



# MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## 2012-2013 SCHOOL CALENDAR

### ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY

July 2012				
M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

August 2012				
M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

September 2012				
M	T	W	T	F
8	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

October 2012				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

November 2012				
M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6*	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

December 2012				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

January 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

February 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
				1*
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	

March 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

April 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

May 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

June 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

FLORIDA COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT TEST® FCAT SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS (SSS) / FCAT 2.0 NEXT GENERATION SSS		
OCTOBER 8 – 19, 2012	GRADES 11–ADULT	FCAT MATHEMATICS/ 2.0 READING/ RETAKES
DECEMBER 4 – 5, 2012	GRADES 4, 8, AND 10	FCAT 2.0 WRITING PROMPT FIELD TEST
FEBRUARY 26 – 28, 2013	GRADES 4, 8, AND 10	FCAT 2.0 WRITING
APRIL 8 – 19, 2013	GRADES 11–ADULT	FCAT MATHEMATICS /2.0 READING/ RETAKES
APRIL 15 – 26, 2013	GRADES 3–10	FCAT 2.0 READING
APRIL 15 – 26, 2013	GRADES 3–8	FCAT 2.0 MATHEMATICS
APRIL 15 – 26, 2013	GRADES 5 AND 8	FCAT 2.0 SCIENCE

	New Teachers Report	
	Teacher Planning Day	
	Teacher Planning Day No Opt	Days in Grading Period
	Legal Holiday	1-46
	Recess Day	2-45
	Beg/End of Grading Period	3-41
	Secondary Early Release	4-48
	End of Grading Period/Secondary Early Release Day	

For information on employee opt days, please refer to back of calendar.

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August 16, 17, 2012	Teacher planning days; no students in school
August 20	First Day of School; begin first semester
September 3	Labor Day; holiday for students and employees
September 17*+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
September 26*+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
October 25	Secondary early release day and end of first grading period; first semester
October 26*+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
October 29	Begin second grading period; first semester
November 6	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day-not available to opt; no students in school
November 12	Observation of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees
November 22	Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees
November 23	Recess Day
December 13	Secondary early release day
December 24- January 4, 2013	Winter recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police Employees;
January 17	Secondary early release day and end first semester and second grading period
January 18 *+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
January 21	Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees
January 22	Begin second semester; third grading period
February 1	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day-not available to opt; no students in school
February 14	Secondary early release day
February 18	All Presidents Day; holiday for students and employees
March 21	End third grading period; second semester
March 22 *+##	Teacher planning day, no students in school
March 25 - 29	Spring recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police Employees
April 1	Begin fourth grading period; second semester
May 2	Secondary early release day
May 27	Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees
June 6	Last Day of School; end fourth grading period; second semester
June 7	Teacher planning day; no students in school

NOTE: Every Wednesday – Students (Grades 2-8) in elementary and K-8 Centers are released one (1) hour early

<b>Job Category</b>	<b>Beginning Date</b>	<b>Ending Date</b>
Teachers new to the system	August 9, 2012	June 7, 2013
Assistant Principals and 10-month clerical	August 9, 2012	June 14, 2013
Cafeteria Managers	August 13, 2012	June 7, 2013
Satellite Cafeteria Managers	August 15, 2012	June 6, 2013
All Instructional Staff, Paraprofessionals & Security	August 16, 2012	June 7, 2013
Assistant to Cafeteria Managers/MAT Specialists	August 17, 2012	June 6, 2013
Cafeteria Workers (part-time)	August 20, 2012	June 6, 2013

**\*Teachers/paraprofessionals and school support personnel** may opt to work one or two days, August 14, 15, 2012, or June 10, 11, 2013, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 17, 2012, September 26, 2012, October 26, 2012, January 18, 2013, and March 22, 2013. November 6, 2012, and February 1, 2013, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

**+Teachers new to Miami-Dade County Public Schools** may opt to work one or two days, June 10, 11, 2013, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 17, 2012, September 26, 2012, October 26, 2012, January 18, 2013, and March 22, 2013. November 6, 2012, and February 1, 2013, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

**#Ten-month secretarial and clerical employees** may opt to work one or two days, August 7, 8, 2012, or June 17, 18, 2013, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 17, 2012, September 26, 2012, October 26, 2012, January 18, 2013, and March 22, 2013. November 6, 2012, and February 1, 2013, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.