



BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Towson, Maryland 21204

2026-2027 School Year Calendar
Pre-Labor Day Start

August 2026							Student Days		Staff Days
Su	M	T	W	Th	F	S			
						1	21 (F)	Administrative and Supervisory Personnel Meeting	
							24 (M)	Teachers and School Based Staff on Duty	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	25 (T)	Systemwide Professional Development Activities	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	26 (W)	Teacher Classroom Preparation Day	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	27 (Th)	Orientation for Students Entering Grades 6 and 9	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	28 (F)	Teacher Classroom Preparation Day	
30	31						31 (M)	Opening Day for Students	
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September 2026							Student Days		Staff Days
Su	M	T	W	Th	F	S			
		1	2	3	4	5	2 (W)	First Full Day of Kindergarten (Transportation Begins)	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	7 (M)	Labor Day – Schools and Offices Closed	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	21 (M)	Systemwide Professional Development Day – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty – Yom Kippur	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	20/21		21/27
27	28	29	30						

October 2026							Student Days		Staff Days
Su	M	T	W	Th	F	S			
				1	2	3	12 (M)	Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples' Day*	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	16 (F)	Systemwide Professional Development Day/MSEA Convention – Schools Closed for Students – Teachers on Duty or at the Convention	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	30 (F)	First Marking Period Ends – All Schools Close 3 Hours Early for Students – Grade Reporting and Data Analysis** – Teachers on Duty	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	21/42		22/49
25	26	27	28	29	30	31			