

2008 – 2009 Douglas County School System Calendar – Expanded Version

July 4	240 day employee holiday
July 21	205, 210, and 215 day employees report
July 25 and 28	New teacher orientation
July 30, 31, & August 1	Preplanning
July 31	Open House 4:00-6:00 p.m. – Elementary Schools 5:00-7:00 p.m. – Middle Schools 6:00-8:00 p.m. – High Schools
August 4	First student day
September 1	Holiday for students and all employees
September 8	Progress reports issued
September 10	High school ½ day early release
September 11	Middle school ½ day early release
September 12	Elementary school ½ day early release
October 6	Grading period ends
October 13	Holiday - 240 day employees work
October 14	Student holiday/Teacher work day
October 15	Report cards issued
November 3	Student holiday/Professional learning day
November 4	Holiday (Election Day) 240 day employees work
November 17	Progress reports issued
November 24 - 25	*Holidays (Make up days if necessary) 240 day employees work
November 26 - 28	Holidays for students and all employees
December 18, 19	High school ½ day early release following testing
December 19	End first semester (90 day semester)
December 22 – January 1	Holidays for 240 day employees
December 22 – January 2	Holidays for students and all other employees
January 5	Student holiday/Teacher work day
January 6	Student holiday/Professional learning day
January 7	Students return
January 7	Report cards issued
January 19	Holiday for students and all employees
February 11	Progress reports issued
February 16 – 20	*Holidays (Make up days if necessary) 240 day employees work
March 4	High school ½ day early release
March 5	Middle school ½ day early release
March 6	Elementary school ½ day early release
March 18	Grading period ends
March 25	Report cards issued
April 3	*Student holiday/Professional learning day
April 6 – 10	Holidays for students and all employees
April 29	Progress reports issued
May 25	Holiday for students and all employees
May 28, 29	High school ½ day early release following testing
May 29	Last student day (90 day semester)
June 1, 2	Post planning
June 12	205 last day
June 19	210 last day
June 26	215 last day

*Indicates days that may be used as make up day(s) if necessary.

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