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W. M. Bass Elementary School 2017-2018 Academic Calendar



Jul. 4:	Independence Day Holiday (12-month admin. & classified staff)	
Jul. 10–12:	New Teacher Orientation (students do not attend)	
Jul. 13-14:	Teacher Planning can be Flex Days (students do not attend)	
Jul. 17–21:	Teacher Work Days (students do not attend)	
Jul. 18:	Registration	
Jul. 24:	First Day of School	
Aug. 7:	Planning/Professional Development Day (students do not attend)	
Sep. 1:	Early Dismissal for Students (teachers work full day)	
Sep. 4:	Labor Day (teachers & students do not attend)	
Sep. 5-8:	Intersession	
Sep. 29:	End of 1st Quarter (early dismissal for students)	
Oct. 6:	Planning/Professional Development Day (students do not attend)	
Oct. 9–13:	Intersession	
Nov. 7:	Planning/Professional Development Day (students do not attend)	
Nov. 22-24:	Thanksgiving Holiday (teachers & students do not attend)	
Dec. 15:	End of 2nd Quarter (early dismissal for students)	
Dec. 18–Jan. 1:	Winter Break (teachers & students do not attend)	
Jan. 15:	Martin Luther King Jr. Day (teachers & students do not attend)	
Feb. 12–16:	Intersession	
Feb. 23:	Early Dismissal for Students (teachers work full day)	
Mar. 16:	End of 3rd Quarter (early dismissal for students)	
Apr. 2–6:	Spring Break (teachers & students do not attend)	
Apr. 9-13:	Intersession	
May 28:	Memorial Day (teachers & students do not attend)	
May 31:	Last Day of School, End of 4th Quarter (early dismissal for students)	
Jun. 1:	Teacher Work Day (students do not attend)	

Student Daily Schedule	Teacher Daily Schedule	
Elementary 8:40 a.m.–3:35 p.m.	Elementary 8:15 a.m.–3:45 p.m.	

Key:







Religious/Cultural Observances

Eid al-Adha: sundown Aug. 31–sundown Sep. 1, 2017

Rosh Hashanah: sundown Sep. 20–sundown Sep. 22, 2017*

Yom Kippur: sundown Sep. 29–sundown Sep. 30, 2017*

Diwali: Oct. 19, 2017

Hanukkah: sundown Dec. 12-sundown Dec. 20, 2017

Christmas: Dec. 25, 2017

Kwanzaa: Dec. 26, 2017-Jan. 1, 2018

Maha Shivratri: Feb. 13, 2018

Ash Wednesday: Feb. 14, 2018

Chinese New Year: Feb. 16, 2018

Holi: sundown Mar. 1-sundown Mar. 2, 2018

Passover: sundown Mar. 30–sundown Apr. 7, 2018

Good Friday: Mar. 30, 2018

Easter: Apr. 1, 2018

Ramadan: sunset May 15-Jun. 14, 2018

Eid al-Fitr: sundown Jun. 14-sundown Jun. 15, 2018

Back-to-School Night

Aug. 17, 2017

Student Early Dismissal Time

12:15 p.m.

Student Early Dismissal Days

Sep. 1, 2017 Sep. 29, 2017 Dec. 15, 2017 Feb. 23, 2018 Mar. 16, 2018

May 31, 2018

Interims & Report Cards

First Quarter
Aug. 28, 2017 (interim)
Oct. 5, 2017 (report card)

Second Quarter Nov. 13, 2017 (interim) Jan. 5, 2018 (report card)

Third Quarter
Feb. 5, 2018 (interim)
Mar. 23, 2018 (report card)

Fourth Quarter May 7, 2018 (interim) May 31, 2018 (report card)

Parent Teacher Conferences

First Semester Sep. 26 & Oct. 3, 2017

Conferences will be held on two evenings from 3:45 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. according to a schedule above. Details regarding how to schedule conferences will be provided in the fall.

Note: These evenings are considered as additional teacher work days.

Inclement Weather Make-up Procedure

Section 22.1-98 the Code of Virginia requires that school divisions, in the event of severe weather conditions or other emergency situations, make up the first five days plus one day for each two days missed in excess of the first five. Further, "when severe weather conditions or other emergency situations have resulted in the closing of any school in a school division and such school has been unable to meet the 180 teaching day requirement, the school division may make up the missed teaching days by providing its students with instructional hours equivalent to such missed teaching days to meet the minimum 990 teaching hour requirement." Due to the calendar and daily schedule at each level exceeding the annual required 990 instructional hours, no adjustments to the schedule will be necessary barring unforeseen weather conditions.

^{*} Jewish Holidays: Please be aware that Jewish students, parents, and staff may be absent and unable to attend special functions during the school days and evenings noted.