SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CLAYTON | 2021-2022 PROTECTED TIME CALENDAR

The following is an explanation of the dates the District has designated as Protected Time for teachers, which is time when curriculum, building and District-level meetings should not be scheduled. Please see the calendar on the following page and feel free to contact the Office of Communications with any questions.

First Weeks of School – Meetings or events that will require a classroom teacher's absence during the hours that school is normally in session should not be scheduled by the District or buildings before Labor Day. *Meetings may be scheduled on these days BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL HOURS.*

Early Release Days – These days are set aside for professional business (grading, conference prep, etc.) or professional learning.

- Time for professional learning will be scheduled during early release time on professional learning days.
 - o Aug. 27, Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Feb. 4, March 18, May 20 and June 2

Teacher Work Days – Protected time applies on these days before school, after school and in the evenings for all teaching staff, except where noted.

• Oct. 15, Jan 4, March 11 and June 3 (June 3 is also a teacher work day but, as the last day of the school year for teachers, closing faculty meetings may be scheduled on that day.)

PK-12 Conference Week (10/18 - 10/22) – Protected time during this week applies before school, after school and in the evenings for all teaching staff.

CHS Exam Week/First Semester Ends (12/20 - 12/22) – Protected time during this week applies before school, after school and in the evenings for all teaching staff.

PK-12 Conference Week (3/14 - 3/18) – Protected time during this week applies before school, after school and in the evenings for all teaching staff.

Last Three Student Attendance Days/CHS Exams (5/31 - 6/2) – Protected time for these three days applies before school, after school and in the evenings for all teaching staff.

Fourth Monday of Every Month (CTA/CNEA Meetings) Protected time for these days applies after school only.

Religious Holidays – Observing certain religious holidays sometimes necessitates absence from school. Protected time for religious holidays applies before school, during school, after school and in the evenings on all holidays and, additionally, on the evening before for all Jewish holidays. Holidays that impact the school week include:

- Rosh Hashanah Sept. 6 through Sept. 7 (begins at sunset on Sept. 6)
- Yom Kippur Sept. 16 (begins at sunset on Sept. 15)
- Ash Wednesday March 2
- Passover April 16 (begins at sunset on April 15)
- Good Friday April 15



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2021-2022 Protected Time Calendar

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Semester Begins
No School for Students • Teacher Work Day • Professional Learning
No School for Students or Teachers
Early Release Day • Teacher Work Day • Professional Learning PK-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences
No School for Students • Teacher Conf. Comp Day

192	Teacher	Contract	Days
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175 Student Attendance Days

Important Dates

Aug. 23	First Day of School
Oct. 19-22	Parent-Teacher Conferences
Oct. 22	End of First Quarter
Nov. 24-26	Thanksgiving Break
Dec. 22	End of First Semester
Dec. 23-31	Winter Break
Jan. 1-4	Winter Break
Jan. 5	Classes Resume
March 15-18	Parent-Teacher Conferences
March 18	End of Third Quarter
March 21-25	Spring Break
Jun. 2	Last Day of School