

DEDHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2019-2020 CALENDAR

■ Professional Development Day- No School for Students
■ First/Last Day of School

■ Early Release Day- Half Day of School for Students
 Holiday/Vacation Day- No School

2 Labor Day
3 Professional Development Day
4 Professional Development Day
5 First Day of School for Grades 1-12
5 ECEC Orientation PK-K
6 First Day of School for PK-K
30 Rosh Hashanah - School in Session

SEPTEMBER 2019						
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FEBRUARY 2020						
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17 Presidents' Day – No School
18-21 February Vacation – No School

1 Rosh Hashanah - School in Session
9 Yom Kippur – School in Session
10 Child Find Screening ECEC 9-11:30am
11 Early Release Day for Professional Development
14 Columbus Day- No School

OCTOBER 2019						
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MARCH 2020						
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3 Professional Development Day – No School
5 Child Find Screening ECEC 12:30-3:00pm

1 Preschool Applications for 2020-21 School Year Accepted
5 Early Release Day for Professional Development
11 Veterans Day- No School
27 Early Release Day
28-29 Thanksgiving Recess – No School

NOVEMBER 2019						
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APRIL 2020						
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1 Early Release Day for Professional Development
10 Good Friday – No School
16 Child Find Screening ECEC 9-11:30am
20 Patriots' Day – No School
21-24 April Vacation – No School

6 Preschool Lottery for Tuition Seats 2020-21 School Year
11 Child Find Screening ECEC 12:30-3:00pm
12 Early Release Day for Professional Development
20 Early Release Day
23-31 Winter Vacation – No School

DECEMBER 2019						
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MAY 2020						
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4-7 Kindergarten Screening for 2020-21 School Year (K Classes in Session)
25 Memorial Day – No School

1 New Year's Day - No School
2 Kindergarten Registration Opens for 2020-21 School Year
9 Child Find Screening ECEC 9-11:30am
17 Early Release Day for Professional Development
20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No School

JANUARY 2020						
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JUNE 2020						
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9-11 Preschool Screening for 2020-21 School Year (PK Classes in Session)
18 180th Day of School
25 185th Day of School

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Michael J. Welch
Superintendent

Ian P. Kelly, Ed.D.
Assistant Superintendent
for Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment

Samuel A. Rippin
Assistant Superintendent
for Business & Finance

Elizabeth O'Connell
Director of Special Education

Directory

Administration Office.....781-310-1000

School & Principal Information

High School (Grades 9-12)

James Forrest, Principal.....781-310-1100
Alternative Team.....781-310-1621
Athletic Director.....781-310-1122
Attendance Line.....781-310-1180
Food Service.....781-310-1154
Guidance.....781-310-1125
Nurse.....781-310-1116

Middle School (Grades 6-8)

Karen Hillman, Principal.....781-310-7000
Attendance Line.....781-310-7799
Guidance.....781-310-7017
Nurse.....781-310-7008

Avery Elementary School (Grades 1-5)

Clare Sullivan, Ed.D., Principal.....781-310-5000
Attendance Line.....781-310-5799
Nurse.....781-310-5504

Greenlodge Elementary School (Grades 1-5)

Ashley Bodkins, Principal781-310-4000
Attendance Line.....781-310-4799
Nurse.....781-310-4248

Oakdale Elementary School (Grades 1-5)

Kimberly Hermes, Principal.781-310-6000
Attendance Line.....781-310-6799
Nurse.....781-310-6252

Riverdale Elementary School (Grades 1-5)

Edward Paris, Principal.....781-310-2000
Attendance Line.....781-310-2799
Nurse.....781-310-2245

Curran Early Childhood Education Center (PK & K)

Kimberly Taylor, Principal.....781-310-8000
Attendance Line.....781-310-8799
Nurse.....781-310-8010

Dedham School Committee

Kevin Coughlin, Chair
Lisa Laprade, Vice Chair
Stephen Bilafer
Mayanne Briggs
Joshua Donati
Dr. Melissa Pearrow
Tracey White

School Hours

High School7:30am-2:10pm
Middle School.....8:05am-2:35pm
Elementary Schools.....8:45am-3:00pm
Kindergarten.....8:50am-3:00pm
Preschool
Morning Session.....8:45am-11:15am
Afternoon Session.....12:30pm-3:00pm
Full Day Session.....8:45am-3:00pm

Early Release Day Dismissal Schedule

High School.....11:10am
Middle School.....11:35am
Elementary Schools.....12:00pm
Early Childhood Education Center
Full Day Sessions.....12:00pm
AM Sessions- Regular Dismissal Schedule
No Afternoon Preschool

No School/Delayed Opening Announcements

The primary source for information for "No School" or "Delayed Opening" announcements is through the Blackboard Connect telephone notification service. Announcements will also be listed on the following stations: WBZ, WCVB, WRKO, WLVI, WBUR, WFXT. A notice will also be posted to the district website.