday 15 Elementary Conference Day - Schools Closed for Elementary Students-Report Cards Distributed at Parent Conferences

Monday-Friday 18-22 American Education Week

Thanksgiving Holiday—Schools and Offices Closed Thursday-Friday 28-29

> Pupil Days 17-18 Teacher Days 19

December

Sunday 15 Bill of Rights Day\*

Friday 20 Christmas Holiday/Winter Break Begins at End of School Day

Pupil Days Teacher Days 15

January

Thursday Schools Reopen

Wednesday 15 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday

Friday 17 Second Marking Period Ends- Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Elementary and Middle School Students - Grade Reporting and Data Analysis - Teachers on Duty

Monday 20 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday Observed—Schools and Offices Closed Tuesday 21 Systemwide Professional Development —Schools Closed for all Students - Teachers on

20

Pupil Days 21 Teacher Days

February

Distribution of Report Cards Monday 3 Wednesday 12 Lincoln's Birthday

Presidents' Day-Schools and Offices Closed Monday 17

> 22 Washington's Birthday\* 19

Pupil Days Teacher Days 19

March

Saturday

Tuesday 25 Maryland Day\* Third Marking Period Ends - Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Elementary and Middle School Students – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis – Teachers on Duty\*\* Friday 28 Monday 31 Systemwide Professional Development - Schools Closed for All Students - Teachers on Pupil Days 20 Teacher Days April 10 Distribution of Report Cards Thursday Friday 11 Easter Holiday/Spring Break Begins at the End of School Day Tuesday 22 Schools Reopen Pupil Days Teacher Days 16 May Monday 12 PreK/K Conference Day - No PS-3, Pre-K or Kindergarten Sessions Friday 23 Last Day for Seniors 26 Memorial Day Observed—Schools and Offices Closed Monday 27-31 Commencement Exercises Begin Tuesday-Saturday Pupil Days 21 Teacher Days June Monday-Thursday 2-5 Commencement Exercises Friday 13 Assessment Day\*\*\*\*: High Schools close 3 Hours Early; Teachers on Duty Saturday 14 Flag Day Monday, Tuesday 16,17 Assessment Day\*\*\*\*, Grade & Data Recording/Analysis\*\*\*: All Schools Close 3 Hours Early, Teachers on Duty Tuesday 17 Last Day of Classes for Students Pupil Days Teacher Days 12 Total Pupil Days: 187 Total Teacher Days: 196 June Tuesday 24 Primary Election Day Summer School Teachers on Duty (Teachers choose either day) 27 or 30 Friday, Monday July Friday Independence Day - Schools and Offices Closed Monday Summer School begins August Friday Summer School ends

\*Schools open with appropriate exercises OR appropriate exercises to be scheduled on the school day prior

\*\* GRADE & DATA RECORDING, DATA ANALYSIS -- principals and teachers will have time for grade & data recording, data analysis/progress assessment

If schools are closed seven days due to emergency conditions, it may be necessary to alter the school calendar. Additional days may be scheduled as required at the end of the school year. Depending on the use of emergency full day closures, delayed openings or early dismissals, the calendar may be adjusted as needed to meet the minimum required days/hours. One-half days may be modified. Teacher duty days will not exceed 191. End-of-year adjustments to the school calendar will be announced as soon as feasible.



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<sup>\*\*\*\*\*</sup>ASSESSMENT DAY – High schools will have the opportunity to administer traditional final exams or to use alternative assessment procedures.