



2018–2019 Abridged Calendar

This is an abridged calendar for school vacation days.

August	15	Wed.	New Faculty Begin
	16	Thur.	Faculty Return
	16–24	Thur.–Fri.	Beginning of year in-service days (Aug. 16, 17, 20–24)
	22	Wed.	Fifth Grade Family Orientation
	22	Wed.	New MS/HS Family Orientation (Grades 6–12)
	23	Thurs.	Lower School Family Orientation Night
	27	Mon.	First Day of Classes (Pre-K & Kindergarten on special schedule Monday and Tuesday)
September	3	Mon.	SCHOOL CLOSED—Labor Day
October	19–22	Fri.–Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Mid-Fall Break (10/22 Faculty In-service)
November	1–2	Thur.–Fri.	NO SCHOOL—Parent/Faculty Conferences
	21–26	Wed.–Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Thanksgiving Break (11/26 Faculty In-service)
	27	Tues.	School Resumes
December	19–1	Wed.–Tue.	NO SCHOOL—Winter Break
January	2	Wed.	School Resumes
	11	Fri.	For Pre-K Only—NO SCHOOL
	21	Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Martin Luther King Day
February	15–18	Fri.–Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Mid-Winter Break (2/18—Faculty In-service)
	19	Tues.	School Resumes
March	21–22	Thur.–Fri.	NO SCHOOL—Parent/Faculty Conferences
	25–1	Mon.–Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Spring Break (4/1—Faculty In-service)
April	1	Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Faculty In-service* * A designated snow make-up day to be utilized as needed
	2	Tues.	School Resumes
	19–22	Fri.–Mon.	NO SCHOOL—Mid-Spring Break (4/22—Faculty In-service)
	23	Tues.	School Resumes
May	24	Fri.	High School Commencement
	27	Mon.	SCHOOL CLOSED—Memorial Day
June	7	Fri.	Last Day of School—12 p.m. Early Release
	10–12	Mon.–Wed.	Faculty Grading and Wrap Up

In the spirit of inclusion and community, MCDS has incorporated the following dates in our 2018–2019 Master Calendar. There will be no MCDS-initiated events on the evenings of:

August	21–22	Tue.–Wed.	Eid al-Adha—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
September	10	Mon.	Rosh Hashanah—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	12	Wed.	Muharram—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	18–19	Tue.–Wed.	Yom Kippur—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	24	Mon.	First day of Sukkott—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
October	1	Mon.	Shimini Atzeret—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	2	Tue.	Simchat Torah—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
November	1	Thur.	All Saints Day—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	6	Tue.	Diwali—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
March	4	Mon.	Maha Shivaratri—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	6	Wed.	Ash Wednesday—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
April	18	Thur.	Holy Thursday—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
May	6	Mon.	Beginning of Ramadan—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events
	30	Thur.	Ascension—No Evening MCDS-Initiated Events