

APPROVED: June 17, 2010

Dorchester County Public Schools
2011-2012 School Calendar

REVISED/APPROVED: July 21, 2011

July-11							July		January-12								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	4	Offices Closed (Independence Day)	Teacher Days	Student Days	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2	4	Offices Closed (Independence Day)	11	8	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	8	New Teachers Report			8	9	10	11	12	13	14
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	16	All Teachers Report			15	16	17	18	19	20	21
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	19	Non-Workday for 10-Month Employees			22	23	24	25	26	27	28
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	22	Grades 1-5,6 and 9 Report			29	30	31				
31							23	Grades 1-12 Report									
							24	PreK and K Report									
August-11							September		February-12								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	5	Schools Closed (Labor Day)	21	19	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6	5	Schools Closed (Labor Day)						1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	16	Professional Development Day			5	6	7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	22	Interims			12	13	14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	27	Parent Conference/Professional Development Day			19	20	21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31				20	October	20	20	26	27	28	29			
							3-14	HSA Testing									
							21	Schools Closed (MSTA Convention)									
							27	End of Term I (45 days)									
September-11							November		March-12								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	19	19	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
				1	2	3	23-25	Schools Closed (Thanksgiving Holiday)	19	19					1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	2	Interims	14	13	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	6	Parent Conference/Professional Development Day			11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	21-30	Schools Closed (Winter Break)			18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30		20	January	20	20	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
							2	Schools Closed (New Year Holiday)									
October-11							February		April-12								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	20	19	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
						1	9-20	HSA Testing									
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	16	Schools Closed (MLK Birthday)			1	2	3	4	5	6	7
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	19	End of Term II (46 days)			8	9	10	11	12	13	14
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	20	Schools Closed (Presidents' Day)			15	16	17	18	19	20	21
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	21	Interims			22	23	24	25	26	27	28
30	31						23	Parent Conference/Professional Development Day			29	30					
							22	March	22	22							
November-11							May		May-12								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	22	22	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
		1	2	3	4	5	13-14, 20-21	MSA Testing					1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	26	End of Term III (45 days)	15	15	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	2-9	Schools Closed - Spring Break			13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	16-20	HSA Testing / 16-30 MSA Testing			20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30				30	Interims			27	28	29	30	31		
							1-4	MSA Testing / 21-31 HSA Testing	22	22							
							28	Schools Closed (Memorial Day)									
							29	NDHS Graduation									
December-11							June		June-12								
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	8	8	S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
				1	2	3	1-6	HSA Testing							1	2	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12	End of Term IV (49/44 days)			3	4	5	6	7	8	9
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	12	Last Day for Students (1/2 day)			10	11	12	13	14	15	16
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	12	Last Day for Teachers (full day)			17	18	19	20	21	22	23
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	12	Last Day for Teachers (full day)			24	25	26	27	28	29	30
No School for Students							TOTAL DAYS (See Notes Below)		192	185	No School for Students or Teachers						
Testing Dates																	
♦ New Teachers Begin							♦ All Teachers Begin		♦ Students Begin		♦ Graduation						

NOTE 1: Five (5) days have been added to the calendar for inclement weather. In the event all five (5) days are not used, they will be deducted at the end of the school year.

NOTE 2: Guidance Counselors shall be available to work a minimum of 2 days, at the principal's discretion, immediately following the teachers' last day of school to provide adequate coverage as determined by the principal. To enable end-of-year work days, 2 to 4 days during the school year will be designated by the principal as non-workdays for the counselors.