

**BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

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**TO:** **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**FROM:** Dr. Joe A. Hairston, Superintendent

**SUBJECT:** **REVISION TO 2008-2009 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

**ORIGINATOR:** Dr. Joe A. Hairston, Superintendent

**RESOURCE  
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**INFORMATION**

That the Board of Education receive as an information item the proposed revision to the 2008-2009 school calendar. This proposed revision will go into effect upon the granting of a waiver for one (1) instructional day for the elementary school level by the Maryland State Board of Education. The waiver request will be considered at State Board's meeting on 4/27 and 4/28/2009.

Attachment I – Summary of revised calendar

## REVISED CALENDAR FOR THE FINAL WEEK OF SCHOOL YEAR 2008-2009

June 2009

- 10(W)            Assessment Day\*\*\*\*, Schools close 3 hours Early for High School Students,  
Teachers on Duty
- 11(Th)           Assessment Day\*\*\*\*, Schools close 3 hours Early for High School Students,  
Teachers on Duty  
  
Assessment Day\*\*, Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Elementary and Middle  
School Students; Teachers on Duty
- 12(F)            Last Day of Classes for Students; Schools Close 3 Hours Early for All Students;  
Teachers on Duty

\*\*ASSESSMENT DAYS/SITE BASED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT - Elementary and middle schools will be given time for parents, teachers, and students to meet and/or assess progress and/or participate in development activities.

\*\*\*\*ASSESSMENT DAYS- High schools will have the opportunity to administer traditional final exams or to use alternative assessment procedures.