

## Newton Public Schools 2017-2018 School Calendar

MONTH/DATE	DAY	REASON	STUDENT DAYS	TEACHER DAYS
September 4 5 & 6 7	Monday Tuesday & Wednesday Thursday	Labor Day (closed) Staff in service School starts for students	17 days	19 days
October 9	Monday	Columbus Day (closed for Staff in service)	21 days	22 days
November 9 & 10 22 23 & 24	Thursday & Friday Wednesday Thursday & Friday	NJEA Convention (closed) Early Dismissal Thanksgiving Recess (closed)	18 days	18 days
December 12 December 22 25-29	Tuesday Friday Monday - Friday	Early Dismissal Early Dismissal Winter Recess (closed)	16 days	16 days
January 1 2 15	Monday Tuesday Monday	New Year's Day (closed) School resumes Martin Luther King Jr. Day (closed for Staff in service)	21 days	22 days
February 19	Monday	Presidents Day (closed)	19 days	19 days
March 29 30	Thursday Friday	Early Dismissal Spring Recess (closed)	21 days	21 days
April 2-6	Monday - Friday	Spring Recess (closed)	16 days	16 days
May 28	Monday	Memorial Day (closed)	22 days	22 days
June 22	Friday	Tentative last day	16 days	16 days

- This 2017-2018 calendar is subject to change at any time due to extenuating circumstances at the discretion of the Board of Education.
- The above calendar reflects 187 student school days (191 days for staff). There is an allowance of 7 emergency closing days in the above calendar. If not needed they will be subtracted from the last day of school, the 22<sup>nd</sup> of June. Should more than 7 emergency closing days be used, the additional days will be subtracted from the Spring Recess beginning with Friday, April 6<sup>th</sup>, then Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, then Wednesday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, etc.
- Early dismissals for parent/teacher conferences are also scheduled on the following dates:  
Halsted Middle School – 11/6, 11/7, 11/8; Merriam Avenue School – 11/6, 11/7, 11/8, and 2/7.  
Early dismissal times will be posted in each School Handbook.
- PARCC Testing Dates: TBD

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