JULY 2011	
July 4 (Mon)	SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Independence Day
AUGUST 2011	
August 15 (Mon)	DCAS Testing
	Fall Online Test Window Opens
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
August 17 -18 (Weds -Thu)	New Teacher Orientation
August 22-25 (Mon-Thu)	Professional Development
August 29 (Mon)	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL:
	• Grades 1- 6 and Grade 9
	 Kindergarten (K) through Grade 12 - Statewide Programs:
	Delaware Autism Program (DAP,) Delaware School for the
	Deaf (DSD)
	 Kindergarten (K) through Grade 12 – REACH Program
August 30 (Tue)	ALL STUDENTS ATTEND SCHOOL
	Pre-Kindergarten (PK) through Grade 12
SEPTEMBER 2011	
September 2 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED / OFFICES OPEN
September 5 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Labor Day
September 12 (Mon)	Open House: Middle Schools
September 15 (Thu)	Open House: High Schools
September 19 (Mon)	Open House: Elementary Schools
	DCAS Testing
	Alt-1 Fall Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
September 20 (Tue)	Open House: Elementary Schools
September 21 (Wed)	Open House: Elementary Schools
September 27 (Tue)	Open House: Special Schools
September 29 (Thu)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED / OFFICES OPEN
OCTOBER 2011	
October 3 (Mon)	DCAS Testing
	Fall Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
October 7 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Professional Development
October 12 (Wed)	In-School PSAT Testing, Grade 9-11
October 20 (Thu)	DCAS Testing
	Fall Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
October 27 (Thu)	DCAS Testing
	Alt-1 Fall Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
October 28 (Fri)	1 st Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)
	DCAS Testing
	Fall Online Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10

NOVEMBER 2011	
November 1 (Tue)	Choice Application Period Begins for 2012-2013 School Year, Grades K-11
November 11 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Veterans' Day
November 18 (Fri)	PK SCHOOLS CLOSED - Parent Conferences
	• K-12 Schools in Session
	1 st Trimester Ends (Trimester Schools)
November 21 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Parent Conferences
November 22 (Tue)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED
	Parent Conferences (PK-8)
	Professional Development (9-12)
	Paraprofessionals Off
November 23 (Wed)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED / OFFICES OPEN
November 24 -25 (Thu-Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Thanksgiving Holiday
DECEMBER 2011	
December 5 (Mon)	DCAS Testing
	Winter Online Test Window Opens
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
December 22 (Thu)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development
	Paraprofessionals Off
December 23-30 (Fri –Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Winter Holiday
December 23 & 26 (Fri & Mon)	OFFICES CLOSED
December 30 (Fri)	OFFICES CLOSED
JANUARY 2012	
January 2 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED
January 11 (Wed)	State Deadline for School Choice Applications for 2012-2013 School Year,
January 11 (Wed)	Grades K-11
January 11 (Wed)	Grades K-11 PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Martin Luther King Holiday
January 11 (Wed)	Grades K-11 PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Martin Luther King Holiday DCAS Testing
January 11 (Wed)	Grades K-11 PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Martin Luther King Holiday DCAS Testing • Winter Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens
January 11 (Wed) January 16 (Mon)	Grades K-11 PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Martin Luther King Holiday DCAS Testing • Winter Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
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MARCH 2012	
March 2 (Fri)	2 nd Trimester Ends (Trimester Schools)
March 16 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development
March 23 (Fri)	3 rd Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)
APRIL 2012	
April 6 - 13 (Fri- Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Spring Break
April 6-9 (Fri-Mon)	OFFICES CLOSED
April 16 (Mon)	DCAS TestingAlt-1 Spring Test Window Opens
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10; Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10;
	Social Studies: Grades 4, 7 and 9
	Opportunity 1 Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
	Online Test Window Opens
	Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10
April 18 (Wed)	In-School SAT Day, Grade 11
April 30 (Mon)	DCAS Testing
	Opportunity 1 Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
MAY 2012	
May 1 (Tue)	DCAS Testing
	End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Online Test Window Opens
	Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History
	End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Independent Field Test Window Opens
	Integrated Math III
May 2 (Wed)	In-School SAT Make-Up Day, Grade 11
May 7 (Mon)	DCAS Testing
	Opportunity 2 Pencil/Paper Test Window Opens
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
	Pencil/Paper Test Window Opens
	Science: Grades 5, 8, and 10
	• End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens
	Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History
May 21 (Mon)	DCAS Testing
	Online and Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens
	Social Studies: Grades 4 and 7
May 23 (Wed)	DCAS Testing
	Opportunity 2 Pencil/Paper Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10
	Pencil/Paper Test Window Closes
	Science: Grades 5, 8, and 10
	• End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes
	Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History
May 28 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Memorial Day Holiday
May 31 (Thu)	DCAS Testing
	 Alt-1 Spring Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10; Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10;
	Social Studies: Grades 4, 7 and 9

JUNE 2012	
June 1 (Fri)	DCAS Testing
	 Spring Online Test Window Closes
	Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10
	Online Test Window Closes
	Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10
	 End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Online Test Window Closes
	Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History
	 End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Independent Field Test Window Closes
	Integrated Math III
	 Online and Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes
	Social Studies: Grades 4 and 7
June 4 (Mon)	Christiana High School Graduation
June 5 (Tues)	Newark High School Graduation
June 6 (Weds)	Glasgow High School Graduation
June 7-12 (Thu-Tue)	Early Dismissal – High School Exams
June 7 (Thurs)	Brennen, Delaware Autism Program (DAP) Graduation – Afternoon
	Sterck, Delaware School for the Deaf (DSD) Graduation – Evening
June 8 (Fri)	Last PK Student Day*
	Groves Adult High School Graduation
June 12 (Tue)	Last KN-11 Student Day – Early Dismissal*
June 13 (Wed)	Last Teacher Day*
	Paraprofessionals Off

* Subject to change based on weather related contingencies