

**SCHOOL CALENDAR**

**2016-2017**

August 22 & August 23, 2016 NEW Staff Orientation  
 August 24 & August 25, 2016- STAFF INSERVICE  
 August 29, 2016 - First Day - Schools Open  
 September 6, 2016- First Day - Kindergarten/PreSchool Open

*HOLIDAYS AND VACATIONS:*

NO SCHOOL – Friday, September 2, 2016	August	3 Days
<b>Labor Day</b> – September 5, 2016		
<i>Early Release Day - Tuesday, September 13, 2016</i>	September	20 Days
<i>Early Release Day – Tuesday, October 18, 2016</i>	October	20 Days
<b>Columbus Day</b> - October 10, 2016		
STAFF INSERVICE – Tuesday, November 8, 2016 (All Cape In-service)		
<b>Veterans Day</b> - November 11, 2016		
<b>Thanksgiving Recess</b> - Schools Close November 23, 2016 Half-day Schools Open November 28, 2016	November	18 Days
<i>Early Release Day - Tuesday, December 6, 2016</i>		
<b>Christmas Vacation</b> - Schools Close December 22, 2016 at the end of the school day	December	<u>16 Days</u> 77 Days



<b>New Year’s Day</b> – January 1, 2017 <b>Holiday</b> Monday, January 2, 2017 Schools Open Tuesday, January 3, 2017	January	20 Days
<b>Martin Luther King's Birthday</b> - January 16, 2017 <i>Early Release Day - Tuesday, February 14, 2017</i>		
<b>February Vacation</b> -Schools Close February 17, 2017 at the end of the school day Schools Open February 27, 2017	February	15 Days
<i>Early Release Day – Tuesday, April 4, 2017</i>	March	23 Days
<b>Good Friday</b> – April 14, 2017		
<b>April Vacation</b> -Schools Close April 13, 2017 at the end of the school day Schools Open April 24, 2017	April	14 Days
<i>Early Release Day – Tuesday, May 2, 2017</i>		
<b>Memorial Day</b> - May 29, 2017	May	22 Days
<u>Graduation Day</u> - June 9, 2017 (rain date June 10, 2017) Schools Close June 20, 2017; half day for all schools *5 snow days included, deduct for each day not used	June	<u>14 Days</u> * 185 Days

MCAS Retests High School: ELA November 2-4, 2016; Math November 9 & 10, 2016  
 MCAS Test High School Biology February 6 & 7, 2017  
 MCAS Retests ELA and Mathematics March 1-8, 2017  
 MCAS Test ELA Grade 10 March 21-April 3, 2017  
 MCAS Test Elementary & Middle Schools Gr.3-8 April 3-May 26, 2017  
 MCAS Test Math Grade 10 May 16 & 17, 2017  
 MCAS Tests Science & Technology High School June 5 & 6, 2017  
**State Primary September 8, 2016; Presidential Election November 8, 2016; Town Election April 4, 2017**  
**Vacations may be cancelled or shortened if multiple school days have to be made up.**

**Approved by School Committee: March 9, 2016; Amended May 25, 2016**