



# MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## 2011-2012 SCHOOL CALENDAR

### ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY

July 2011				
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

August 2011				
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		

September 2011				
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

October 2011				
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				

November 2011				
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		

December 2011				
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

January 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			

February 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		

March 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

April 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				

May 2012				
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	

June 2012				
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

FLORIDA COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT TEST® FCAT SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS (SSS) / FCAT 2.0 NEXT GENERATION SSS		
OCTOBER 10-14, 2011 OR OCTOBER 17-21, 2011	GRADES 11-ADULT* (NEW STUDENTS/RETAKE)	FCAT READING & MATHEMATICS FCAT 2.0 READING RETAKE TESTS
DECEMBER 6-7, 2011	GRADES 4, 8, AND 10	FCAT WRITING PROMPT FIELD TEST
FEBRUARY 28- MARCH 1, 2012	GRADES 4, 8, AND 10	FCAT WRITING
APRIL 16-27, 2012	GRADES 3-10	FCAT 2.0 READING
APRIL 16-27, 2012	GRADES 3-8	FCAT 2.0 MATHEMATICS
APRIL 16-27, 2012	GRADES 5 AND 8	FCAT 2.0 SCIENCE
APRIL 16-27, 2012	GRADES 11-ADULT* (NEW STUDENTS/RETAKE)	FCAT READING & MATHEMATICS FCAT 2.0 READING RETAKE TESTS

	New Teachers Report	
	Teacher Planning Day	Days in Grading Period
	Teacher Planning Day No Opt	
	Legal Holiday	
	Recess Day	2-45
	Beg/End of Grading Period	3-41
	Secondary Early Release	4-47
	End of Grading Period/Secondary Early Release Day	

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August 18, 19	Teacher planning days; no students in school
August 22	First Day of School; begin first semester
September 5	Labor Day; holiday for students and employees
September 22	Secondary early release day
September 29*+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
October 27	Secondary early release day and end of first grading period; first semester
October 28	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day-not available to opt; no students in school
October 31	Begin second grading period; first semester
November 11	Observation of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees
November 24	Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees
November 25	Recess Day
December 8	Secondary early release day
December 19*+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
December 20- January 2, 2012	Winter recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police employees;
January 16	Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees
January 20	End first semester and grading period
January 23 *+##	Teacher planning day; no students in school
January 24	Begin second semester; third grading period
February 2	Secondary early release day
February 3	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day-not available to opt; no students in school
February 20	All Presidents Day; holiday for students and employees
March 12 - 16	Spring recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police employees
March 29	End third grading period; second semester
March 30 *+##	Teacher planning day, no students in school
April 2	Begin fourth grading period; second semester
April 6 *+##	Teacher planning day, no students in school
May 3	Secondary early release day
May 28	Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees
June 7	Last Day of School; end fourth grading period; second semester
June 8	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 11, 2011	June 8, 2012
Assistant Principals and 10-month clerical	August 11, 2011	June 15, 2012
Cafeteria Managers	August 15, 2011	June 8, 2012
Satellite Cafeteria Managers	August 17, 2011	June 7, 2012
All Instructional Staff, Paraprofessionals & Security	August 18, 2011	June 8, 2012
Assistant to Cafeteria Managers/MAT Specialists	August 19, 2011	June 7, 2012
Cafeteria Workers (part-time)	August 22, 2011	June 8, 2012

**\*Teachers/paraprofessionals and school support personnel** may opt to work one or two days, August 16, 17, 2011, or June 11, 12, 2012, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 29, 2011, December 19, 2011, January 23, 2012, March 30, 2012, and April 6, 2012. October 28, 2011, and February 3, 2012, 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 11, 12, 2012, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 29, 2011, December 19, 2011, January 23, 2012, March 30, 2012, and April 6, 2012. October 28, 2011, and February 3, 2012, 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 9, 10, 2011, or June 18, 19, 2012, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 29, 2011, December 19, 2011, January 23, 2012, March 30, 2012, and April 6, 2012. October 28, 2011, and February 3, 2012, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.