

DIocese OF WILMINGTON
OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR
2018-2019



August 23	Orientation Day for Educators <u>New</u> to the Diocese of Wilmington
August 27	Spirituality Day for <u>All</u> Educators with Bishop W. Francis Malooly
August 28-31	Professional Development Days for <u>All</u> Elementary and Secondary Educators
September 3	Labor Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
September 4	First Day of School for Students
October 8	Columbus Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
October 10	PSAT (Secondary Schools – Grades 9-10-11)
November 21-23	Thanksgiving Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
November 26	Schools Re-open
December 1-2	High School Placement Test
December 24–January 1	Christmas Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
January 2	Schools Re-open
January 18	March for Life
January 21	Martin Luther King, Jr., Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
January 27–February 2	Catholic Schools Week – <i>Catholic Schools: Believe. Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.</i>
February 18	Presidents Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
March 27	Professional Development Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
April 18-28	Easter Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
April 29	Schools Re-open
May 27	Memorial Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
June 5	Earliest date for Eighth Grade Closing Exercises
June 14	Last Day of School for Students
June 18	Last Day for Elementary and Secondary Educators

This calendar accounts for 180 student instructional days and allows for the use of three student holidays (one diocesan professional development day, one school-selected retreat day for educators, and one school-selected day for professional development and/or family conferences). If additional weather-related or other emergencies occur, adjustments may be made to this calendar.

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January 31, 2018
 Date