



Boston Public Schools CALENDAR 2011-2012

- August 23-25 New Teacher Institute:
First-year teachers report
- September 5 Labor Day: No school
- September 6-7 All teachers and paras report
- ▲ September 8 Students in grades 1-12 report,
including grade 1 in ELCs and EECs:
Full day of school
- ◆ September 12 Kindergarten students report,
including EECs and ELCs
- ◆ September 12 Students in Special Education
Early Childhood programs report
- October 10 Columbus Day: No school
- November 11 Veterans' Day: No school

- November 23 Early release for students and staff
- November 24-25 Thanksgiving Recess: No school
- December 23-30 Winter Recess: No school
- January 2 New Year's Day (observed): No school
- January 3 All teachers and paras report
- January 4 Students return from recess
- January 16 M. L. King Jr. Day: No school
- February 20 Presidents' Day: No school
- February 21-24 February Recess: No school
- February 27 Students return from recess
- April 6 Good Friday: No school
- April 16 Patriots' Day: No school
- April 17-20 Spring Recess: No school
- April 23 Students return from recess
- May 28 Memorial Day (observed): No school
- * June 6 Last day for seniors
- June 18 Bunker Hill Day observed: No school
- June 20 (or day 179) Early release for students
- ▼ June 21 (or day 180) Last day of school:
Early release for students

- June 21 is the 180th school day, if no days are lost due to cancellations.
- June 28 is the 185th day required for calendar purposes.
- No graduation program should be scheduled before June 5, 2012.

- ▶ All BPS offices and Family Resource Centers closed.
- * School cancelled due to inclement weather.

Major Religious & Cultural Holidays

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| Aug. 1* Ramadan begins | Jan. 23 Chinese New Year |
| Aug. 30* Eid al-Fitr | April 6 Good Friday |
| Sept. 29-30 Rosh Hashanah | April 7 Passover begins |
| Oct. 8 Yom Kippur | April 8 Easter |
| Oct. 26 Diwali begins | April 13 ... Orthodox Holy Friday |
| Nov. 6* Eid al-Adha | April 15 Orthodox Easter |
| Nov. 24 Thanksgiving | May 13 Mother's Day |
| Dec. 21-28 Hanukkah | June 17 Father's Day |
| Dec. 25 Christmas Day | Observance of Jewish and
Islamic holidays begins at
sundown of the preceding day. |
| Dec. 26-Jan. 1 Kwanzaa | |
| Jan. 1 New Year's Day | |
| Jan. 6 Three Kings Day | |

* Estimated

SEPTEMBER 2011

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AUGUST 2012

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▶ Extenuating circumstances and/or inclement weather may necessitate changes to the calendar during the year. Visit www.bostonpublicschools.org for current information.

Boston Public Schools Report Card Schedule 2011–2012 School Year

Kindergarten–Grade 5 [▲] Three Marking Periods

	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3
Progress Reports	Week of October 17	Week of January 30	Week of May 7 ★
Marks Close	December 2	March 16	June 21 ★
Distribute Report Cards	Week of December 12	Week of March 26	Week of June 18 ★

▲ Includes kindergarten–grade 5 in K–8 schools. Includes K–grade 8 at King and Boston Teachers Union schools.

Grades 6–12 [▸] Four Marking Periods

	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4 Grades 6–11	Period 4 Grade 12
Warning Notices	October 11	December 15	March 8	May 21 ★	
Marks Close	November 10	January 27	April 13	June 21 ★	June 6 ★
Grade Reports Ready	November 21	February 7	April 30	Mail	Mail

▸ Includes grades 6–8 in K–8 schools except King and Boston Teachers Union schools.
Does not apply to the exam schools, Boston Arts Academy and New Mission High School.

Grades 7–12 — Exam Schools Five Marking Periods

	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5 Grades 7–11	Period 5 Grade 12
Warning Notices	October 3	November 30	January 30	March 27	May 23 ★	
Marks Close	October 28	December 22	March 2	April 27	June 21 ★	June 6 ★
Grade Reports Ready	November 7	January 9	March 12	May 7	Mail	Mail

★ The last marking period will be adjusted in Spring 2012 after the last day of school is established.