

2023–24 Staff Calendar

July 4	Tu	Independence Day (Staff holiday) {All staff}
July 11 & 12	Tu & W	Required New Teacher Orientation
July 13 & 14, 17–21	W-F	New Teachers Report (Schools select the two half days or one full day new teachers report)
July 24–August 1		Required teacher pre-planning/staff development [#1–#7] {190-day staff}
August 2	W	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL/Begin 1st semester [Day 1]
September 4	M	Labor Day (Student/staff holiday) {Student & all staff}
September 15	F	Teacher planning/staff development & Digital Learning Day #1 (All students learn at home)
October 5–9		Fall Break {Student & 180-, 181-, 185-, 190-, 193-, & 200-day staff}
October 18 & 19	W & Th	K–8 early release
November 3	F	Teacher planning/staff development & Digital Learning Day #2 (All students learn at home)
November 20–24		Thanksgiving break (Student/staff holidays) {Student & 180-, 181-, 185-, 190-, 193-, 200-, 210-, 220-, & 230-day staff}
November 23 & 24	Th & F	Thanksgiving break {12-month staff}
December 13–15	W-F	HS early release for exams
December 15	F	End of 1st semester [Day 89]
December 18–January 3		Winter break (Student/staff holidays) {Student & 180-, 181-, & 185-day staff}
December 18–January 1		Winter break {190-, 200-, 210, 220-, & 230-day staff}
December 18–January 2		Winter break {193-day staff}
December 22–January 1		Winter break {12-month staff}
January 2 & 3	Tu & W	Required teacher planning/staff development [#8 & #9] & student/staff holiday {Student & 174-, 175-, 180-, 181-, & 185-day staff}
January 4	Th	Students return to school/Begin 2nd semester [Day 90]
January 15	M	Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Federal observance) (Student/staff holiday) {Student & all staff}
February 2	F	Teacher planning/staff development & Digital Learning Day #3 (All students learn at home)
February 15–19		Student/staff holiday {Student & 180-, 181-, 185-, 190-, 193-, & 200-day staff}
March 6 & 7	W & Th	K–8 early release
March 15	F	Teacher planning/staff development & Digital Learning Day #4 (All students learn at home)
April 1-5		Spring break (Student/staff holidays) {Student & 180-, 181-, 185-, 190-, 193-, 200-, 210-, 220-, & 230-day staff}
April 5	F	Spring holiday {12-month staff}
May 20–22	M-W	HS early release for exams
May 22	W	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL/End of 2nd semester [Day 180]
May 23	Th	Required teacher post-planning/staff development [#10] {190-day staff}
May 27	M	Memorial Day (Staff holiday) {All staff}

Beginning and Ending Dates for Staff for 2023–24

180-day staff8-2-23 to 5-22-24
181-day staff8-1-23 to 5-22-24
185-day staff7-26-23 to 5-22-24
190-day staff7-24-23 to 5-23-24
193-day staff7-18-23 to 5-23-24
200-day staff7-17-23 to 5-31-24
210-day staff7-17-23 to 6-6-24
220-day staff—	
ES & MS admin. asst.	7-3-23 to 6-7-24
All other 220-day staff	7-17-23 to 6-21-24
230-day staff7-3-23 to 6-24-24
12-month staff	...7-3-23 to 6-28-24

Planning/DLDs for 2023–24

Sept. 15, Nov. 3,
Feb. 2, and March 15

12-Month Employee Holidays for 2023–24

July 4, Sept. 4,
Nov. 23 & 24,
Dec. 22–29,
Jan. 1, Jan. 15,
April 5,
May 27, and
June 19.

Inclement Weather Make-up Days:

Note: This calendar does not include designated inclement weather make-up days. GCPS will make up any inclement weather days by using Digital Learning Days (DLDs), and/or extending the school day or year.

Planning/Staff Development Days:

Throughout the school year, teachers are scheduled to work a total of 14 planning/staff development days, including four planning days when all students will learn at home, completing assignments at their own pace (asynchronous Digital Learning Days). Designated dates are July 24–28, July 31, Aug. 1, *Sept. 15, *Nov. 3, Jan. 2 and 3, *Feb. 2, *March 15, and May 23. On the four *Digital Learning Days, staff will participate in planning/staff development. Some SNP and Transportation staff also may provide operational support on those days.