

IMPORTANT DATES

2024 / 2025 SCHOOL YEAR

AUGUST

August 26	6th Grade Walk Through/ Locker Set Up A - K (1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.)
August 27	6th Grade Walk Through/ Locker Set Up L - Z (1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.)

SEPTEMBER

September 2	Labor Day
September 3	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
September 10	BOE Meeting
September 12	Middle School Back-to-School Night @ 5:45pm - 8pm
September 13	Middle School Picture Day (<i>Retakes & Teams/Clubs – Dec. 13th</i>)
September 17	BOE Meeting
September 24	BOE Meeting

OCTOBER

October 2	Mid-Point of 1st Quarter - Progress Reports
October 3 - 4	SCHOOL CLOSED - Rosh Hashanah
October 7	MS Blue Shirt Day – World Day of Bullying Prevention
October 8	BOE Meeting - Business Meeting @ 7:00 p.m., MS/HS Library
October 14	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Columbus / Indigenous Peoples' Day
October 16	Early Dismissal Prior to Lunch (11:00 a.m.)
October 18	MS Activity Night
October 22	BOE Meeting
October 31	Middle School Halloween Extravaganza

NOVEMBER

November 3	Daylight Savings Time Ends – Clocks back one hour
November 5	Schools Closed for Students - Superintendent's Conference Day K – 12 Parent / Teacher Conferences (MS Conferences are virtual) MS Parent / Teacher Conferences @ 4:30-8:30 p.m. (virtual)
November 6	1st Quarter Ends
November 8	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Veterans' Day
November 11	BOE Meeting
November 12	MS Musical @ 7:00 p.m., Auditorium
November 15	MS Musical @ 1:00 p.m. (Matinee) & 7:00 p.m., Auditorium
November 16	Middle School Principal's Chat @ 6 p.m., MS/HS Library
November 21	Emergency Evacuation Drill (11:00 a.m. Early Dismissal)
November 27	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Thanksgiving Recess
November 28 - 29	BOE Meeting
November 26	

DECEMBER

December 10	BOE Meeting
December 12	Middle School Winter Concert @ 6:00 p.m., Auditorium
December 13	Middle School Picture Day- Retakes & Teams/Clubs Mid-Point of 2nd Quarter - Progress Reports Early Dismissal @ 11:00 a.m.
December 20	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Holiday Recess
Dec. 23 – Jan. 3	

JANUARY

January 6	Schools Open
January 7	BOE Meeting
January 15	Early Dismissal @ 11:00 a.m.
January 17	Middle School Talent Show @ 6:00 p.m., Auditorium (Rescheduled)
January 20	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
January 21	BOE Meeting
January 24	Middle School Talent Show @ 6:00 p.m., Auditorium
January 29	SCHOOL CLOSED - Lunar New Year
January 31	2nd Quarter Ends MS Activity Night - Family Skate Night (Rescheduled)

FEBRUARY

February 4	BOE Meeting
February 12	District Band Workshop
February 17 - 21	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Winter Recess
February 24	Schools Open
February 25	BOE Meeting
February 26	8th Grade Field Trips Informational Meeting for Parents (virtual)
February 27	District Orchestra Concert @ 7:00 p.m., Auditorium

MARCH

March 5	MS/HS Jazz Night @ 6:00 p.m., Auditorium
March 7	Mid-Point of Quarter 3 - Progress Reports
March 9	Daylight Savings Time Begins - Clocks ahead one hour
March 11	BOE Meeting
March 13	MS Language Acquisition Honor Society Induction Ceremony @ 9 a.m., AUD
March 21	DFMS Family Skate Night
March 25	BOE Meeting
March 31	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Eid al -Fitr (Superintendent Conference Day)

APRIL

April 8	BOE Meeting
April 9 - 10	New York State ELA Exams
April 10	Rising 6 th Grade Parent Principals Chat @ 6:00 p.m., MS/HS Library
April 11	3rd Quarter Ends
	New York State ELA Make-up Exams
April 14 - 21	SCHOOLS CLOSED - April Recess
April 22	BOE Meeting
	New York State ELA Make-up Exams
April 23	District Chorus Festival @ 4:45 p.m., Auditorium
	New York State ELA Make-up Exams
April 25	DFMS Kids Skate Night

MAY

May 6	BOE Meeting
May 8 - 9	New York State Math Exams
May 9	MS Activity Night - Skate Night (Students only)
May 11	Mother's Day
May 12	BOE Voter Registration @ 3:30 - 7:30 p.m., HS Gymnasium Foyer
May 12 - 13	New York State Math Make-Up Exams
May 14	New York State Science Exam
May 15	Rising 6 th Grade Parent Middle School Orientation @ 6:00 p.m., Commons New York State Science Make-up Exam
May 16	DFMS Family Movie Night @ 7:00 p.m., Turf Field
May 20	Middle School Spring Concert @ 6:00 p.m., Auditorium Budget Vote / School Board Election @ 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m., HS Gym
May 20-22	Middle School Scholastic Book Fair
May 21	BOE Meeting - <i>Cert. of Trustee and Budget Vote Results</i> @ 9:00 am, Board Rm.
May 23	Mid-Point of Quarter 4 - Progress Reports
May 26	SCHOOLS CLOSED – Memorial Day

JUNE

June 3	BOE Meeting
June 5	Middle School 8th Grade Theatre Arts Production @ 6:00 p.m., Auditorium
June 10	National Junior Honor Society Induction Ceremony @ 9:00 a.m., Auditorium
June 12	Student of the Month Ceremony, 9:00 a.m., Commons (rescheduled for Jun.16)
June 12-13	8th Grade Overnight Field Trip - Club Getaway
June 15	Father's Day
June 16	Student of the Month Ceremony, 9:00 a.m., Auditorium
June 17	5th Grade Visit / 6th Grade half day- early dismissal BOE Meeting
June 18	End-Of-Year Testing (11:30 a.m. early dismissal) Algebra 1 Regents (<i>Library</i>)
June 19	SCHOOLS CLOSED - Juneteenth
June 20	End-Of-Year Testing (11:30 a.m. early dismissal) Earth Science Regents (<i>Library</i>)
June 23	End-Of-Year Testing (11:30 a.m. early dismissal) Check Point A
June 24	Field Day – Early Dismissal @ 11:30 a.m. Afternoon End-Of-Year make-up testing
June 25	8th Grade Stepping-Up Ceremony @ 9:00 a.m. Early Dismissal @ 11 a.m.
June 26	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS - Early Dismissal @ 11:00 a.m. 4th Quarter Ends