Dear Team BCPS,

Welcome to the 2020-2021 school year!

First and foremost, I hope that you and your family are healthy and well during the COVID-19 crisis.

While I deeply miss being able to welcome our staff and families back to our school buildings, please know that I look forward to doing just that when it is safe to do so.

Until then, learning is in session! Through our enhanced virtual model, students have opportunities for more rigor, more live instruction, and more interaction through small group learning. We are also continuing to prioritize social-emotional learning to support the mental health of our students and staff.

Stay in touch with us through the BCPS website, Facebook and Twitter (@BaltCoPS), Instagram (@teambcps), our weekly e-newsletter, and Parent University for family resources and workshops.

Let’s have a wonderful school year!

Sincerely,

Darryl L. Williams, Ed.D.
Superintendent
The Board of Education of Baltimore County (Board) is authorized by Maryland law to “determine, with advice of the county Superintendent, the educational policies of the county school system.” Its three major areas of responsibility are: school policy, school budget, and school property.

The Board is comprised of both appointed and elected members. Seven nonpartisan members are elected, one from each councilmanic district, while four at-large members are appointed by the governor from a list of candidates selected by the Baltimore County School Board Nominating Commission. The 12th board member is a Grade 11 or 12 student selected by students representing all BCPS middle and high schools and approved by the governor. A current list of Board members can be found on the BCPS website, www.bcps.org.

Business meetings are held monthly during the school year to conduct the business of the Board and to receive public comment. Please note that due to the global pandemic, and until further notice, all Board meetings are virtual only, not in person. The public can still submit comments. Public sessions of meetings are live-streamed and can be viewed on the BCPS website, or on BCPS-TV (found at Comcast Cable Channel 73 or Verizon FiOS Channel 34).

To maintain two-way communications with the community, the Board has Area Education Advisory Councils for each of the county’s five geographic areas. In addition, Board meeting agendas, minutes, and exhibits are available online at the BoardDocs website, https://www.boarddocs.com/mabe/bcps/Board.nsf/Public.

### Board of Education Meetings 2020-2021

All meetings begin at 6:30 p.m.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Month</th>
<th>Date</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>July 14</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>August 11</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>August 25</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>September 15</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>September 29</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>October 13</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>October 27</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>November 10</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>November 24</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>December 8</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>December 22</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>January 5</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>January 19</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>January 25</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>January 30</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Please note that the information in this calendar is correct as of the date of printing. For the most current version of the calendar, please check the online version found at http://www.bcps.org/calendars/
Baltimore County Public Schools is the third largest school system in Maryland and the nation’s 25th largest. In 2020-2021, more than 18,000 employees – including nearly 10,000 teachers – will serve more than 115,000 students in 175 schools, centers, and programs.

BCPS is focused on raising the bar, closing gaps, and preparing for our future.

To learn more:
- Visit the BCPS website – www.bcps.org
- Subscribe to our weekly e-newsletter at www.bcps.org/news/TeamBCPSNewsletter.html
- Watch original programming on BCPS-TV, found online at vimeo.com/bcps and on the air at Verizon FiOS channel 34 and Comcast Xfinity channel 73.
- Download the BCPS Now app for Android, iPhone, and Windows.
- Follow us: Exposure – teambcps.exposure.co Facebook – BaltCoPS Instagram – teambcps Twitter - BaltCoPS
- Visit www.flickr.com/bcps/ to see pictures.

BCPS Main Phone Numbers

- General Information 443-809-4554
- Anonymous Fraud Tip Line 1-866-881-2932
- Board of Education 443-809-4126
- School Operating Status (recorded message) 443-809-5555
- Superintendent 443-809-4281

Employment Information

- Business Services Recruitment 443-809-7872
- Employee Benefits 443-809-8943
- Office Professionals/Paraprofessionals Recruitment 443-809-7870
- Substitutes Recruitment 443-809-8952
- Teacher Recruitment
  - Elementary 443-809-4151, or 4152
  - Middle 443-809-4146
  - High 443-809-4453
  - Special Education 443-809-4605

Other important numbers

- Athletic Programs 443-809-2328
- BCPS-TV 443-809-4292
- Communications 443-809-5908
- Physical Facilities 443-809-6435
- School Boundaries 443-809-4215
- Transcripts 443-809-6360
- Transportation 443-809-4321

This calendar features haiku written by students and submitted to the 2020 Team BCPS Haiku Contest. The contest theme was “hero”. Artwork throughout the calendar was created by both students and staff. Information about the students’ grade levels, schools, and teachers (for both the artwork and writing) refers to last school year.

Art: Caitlyn Sydnor, Grade 8
Sudbrook Magnet Middle School
Schoology on BCPS One gives parents and students 24/7 access to student courses, grades, and assignments.

BCPS recommends that parents create and use their own BCPS One accounts, rather than use their students’ accounts. Using a parent account to access Schoology allows you to:

- Quickly toggle between student accounts
- Access courses and grades with minimal clicks
- Efficiently communicate with teachers
- Monitor student progress through the Schoology mobile app
- Set notifications to stay updated on Schoology activity
- Receive a weekly activity summary via email

Interested in learning more about Schoology? Visit the Parent Schoology Support page, found on your BCPS One dashboard. There you can find videos, featured tips, and support resources for using Schoology as a parent.
I was at the beach
when a fish got stuck on land
a hero saved it

Steven Horsey, Grade 4
Chesapeake Terrace Elementary School
Teacher: Hannah Douglass

Art: Emily Foggo, Grade 3
Hampton Elementary School
AUGUST 2020

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 is:
Children’s Eye Health & Safety Month

Teachers & school-based staff on duty
You lay on your bed,
To think about tomorrow,
How will you change it?

Isabella Barrantes, Grade 6
Deer Park Magnet Middle School
Teacher: Hannah Fowler

Art: Maddy Hahn, Grade 6
Ridgely Middle School
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Teacher classroom preparation day</td>
<td>Teacher classroom preparation day</td>
<td>Systemwide professional development activities</td>
<td>Orientation for students entering Grades 6 &amp; 9</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>6</th>
<th>7</th>
<th>8</th>
<th>9</th>
<th>10</th>
<th>11</th>
<th>12</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Opening day for students; Kindergarten gradual entry</td>
<td>Magnet Brochure available</td>
<td>Kindergarten gradual entry</td>
<td>First full day of Kindergarten</td>
<td>Patriot Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>International Literacy Day</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>13</th>
<th>14</th>
<th>15</th>
<th>16</th>
<th>17</th>
<th>18</th>
<th>19</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Magnet Application available online at noon</td>
<td></td>
<td>Rosh Hashanah 9/18 – 20</td>
<td>National Tradesmen Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>National IT Professionals Day</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>20</th>
<th>21</th>
<th>22</th>
<th>23</th>
<th>24</th>
<th>25</th>
<th>26</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>International Day of Peace</td>
<td>First day of autumn</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Magnet Application Information Meeting (virtual) 10 a.m. &amp; 1 p.m. Pre-registration required</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>27</th>
<th>28</th>
<th>29</th>
<th>30</th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Systemwide Professional Development Day</td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Magnet Application Information Meeting (virtual) 10 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Pre-registration required</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Schools closed for students</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Yom Kippur</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**SEPTEMBER 2020**

- **Teacher classroom preparation day**
- **Systemwide Professional Development Day**
- **Schools closed for students**
- **Orientation for students entering Grades 6 & 9**
- **First full day of Kindergarten**
- **International Literacy Day**
- **National Payroll Week 9/7-11**
- **Labor Day**
- **National Arts in Education Week 9/13-19**
- **National Hispanic Heritage Month**
- **Library Card Sign-up Month**
- **National Tradesmen Day 9/26**
- **Rosh Hashanah 9/18 – 20**
- **International Day of Peace 9/21**
- **Patriot Day 9/11**
- **First day of autumn 9/22**
- **Magnet Application available online at noon 9/17**
- **International Literacy Day 9/8**
- **National IT Professionals Day 9/22**
- **Magnet Application Information Meeting (virtual) 9/29**
- **September is:**
  - Library Card Sign-up Month
  - National Hispanic Heritage Month
To save someone’s day
You don’t need superpowers
you just need kindness

Emily Dinh, Grade 7
Arbutus Middle School
Teacher: Lynn Elliott

Art: Oksana Trent
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**OCTOBER 2020**

- **1 October**: FAFSA application available
- **2 October**: Sukkot (Feast of Tabernacles)
- **3 October**: Custodian Appreciation Day

**4 October**:
- German-American Day
- Board of Education Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

**5 October**:
- International Walk to School Day
- Custodian Appreciation Day

**6 October**:
- Board of Education Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

**7 October**:
- National Bullying Prevention Month

**8 October**:
- National Hispanic Heritage Month (through 10/15)

**9 October**:
- Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools closed for students
- Shemini Atzeret

**10 October**:
- Simchat Torah
- National Boss’s Day

**11 October**:
- Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples Day
- National School Lunch Week 10/12-16

**12 October**:
- German-American Day

**13 October**:
- International Walk to School Day

**14 October**:
- Board of Education Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

**15 October**:
- Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools closed for students

**16 October**:
- National Boss’s Day

**17 October**:
- Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools closed for students

**18 October**:
- BCPS Bullying Prevention Week
- National School Bus Safety Week 10/19-23
- Birth of the Báb

**19 October**:
- BCPS Bullying Prevention Week
- National School Bus Safety Week 10/19-23

**20 October**:
- Board of Education Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

**21 October**:
- BCPS Transportation Appreciation Day

**22 October**:
- Red Ribbon Week 10/23-31

**23 October**:
- Göteborg Bus Safety Week 10/23-31

**24 October**:
- Make a Difference Day

**25 October**:
- Board of Education Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

**26 October**:
- Czech Heritage Month
- Italian Heritage Month

**27 October**:
- National Bullying Prevention Month
- National Hispanic Heritage Month (through 10/15)
- October is:
  - Czech Heritage Month
  - Italian Heritage Month
  - National Bullying Prevention Month
  - National Hispanic Heritage Month (through 10/15)
  - National Principals Month
  - Polish American Heritage Month

**28 October**:
- National Principals Month

**29 October**:
- Make a Difference Day

**30 October**:
- Humphrey Böhm Day

**31 October**:
- Halloween

*November 2020 Calendar*
One lonely girl sits, fingers grazed the fine paper, A hero of lead.

Dakota Fetzer-Mause, Grade 12
Patapsco High School and Center for the Arts
Teacher: Natalie Avallone

Art: Luna Miranda, Grade 8
Cockeysville Middle School
**NOVEMBER 2020**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
|        |        | **Election Day**  
**Schools & offices closed** |          |          |        |          |
| 8      | 9      | 10      | 11        | 12       | 13     | 14       |
|        |        |         | **Veterans Day**  
**Education Support Professionals Day**  
**Grade reporting & data analysis**  
**Schools close 3 hours early for elementary & middle school students** |          |          |        |          |
| 15     | 16     | 17      | 18        | 19       | 20     | 21       |
|        |        |         |          |          |        |          |
| 22     | 23     | 24      | 25        | 26       | 27     | 28       |
|        |        |         | **Board of Education Meeting**  
6:30 p.m. |          | **Thanksgiving Holiday**  
**Schools & offices closed** |          |
| 29     | 30     |         |           |          |        |          |
|        |        |         | **Report cards distributed** |          |        |          |

**OCTOBER 2020**  
**DECEMBER 2020**

November is:
**National Native American Heritage Month**
Loves me like a bear
Protects me with all her heart
My mom keeps me safe

Sean Rogers, Grade 5
Villa Cresta Elementary School
Teacher: Jennifer Carothers

Art: Katharina Delgavio, visual arts teacher
Deer Park Middle Magnet School

made with love by
Mrs. Delgavio
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1</td>
<td></td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Preschool-3, Pre-K &amp; Elementary Conference Day. No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions</td>
<td></td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Feast of the Immaculate Conception</td>
<td></td>
<td>10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td></td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Bill of Rights Day</td>
<td></td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>First day of winter</td>
<td></td>
<td>24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td></td>
<td>31</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**NOVEMBER 2020**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**DECEMBER 2020**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**JANUARY 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>31</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Better done than said
Actions speak louder than words
Heroes choose wisely

Esther Thani, Grade 4
Shady Spring Elementary School
Teacher: Christina Tabler

Art: Jacob Tomlinson, Grade 12
Patapsco High School & Center for the Arts
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>New Year’s Day</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Japanese New Year Festivities</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting</td>
<td>Epiphany</td>
<td>Christmas Day (Orthodox)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>(6:30 p.m.)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>FY2022 Operating Budget Public Hearing &amp; Work Session</td>
<td>Snow date for FY2022 Operating Budget Public Hearing &amp; Work Session</td>
<td>Team BCPS Day (wear blue!)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>(6:30 p.m.)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</td>
<td>Maintenance Appreciation Day</td>
<td>Snow date for FY 2022 Operating Budget Work Session</td>
<td>Grade reporting &amp; data analysis</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>School &amp; offices closed</td>
<td>(6:30 p.m.)</td>
<td></td>
<td>for all students</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Grade reporting &amp; data analysis</td>
<td></td>
<td>Second marking period ends.</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>(for all students)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**DECEMBER 2020**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td>Dec</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**FEBRUARY 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Jan</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Heroes fight for truth, Justice and fairness for all
Heroes are quite brave

Marlowe Hoffman, Grade 2
Summit Park Elementary School
Teacher: Dianne Tirocchi

Art: Liberty Hamilton, Grade 8
Golden Ring Middle School
## February 2021

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sunday</th>
<th>Monday</th>
<th>Tuesday</th>
<th>Wednesday</th>
<th>Thursday</th>
<th>Friday</th>
<th>Saturday</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>National Freedom Day</td>
<td>Groundhog Day</td>
<td>Language Advocacy Day</td>
<td>Release of elementary &amp; middle school magnet admission decisions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>National School Counseling Week 2/1-5</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Safer Internet Day</td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Report cards distributed</td>
<td>Lincoln’s Birthday</td>
<td>Chinese New Year</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Presidents’ Day</td>
<td>Lent 2/17 – 4/3</td>
<td>Ash Wednesday</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Schools &amp; offices closed (emergency closure make-up day)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>George Washington’s birthday</td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>28</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**January 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sun</th>
<th>Mon</th>
<th>Tue</th>
<th>Wed</th>
<th>Thu</th>
<th>Fri</th>
<th>Sat</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**March 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sun</th>
<th>Mon</th>
<th>Tue</th>
<th>Wed</th>
<th>Thu</th>
<th>Fri</th>
<th>Sat</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

February is:
- National African American History Month
- National Children’s Dental Health Month
No cape glides behind her. Instead, her words soar to whoever listens.

Grace Jecelin, Grade 11
Dulaney High School
Teacher: Meekah Hopkins

Art: Sophia, Grade 11
Dulaney High School
### March 2021

**SUNDAY** | **MONDAY** | **TUESDAY** | **WEDNESDAY** | **THURSDAY** | **FRIDAY** | **SATURDAY**
---|---|---|---|---|---|---
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 | | | | |

**March is:**
- Irish American Heritage Month
- Middle Level Education Month
- Music in our Schools Month
- Social Work Month
- Women’s History Month
- Youth Art Month

---

**FEBRUARY 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27
| 28 | | | | | | |

**APRIL 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31

---

### March Events
- **March 7 - 13:** National School Social Work Week
- **March 8:** National School Breakfast Week (3/8-12)  
 International Women’s Day
- **March 9:** Orthodox Lent (3/15 – 5/1)  
  Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- **March 13:** Spring Break (3/29 – 4/5)
- **March 15:** World Down Syndrome Awareness Day
- **March 16:** St. Patrick’s Day
- **March 17:** Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- **March 18:** National School Social Work Week
- **March 19:** Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- **March 20:** Passover (Pesach), First Days (3/27-28)
- **March 23:** First day of spring
- **March 24:** Maryland FAFSA deadline
- **March 25:** Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- **March 26:** Maryland Day
- **March 27:** Passover (Pesach), First Days (3/27-28)

---

### Other Important Dates
- **March 1:** Women’s History Month
- **March 4:** St. Patrick’s Day
- **March 8:** Read Across America
- **March 11:** Irish American Heritage Month
- **March 12:** Middle Level Education Month
- **March 16:** Music in our Schools Month
- **March 20:** Social Work Month
- **March 22:** Women’s History Month
- **March 29:** Youth Art Month

---

**Notes:**
- Maryland FAFSA deadline: March 2
- Spring break: March 29 – 4/5
- Board of Education Meeting: 6:30 p.m.
Faint sound in my ear
Joyous music bringing cheer
Illuminating

Marcus Neulander, Grade 4
Pinewood Elementary School
Teacher: Theresa Flasphler

Kaytee Lurz, visual arts teacher
Pine Grove Elementary School
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**APRIL 2021**

Sundays:
- National Poetry Month
- School Library Month
- World Autism Month

**Mondays:**
- Administrative Professionals Day
- First day of Ramadan

**Tuesdays:**
- Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.

**Wednesdays:**
- School reopen
- Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.

**Thursdays:**
- Good Friday
- National Children’s Book Day
- Passover (Pesach), Concluding Days 4/3-4

**Fridays:**
- International Children’s Book Day

**Saturdays:**
- Pre-K Conference Day
- No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions

**Easter:**
- State-mandated holiday
- Schools & offices closed (emergency closure make-up day)
- National Library Week 4/5-9

**Administrative Professionals Week 4/18-24**
- National Student Leadership Week 4/18-24
- National Volunteer Week 4/18-24

**Public School Volunteer Week 4/19-23**

**Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.**

**Third marking period ends.**

**Grade reporting and data analysis.**

**Close 3 hours early for elementary and middle schools students**

**National Library Week 4/5-9**

**Administrative Professionals Week 4/18-24**

**National Volunteer Week 4/18-24**

**Public School Volunteer Week 4/19-23**

**Earth Day**

**Report cards distributed**

**April is:**
- National Poetry Month
- School Library Month
- World Autism Month
heroes are fearless
many heroes are helpful
teachers are heroes

Pia Aquino, Grade 3
Wellwood international Elementary School
Teacher: Donna Garde

Art: Kathryn Knight, visual arts teacher
Parkville Middle School
# MAY 2021

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>National Physical Education &amp; Sport Week 5/1-7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>National College Decision Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>First play date for fall sports</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>National Music Week 5/2-9</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Orthodox Easter</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Mother’s Day</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Shavuot (Festival of Weeks) 5/16-18</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Declaration of the Bab</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Pentecost</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td></td>
<td>APRIL 2021</td>
<td>JUNE 2021</td>
<td></td>
<td>May is:</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Asian Pacific American Heritage Month</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Better Hearing &amp; Speech Month</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>National Physical Fitness &amp; Sports Month</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- MAY is: Asian Pacific American Heritage Month
- Better Hearing & Speech Month
- National Physical Fitness & Sports Month

**National Physical Education & Sport Week 5/1-7**

**National College Decision Day**

**May is:**

- Asian Pacific American Heritage Month
- Better Hearing & Speech Month
- National Physical Fitness & Sports Month

**School Lunch Hero Day**

**Orthodox Easter**

**Mother’s Day**

**Shavuot (Festival of Weeks) 5/16-18**

**Declaration of the Bab**

**Pentecost**

**National Music Week 5/2-9**

**Orthodox Easter**

**Mother’s Day**

**Shavuot (Festival of Weeks) 5/16-18**

**Declaration of the Bab**

**Pentecost**
Yellow rays of warmth
Sunshine source of love and care
Dark won't stand a chance

Evelyn Epstein, Grade 4
Summit Park Elementary School
Teacher: Hope Blumenthal

Art: Gabrielle Fowlkes, Grade 8
Middle River Middle School
Art teacher: Erin Parker
June is:
National Caribbean-American Heritage Month
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Independence Day observed</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Schools &amp; offices closed</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Summer school teachers on duty</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Summer school begins</td>
<td>Board of Education Meeting 6:30 p.m.</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**JUNE 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**AUGUST 2021**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUN</th>
<th>MON</th>
<th>TUE</th>
<th>WED</th>
<th>THU</th>
<th>FRI</th>
<th>SAT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
# AUGUST 2021

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>SUNDAY</th>
<th>MONDAY</th>
<th>TUESDAY</th>
<th>WEDNESDAY</th>
<th>THURSDAY</th>
<th>FRIDAY</th>
<th>SATURDAY</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>17</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>21</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>28</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>31</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- **AUGUST 2021**
- **JULY 2021**
- **SEPTEMBER 2021**

**Summer school ends**

**Board of Education Meeting**

6:30 p.m.
Annual Notices

Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment

The Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (20 U.S.C. §1232h) gives to parents and eligible students (students who are 18 years of age or who are emancipated minors) certain rights regarding surveys, the collection and use of information for marketing purposes, and certain physical exams.

These rights include: the right to consent before students are required to submit to a survey funded in whole or in part by a program of the United States Department of Education when the survey involves areas of protected information ("protected information survey"). The protected information survey areas include:

1. Political affiliations or beliefs of the student or the student’s parent;
2. Mental and psychological problems of the student or the student’s family;
3. Sex behavior or attitudes;
4. Illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior;
5. Critical appraisals of other individuals with whom respondents have close family relationships;
6. Legally recognized privileged or analogous relationships, such as those with lawyers, physicians, and ministers; or
7. Religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of the student or of the student’s parents;
8. Income (other than that required by law to determine program eligibility).

The right to receive notice and an opportunity for a student to opt out of:

1. Any other protected information survey, regardless of the source of funding;
2. Any non-emergency, invasive physical exam or screening required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health or safety of a student, except for hearing, vision, or scoliosis screenings, or any physical exam or screening required by State Law; and
3. Activities involving the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information obtained from students for marketing or to sell or otherwise distribute the information to others. (This does not include the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for the sole purpose of developing, evaluating, or providing educational products or services for or to, students or educational institutions.)

The right to inspect, upon request, and before the administration or use:

1. Protected information surveys of students and surveys created by a third party;
2. Instruments used to collect personal information from students for any of the above marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes; and
3. Instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum.

Baltimore County Public Schools has adopted rules and established practices regarding these rights to protect student privacy in the administration of protected information surveys and the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information for marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes. BCPS will directly notify parents of these policies at least annually at the start of each school year and after any substantive changes. BCPS will also directly notify parents of students who are scheduled to participate in the specific activities or surveys noted below and will provide an opportunity for the parent to opt his or her child out of participation of the specific activity or survey. BCPS will make this notification to parents at the beginning of the school year if the District has identified the specific or approximate dates of the activities or surveys at that time. For surveys and activities scheduled after the school year starts, parents will be provided reasonable notification of the planned activities and surveys listed below and be provided an opportunity to opt their child out of such activities and surveys. Parents will also be provided an opportunity to review any pertinent surveys. Following is a list of the specific activities and surveys covered under this direct notification requirement:

- Collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for marketing, sales, or other distribution.
- Administration of any protected information survey not funded in whole or in part by the United States Department of Education.
- Any non-emergency, invasive physical examination or screening as described above.

Parents or eligible students who believe that their rights under this law have been violated may file a complaint with:

Student Privacy Policy Office
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20202-5920
Phone: 1-800-USA-LEARN (1-800-872-5327)

Students have access to Special Education, Section 504, and ESOL support services in all schools with magnet programs.
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (“FERPA”)

Release of Directory Information
The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)( 20 U.S.C. §1232g) a federal law, as well as State regulation (COMAR 13A.08.02) permit the disclosure of directory information from a student’s education record without the parent’s prior written consent unless the parent has opted out of such disclosure. (To opt out means that a parent/eligible student does not permit BCPS to disclose a student’s directory information.) In accordance with the law, Baltimore County Public Schools (hereinafter, “BCPS”) is providing parents and eligible students with this FERPA Annual Notification of Rights.

These rights are described below:

A. Confidentiality
Parents or eligible students have the right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student’s education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent. Prior consent for disclosure of a student record is not required if the disclosure is to:

(1) School officials with legitimate educational interests. A “school official” is defined as an individual employed by BCPS or a person or company contracted by the school system who has legitimate educational interests in a student record, in order to fulfill professional or job responsibilities as determined by BCPS. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility.

(2) Upon request, BCPS will disclose without consent a student’s education record to another school or school system in which the student seeks or intends to enroll.

(3) Or, as otherwise permitted by federal or State laws.

More specific school system procedures concerning the release of student records can be found in Superintendent’s Rule 5230: Student Records.

Directory Information
FERPA requires that BCPS, with certain exceptions, obtains your written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from your child’s education record. Directory information, which is information that is generally not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if released, can also be disclosed to outside organizations without a parent’s or eligible student’s prior written consent. Accordingly, BCPS may disclose designated “directory information” without your written consent, unless you have advised BCPS to the contrary.

As indicated in Superintendent’s Rule 5230, the following information has been designated by BCPS as “directory information” and can be released without parental consent:

1. Student first and last name;
2. Dates of school attendance;
3. Grade level;
4. School enrollment status;
5. Most recent school attended;
6. Major field of study;
7. Participation in official activities and sports;
8. Weight and height of athletic team participants;
9. Degrees and awards received; and
10. Photographic, video or electronic images.

Outside organizations to which directory information may be released include, but are not limited to, companies that manufacture class rings or publish yearbooks.

Parents May Choose to Limit Disclosure of Directory Information
Parents/Guardians may refuse to have BCPS disclose their child’s directory information in the following ways:

• School Publications (disclosure of directory information in school publications, such as school newsletter, yearbook/memory book, graduation program, theatre playbill, athletic team roster, displays, brochures and other school publications.)
• BCPS/Systemwide Publications (disclosure of directory information in system publications, such as the BCPS school information calendar, student handbook, meeting handouts/ PowerPoint presentations, annual budget book and other BCPS/systemwide publications.)
• BCPS/Systemwide and School Communications (disclosure of directory information in systemwide and school communications, such as BCPS/school television, BCPS/school website, BCPS/school social media [e.g., Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Flickr, blogs, etc.] and other BCPS/systemwide and school communications).
• Outside News Media Organizations (disclosure of directory information, upon request, to news media organizations outside of BCPS, such as local and national TV and radio stations, newspapers or magazines).
• Third Parties Other than News Media Organizations (disclosure of directory information, upon request, to a third party, such as a community or parent organization or other third party, and level 2 apps).

Right to Inspect and Review Student Records
A parent or eligible student has the right to inspect and review the student’s education record in conference with appropriate school personnel. If a student is 18 years of age or older, rights afforded to and required of the parent shall thereafter only be afforded to and required of the student. A parent or eligible student should submit to the principal a written request that identifies the education record he or she wishes to inspect. The principal or his or her designee will make arrangements for access and notify the parent or eligible student of the time and place where the student’s record may be inspected. Maryland law provides that a student education record may be released by BCPS to other educational or specified governmental agencies, to a person involved in approved research projects, to comply with a judicial order or a lawfully-issued subpoena, or in a health or safety emergency.
Right to Request to Amend Student Record
A parent or eligible student, who believes that information contained in the student’s education record is inaccurate, misleading or violates the privacy rights of the student may make a written request to the school principal to amend the records. The request should be made in writing to the school principal, clearly identify the part of the record to be changed, and specify why it is inaccurate, misleading, or violates the student’s privacy. If the principal denies the request, the principal will inform the parent or eligible student in writing of his/her decision and of the procedures for appealing the decision.

Parents or eligible students who believe that their rights under FERPA have been violated may file a complaint with:

Student Privacy Policy Office
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20202-5920
Phone: 1-800-USA-LEARN (1-800-872-5327)

Privacy Options Other Than Directory Information
BCPS also affords parents/guardians the right to opt-out of the following by completing the privacy preferences in BCPS One or submitting the Student Privacy Options attachment to your child’s school. (See Superintendent’s Rule 6202)

Photography/Filming By Outside News Organizations
There are times when a school may be featured in various media. News reporters, photographers and/or film crews from TV, radio stations, newspapers or magazines may wish to photograph or film your child during the school day in relation to a story about our schools or students.

Military Recruiters and/or Institutions of Higher Education (secondary students only)
Federal law requires BCPS to provide, on a request made by a military recruiter or institution of higher education, access to the name, address and telephone listing of each secondary school student, unless the parent has notified the school principal in writing that this information not be disclosed.

State law also requires BCPS to provide the same information to official recruiting representatives of the military forces of this state and the United States in order to inform students of educational and career opportunities available in the military.

Student Intellectual Property
BCPS may public and/or display a student’s intellectual property and/or a student’s publications/productions created during school-sponsored activities and/or learning experiences. Student-created works may be displayed in schools, at school-sponsored events or used in BCPS publications or communications through digital and print media including: school newsletters, yearbooks/memory books, BCPS/school websites, social media, the school system’s cable television channel, brochures or by other means.

Title IX: Sexual Harassment
Baltimore County Public Schools (BCPS) prohibits sexual harassment. It also prohibits retaliation against persons who file complaints about sexual harassment or who participate in investigations regarding such complaints. Students who have been subjected to sexual harassment or retaliation are encouraged to report the harassment to the school principal and the Title IX Coordinator for BCPS. Complaints will be promptly investigated. Students found to have engaged in sexual harassment or retaliation will be disciplined, as appropriate, consistent with BCPS disciplinary policies and the regulations of the Maryland State Board of Education. Students who have been affected by sexual harassment may receive counseling or other educational support through the school system. BCPS encourages any student, staff member, or parent to contact the Title IX Coordinator for BCPS if there are any questions or concerns.
Notification of AHERA Inspection and Management Compliance

This notification is to inform teachers, school personnel, parents, and other interested parties of the actions taken by Baltimore County Public Schools to ensure compliance with the requirements of the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA).

On October 30, 1987, the AHERA regulations were published in the Federal Register, pp 41826 to 41898, titled “Asbestos Containing Materials in Schools.” These regulations mandate that a building inspection and a management plan be developed for all schools. The building inspection, to be conducted by a building inspector accredited by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), identifies asbestos containing material (ACM) within each school building. The management plan is to be prepared by a management planner accredited by the EPA, and ACM identified are catalogued during the building inspection.

The building inspections and management plans have been completed for Baltimore County Public Schools. These documents have been submitted to the State of Maryland in compliance with AHERA's deadline of May 9, 1989. These documents are available at the schools for public review and also at the Department of Physical Facilities, 9610 Pulaski Park Drive, Suite 204, Baltimore, MD 21220. The individual building reports include schedules for periodic surveillance of ACM, re-inspections to be conducted by an accredited EPA building inspector, and planned and completed response actions.

The first re-inspection of Baltimore County Public Schools' buildings was completed in 1992, and subsequent re-inspections have been performed.

To minimize confusion, and to ensure presence of a school system representative, it is strongly recommended that an appointment be made with the school administrator if anyone is interested in reviewing the reports. The public viewing of the documents is at no cost. Copies of various reports are available for a fee based upon the copying cost of the individual report requested.

Integrated Pest Management Program

The Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Program employed by Baltimore County Public Schools is a proactive approach to insect and rodent control in school facilities. The IPM program includes routine inspections or surveys of all school facilities to identify conditions conducive to pest invasion, to ensure early detection of pest presence, and to monitor infestation levels. As a first step in pest control, the IPM approach employs a number of preventative strategies and alternatives to pesticide application, such as employee education, source reduction, inspection and identification of potential problem areas, and improved sanitation. Each approach is monitored and evaluated, and modifications are made if necessary. Pesticides are used only as a last resort.

Maryland law requires that parents of all elementary school children be notified prior to any interior/grounds pesticide application. Parents of middle school or high school students who wish to be notified prior to interior/grounds applications must request that they be placed on the school system’s pesticide notification list. To be added to the notification list, send a written request that includes your child’s name, your name, address, and telephone number to your child’s school principal.

The following is a list of the pesticides and bait stations, by common name, that may be used in school buildings during the school year. This list may be amended during the year if the need arises.

- bioallethrin
- bromadiolone
- chlorfenapyr
- deltamethrin
- difethialone
- diphacinone
- fipronil
- glyphosate
- oryzalin
- phenothrin
- propoxur
- pyrethrins
- zinc phosphide

Copies of safety data sheets (SDS) and product labels for each pesticide and bait station used on school property are maintained at each school and by the contact person. Persons wishing to review this information should contact David Glassman at 443-809-3909 to arrange an appointment. For additional information about the Integrated Pest Management Program, please contact:

David Glassman
Supervisor, Environmental Services
Baltimore County Public Schools
9610 Pulaski Park Drive, Suite 204
Baltimore, MD 21220
## Alphabetical Listing of All Schools

### Elementary Schools
- Arbutus 410-887-1400
- Baltimore Highlands 410-887-0919
- Battle Grove 410-887-7500
- Bear Creek 410-887-7007
- Bedford 410-887-1200
- Berkshire 410-887-7008
- Campfield Early Learning Center 410-887-1227
- Carney 410-887-5228
- Carroll Manor 410-887-5947
- Catonsville 443-809-0800
- Cedarmere 410-887-1100
- Chadwick 410-887-1300
- Chapel Hill 410-887-5119
- Charlesmont 410-887-7004
- Chase 410-887-5940
- Chatsworth 410-887-1103
- Chesapeake Terrace 410-887-7505
- Church Lane 410-887-0717
- Colgate 443-809-7010
- Cromwell Valley 410-887-4888
- Deep Creek 410-887-0110
- Deer Park 410-887-0723
- Dogwood 410-887-6808
- Dundalk 443-809-7013
- Edgemere 410-887-7507
- Edmondson Heights 410-887-0818
- Elmwood 410-887-5232
- Middlesex 410-887-0170
- Milbrook 410-887-1225
- New Town 410-887-1541
- Norwood 410-887-7055
- Oakleigh 410-887-5238
- Oliver Beach 410-887-5943
- Orem's 410-887-0172
- Owings Mills 410-887-1710
- Padonia 410-887-7646
- Perry Hall 410-887-5105
- Pine Grove 410-887-5267
- Pinewood 410-887-7663
- Pleasant Plains 410-887-3549
- Pot Spring 410-887-7648
- Powhatan 410-887-1330
- Prettyboy 410-887-1900
- Randallstown 410-887-0746
- Red House Run 410-887-0506
- Reisterstown 410-887-1133
- Relay 443-809-1426
- Riderwood 410-887-3568
- Riverview 410-887-1428
- Rodgers Forge 410-887-3582
- Sandalwood 410-887-0174
- Sandy Plains 410-887-7070
- Scotts Branch 410-887-0761
- Seneca 410-887-5945
- Seven Oaks 410-887-6257
- Franklin 410-887-1114
- General John Stricker 443-809-7038
- Golden Ring 443-809-0130
- Hereford 410-887-7902
- Holabird 443-809-7049
- Lansdowne 443-809-1411
- Loch Raven Technical Academy 410-887-3518
- Meadowood Education Center 443-809-6888
- Middle River 443-809-0165
- Northwest Academy of Health Sciences 443-809-0742
- Parkville 410-887-5250
- Perry Hall 443-809-5100
- Pikesville 410-887-1207
- Pine Grove 410-887-5270
- Ridgely 410-887-7650
- Southwest Academy 443-809-0825
- Sparrows Point 443-809-7524
- Stemmers Run 443-809-0177
- Sudbrook Magnet 443-809-6720
- Windsor Mill 443-809-0618
- Woodlawn 443-809-1304

### High Schools
- Catonsville 443-809-0808
- Catonsville Center for Alternative Studies* 443-809-0934
- Chesapeake 443-809-0100
- Dulaney 443-809-7633
- Dundalk 443-809-7023
Essex 410-887-0117
Featherbed Lane 410-887-1302
Fifth District 410-887-1726
Fort Garrison 410-887-1203
Franklin 410-887-1111
Fullerton 410-887-5234
Glenmar 410-887-0127
Glyndon 410-887-1130
Grange 410-887-7043
Gunpowder 410-887-5121
Halethorpe 410-887-1406
Halstead Academy 410-887-3210
Hampton 410-887-3205
Harford Hills 410-887-5236
Hawthorne 410-887-0138
Hebbville 410-887-0708
Hernwood 410-887-0732
Hillcrest 410-887-0820
Honeygo 443-809-8700
Jacksonville 410-887-7880
Johnnycake 410-887-0823
Joppa View 410-887-5065
Kingsville 410-887-5949
Lansdowne 443-809-1408
Logan 410-887-7052
Lutherville 410-887-7800
Lyons Mill 443-809-1719
Mars Estates 410-887-0154
Martin Boulevard 410-887-0158
Mays Chapel 443-809-4134
McCormick 410-887-0500
Middleborough 410-887-0160
Seventh District 410-887-1902
Shady Spring 410-887-0509
Sparks 410-887-7900
Stoneleigh 443-809-3600
Summit Park 410-887-1210
Sussex 410-887-0182
Timber Grove 410-887-1714
Timonium 410-887-7661
Victory Villa 443-809-0184
Villa Cresta 410-887-5275
Vincent Farm 410-887-2983
Warren 410-887-7665
Watershed 443-809-2107
Wellwood 410-887-1212
West Towson 410-887-3869
Westchester 410-887-1088
Westowne 443-809-0854
Winand 410-887-0763
Winfield 410-887-0766
Woodbridge 410-887-0857
Woodholme 410-887-6700
Woodmoor 410-887-1318
Eastern Technical 443-809-0190
Franklin 443-809-1119
George Washington Carver 443-809-2775
Hereford 443-809-1905
Kenwood 443-809-0153
Lansdowne 443-809-1415
Loch Raven 443-809-3525
Milford Mill Academy 443-809-0660
New Town 443-809-1614
Overlea 443-809-5241
Owings Mills 443-809-1700
Parkville 443-809-5257
Patapsco 443-809-7060
Perry Hall 443-809-5108
Pikesville 443-809-1217
Randallstown 443-809-0748
Rosedale Alternative* 443-809-0133
Sollers Point Technical 443-809-7075
Sparrows Point 443-809-7517
Towson 443-809-3608
Western School of Tech & Science 443-809-0840
Woodlawn 443-809-1309
Middle Schools
Arbutus 443-809-1402
Catonsville 443-809-0803
Cockeysville 410-887-7626
Crossroads Center* 443-809-2275
Deep Creek 443-809-0112
Deer Park Middle Magnet 443-809-0726
Dumbarton 410-887-3176
Dundalk 443-809-7018

Special Schools
Battle Monument 410-887-7000
Maiden Choice 410-887-1431
RICA Catonsville Education 410-368-7900
Ridge Ruxton 410-887-3594
White Oak 410-887-5378

*denotes alternative school students in middle and high school
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Events</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>August</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>28 (F)</td>
<td>Administrative &amp; Supervisory Personnel Meeting</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>31 (M)</td>
<td>Teachers &amp; School Based Staff on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>September</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 (T)</td>
<td>Teacher Classroom Preparation Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 (W)</td>
<td>Teacher Classroom Preparation Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 (Th)</td>
<td>Systemwide Professional Development Activities</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 (F)</td>
<td>Orientation for Students Entering Grades 6 &amp; 7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7 (M)</td>
<td>Labor Day – Schools &amp; Offices Closed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8 (Tu)</td>
<td>Opening Day for students; Kindergarten Gradual Entry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9 (W)</td>
<td>Kindergarten Gradual Entry</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10 (Th)</td>
<td>First Full Day of Kindergarten (Transportation Begins)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>28 (M)</td>
<td>Systemwide Professional Development Day – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty – Yom Kippur*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>October</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 (M)</td>
<td>Columbus Day*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16 (F)</td>
<td>Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty or at the Convention</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>November</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 (T)</td>
<td>Election Day – Schools &amp; Offices Closed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11 (W)</td>
<td>Veterans Day*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13 (F)</td>
<td>First Marking Period Ends - Elementary &amp; Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Grade Reporting &amp; Data Analysis** – High Schools in Session Full Day – Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16-20 (M-F)</td>
<td>American Education Week</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26-27 (Th-F)</td>
<td>Thanksgiving Holiday – Schools &amp; Offices Closed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30 (M)</td>
<td>Report Cards Distributed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>December</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 (T)</td>
<td>Preschool-3 &amp; Pre-K Conference Day. No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions – Elementary, Middle &amp; High Schools in Session Full Day - Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 (W)</td>
<td>Preschool-3 &amp; Pre-K Conference Day &amp; Elementary Conference Day. No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions &amp; Schools Closed for Elementary Students - Middle &amp; High Schools in Session Full Day – Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23 (W)</td>
<td>Christmas Holiday/Winter Break Begins at the End of the School Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>January</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 (M)</td>
<td>Schools Reopen</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18 (M)</td>
<td>Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Schools &amp; Offices Closed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29 (F)</td>
<td>Second Marking Period Ends – Schools Close 3 Hours Early for All Students – Grade Reporting &amp; Data Analysis ** – Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>February</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11 (Th)</td>
<td>Report Cards Distributed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 (F)</td>
<td>Lincoln’s Birthday*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>March</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15 (M)</td>
<td>Presidents’ Day: Washington’s Birthday* – Schools &amp; Offices Closed (Emergency Closure Make-up Day – if one or more emergency closures occur prior to February 15, pending Maryland State Board of Education approval, Presidents’ Day becomes a regular school day with all schools &amp; offices open)**</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>25 (Th)</td>
<td>Maryland Day*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26 (F)</td>
<td>Spring Break Begins at the End of the School Day</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>April</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 (M)</td>
<td>State Mandated Holiday – Schools &amp; Offices Closed (Emergency Closure Make-up Day – if two or more emergency closures occur prior to April 5, pending Maryland State Board of Education approval, Easter Monday becomes a regular school day with all schools &amp; offices open)**</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29 (Th)</td>
<td>Report Cards Distributed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30 (F)</td>
<td>Pre-K Conference Day – No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions – Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>May</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3(M)</td>
<td>Pre-K &amp; Kindergarten Conference Day – No Preschool-3, Pre-K or Kindergarten Sessions – Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13 (Th)</td>
<td>Systemwide Professional Development Day – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty – Eid-Al-Fitr*</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21 (F)</td>
<td>Last Day for Seniors</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24-30 (M-Su)</td>
<td>Commencement Exercises</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>31 (M)</td>
<td>Memorial Day – Schools &amp; Offices Closed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>June</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1-4 (T-F)</td>
<td>Commencement Exercises</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21 (M)</td>
<td>Assessment Day*** – Elementary, Middle, &amp; High Schools in Session Full Day – Last Day of Classes for Preschool-3 &amp; Pre-K#</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22 (T)</td>
<td>Assessment Day*** – Elementary &amp; Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Student – Grade Reporting &amp; Data Analysis** – High Schools in Session Full Day – Teachers on Duty</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23 (W)</td>
<td>Assessment Day*** – Last Day of Classes – Elementary &amp; Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Grade Reporting &amp; Data Analysis** – High Schools in Session Full Day – Teachers on Duty, Last Day for Teachers</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOTAL Pupil Days/Total Teacher Days:</td>
<td>184-185/193</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**School Days:**
- **Independence Day Observed – Schools & Offices Closed (Emergency Closure Make-up Day – if any one emergency closure occurs prior to February 15, pending Maryland State Board of Education approval, Independence Day becomes a regular school day with all schools & offices open)**
- **President’s Day: Washington's Birthday – Schools & Offices Closed (Emergency Closure Make-up Day – if one or more emergency closures occur prior to February 15, pending Maryland State Board of Education approval, President’s Day becomes a regular school day with all schools & offices open)**
- **March:**
  - **Maryland Day:**
  - **Spring Break Begins at the End of the School Day:**
- **April:**
  - **State Mandated Holiday – Schools & Offices Closed (Emergency Closure Make-up Day – if two or more emergency closures occur prior to April 5, pending Maryland State Board of Education approval, Easter Monday becomes a regular school day with all schools & offices open)**
  - **May:**
  - **Pre-K & Kindergarten Conference Day – No Preschool-3, Pre-K or Kindergarten Sessions – Teachers on Duty:**
  - **June:**
  - **Commencement Exercises:**
  - **Assessment Day*** – Elementary, Middle, & High Schools in Session Full Day – Last Day of Classes for Preschool-3 & Pre-K#**
  - **Assessment Day*** – Elementary & Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Student – Grade Reporting & Data Analysis** – High Schools in Session Full Day – Teachers on Duty, Last Day for Teachers

**2020-2021 School Calendar:**

- **August:**
  - **Schools Reopen**
  - **Pre-K Conference Day – No Preschool-3, Pre-K or Kindergarten Sessions – Teachers on Duty:**
  - **Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty or at the Convention:**
- **September:**
  - **Teacher Classroom Preparation Day:**
  - **Systemwide Professional Development Activities:**
  - **Orientation for Students Entering Grades 6 & 7:**
  - **Labor Day – Schools & Offices Closed:**
  - **Opening Day for students; Kindergarten Gradual Entry:**
  - **Kindergarten Gradual Entry:**
  - **First Full Day of Kindergarten (Transportation Begins):**
  - **Systemwide Professional Development Day – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty – Yom Kippur:**
- **October:**
  - **Columbus Day:**
  - **Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty or at the Convention:**
  - **Veterans Day:**
  - **First Marking Period Ends - Elementary & Middle Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Grade Reporting & Data Analysis** – High Schools in Session Full Day – Teachers on Duty
  - **American Education Week:**
  - **Thanksgiving Holiday – Schools & Offices Closed:**
  - **Report Cards Distributed:**
  - **5 (M) State Mandated Holiday – Schools & Offices Closed (Emergency Closure Make-up Day – if two or more emergency closures occur prior to April 5, pending Maryland State Board of Education approval, Easter Monday becomes a regular school day with all schools & offices open)**
  - **Schools Reopen**
  - **Thanksgiving Holiday – Schools & Offices Closed:**
  - **Report Cards Distributed**
  - **Pre-K Conference Day – No Preschool-3 or Pre-K sessions – Teachers on Duty:**
  - **Pre-K & Kindergarten Conference Day – No Preschool-3, Pre-K or Kindergarten Sessions – Teachers on Duty:**
  - **Systemwide Professional Development Day – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty – Eid-Al-Fitr:**
  - **Last Day for Seniors:**
  - **Commencement Exercises:**
  - **Memorial Day – Schools & Offices Closed:**
  - **Summer School Ends**
  - **Summer School Begins**

**Teacher duty days will not exceed 191.**

Please note that if more than five (5) emergency closure days occur and/or there are a significant number of delayed openings and/or early dismissals used, the school calendar also may be adjusted appropriately in order to meet the minimum required student days AND the required number of student hours.

These readjustments may include the re-designation of holidays as student days; the adjustment of Spring break; the cancellation of planned early releases; and the extension of the school year beyond June 23, 2021.