For information on employee opt days, please refer to back of calendar.
August 18, 2021 Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school
August 19 Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day - not available to opt; no students in school
August 20 Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school
August 23 First Day of School; begin first semester
September 6 Labor Day; holiday for students and employees
September 7 *+# Teacher planning day; no students in school
September 16**+# Teacher planning day; no students in school
October 28 End first grading period; first semester
October 29 Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day - not available to opt; no students in school
November 1 Begin second grading period; first semester
November 11 Observation of Veterans’ Day; holiday for students and employees
November 24**+# Teacher planning day; no students in school
November 25 Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees
November 26 Recess Day
December 20-25 Winter recess for students and employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police
December 31 and select 12 month employees
January 17, 2022 Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.’s Birthday; holiday for students and employees
January 20 End first semester and second grading period
January 21**+ Teacher planning day; no students in school
June 9 Last Day of School; end fourth grading period; second semester
June 16, 2022
November 5 First Day of School; begins first semester
November 9, 2021

NOTE: Every Wednesday students in elementary schools (Grades 2-5) and K-8 Centers (Grades 2-8) are released one (1) hour early

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+Teachers new to Miami-Dade County Public Schools may opt to work one or two days, June 10, 13, 2022, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 7, 2021, September 16, 2021, November 24, 2021, January 21, 2022 and April 15, 2022. August 19, 2021 and October 29, 2021 are District-wide 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, 2021, or June 17, 20, 2022, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 7, 2021, September 16, 2021, November 24, 2021, January 21, 2022 and April 15, 2022. August 19, 2021 and October 29, 2021 are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.