

Fairfax County Public Schools 2019-2020 Standard School Year Calendar

Approved

July 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

August 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	TW	SP	SD	SP	TW	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	F				H	

11 Eid (begins sunset 8/10)
16 Optional work from alternate location
30 - September 2 Labor Day Break

September 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					
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2 Labor Day
30 Rosh Hashanah (begins sunset 9/29) - 10/1

October 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			*			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	SP					
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		
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9 Yom Kippur (begins sunset 10/8 and continues into the night of 10/9)
14 Columbus Day
27 Diwali

November 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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					QE	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	SP	TW				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
			H	H	H	

5 Optional work from alternate location
27-29 Thanksgiving Break

December 2019						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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29	30	31				
	H	H				

23 Chanukah (begins sunset 12/22) - 12/30
23 - January 3 Winter Break
25 Christmas

January 2020						
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	H				QE	
26	27	28	29	30	31	
	TW	SD				

1 New Year's Day
20 Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday

February 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	H					
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

17 Washington's Birthday and Presidents' Day

March 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		SP				
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	SD	**				
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

3 Presidential Primary

April 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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	H	H	H	H	H	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
*	TW					
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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26	27	28	29	30		

6-10 Spring Break
7 Theravada New Year
9 Passover (begins sunset 4/8) - 4/16
10 Good Friday
12 Easter
24 Ramadan (begins sunset 4/23 and continues with daily fast and nightly prayer until May 23)

May 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
*	31	H				

24 Eid al Fitr (begins sunset 5/23)
25 Memorial Day

June 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	TW					
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

15 Optional work from alternate location

Makeup Schedule	
The student calendar is based on 180 instructional days. In case of school being cancelled due to weather or other emergency, the required makeup days will be listed below.	
Up to 125 hours (equivalent 20 days)	No make up required
21st missed day	April 13th

** Monday, March 16, will be designated as a Student Holiday/Staff Development (SD) day to provide time for staff to prepare for the possibility of distance learning in the event of a school(s) closure due to COVID-19.

Standard Calendar 2019-2020	
F	First day of school
QE	End of the quarter (no early release)
YE	Last Day for Regular Classes (180 days) - Early Release
SD	Staff Development Day - Required for staff
SP	School Planning Day - Required for staff
TW	Workday for teachers
H	Holiday
NT	New Teacher Training

Quarter Duration		
Quarter	End Date	Duration
1	November 1	47
2	January 24	44
3	April 3	45
4	June 12	43

* Major Religious Observances - These are regular school days unless otherwise indicated. Efforts will be made to avoid scheduling tests, activities, and major school events.