

Freddie Woodson, Deputy Superintendent
District/School Operations

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SCHOOL CALENDARS FOR
THE 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR:**

**ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL CALENDAR –
2010-2011 WITH A START DATE OF AUGUST 23, 2010**

**ADULT/VOCATIONAL EDUCATION SCHOOL CALENDAR –
2010-2011, WITH A START DATE OF AUGUST 23, 2010**

**JUVENILE JUSTICE EDUCATION SCHOOL CALENDAR –
2010-2011, WITH A START DATE OF JULY 7, 2010**

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO DISTRICT
STRATEGIC PLAN: ENSURE SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE AND SCHEDULES
MEET THE NEEDS OF STUDENTS AND TEACHERS AND
ENHANCE TEACHING AND LEARNING**

Section 1001.42(4)(f), Florida Statutes, regarding the responsibility of district school boards to set school start dates states that the opening date for schools in the district may not be earlier than 14 days before Labor Day each year. In order to allow the Superintendent of Schools the flexibility to make adjustments to school calendars in a timely manner should it become necessary under emergency situations, and to comply with Section 1001.42(4)(f), F. S., the following school calendars are presented for approval by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida:

Elementary and Secondary School Calendar – 2010-2011 which:

- provides 180 days for students; and
- provides 196 days for teachers (180 days for students, 10 teacher planning days, and six (6) legal holidays).

Adult/Vocational Education School Calendar – 2010-2011, which:

- provides 216 days for students,
- provides 234 days for teachers (216 days for students, 12 teacher planning days, and six (6) legal holidays).

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Juvenile Justice Education School Calendar – 2010-2011, developed in compliance with Section 1003.01(11)(A) F.S.:

- provides 240 days for students; and
- provides 257 days for teachers (240 days for students, 11 teacher planning days, and six (6) legal holidays).

The proposed Elementary and Secondary School Calendar, the Adult/Vocational Education School Calendar, and the Juvenile Justice Education School Calendar were jointly developed by the School Calendar Ad Hoc Committee comprised of representatives from Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the United Teachers of Dade.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve:

1. the Elementary and Secondary School Calendar – 2010-2011, with a start date of August 23, 2010;
2. the Adult/Vocational Education School Calendar – 2010-2011, with a start date of August 23, 2010; and
3. the Juvenile Justice Education School Calendar – 2010-2011, with a start date of July 7, 2010.

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Miami-Dade County Public Schools

Elementary and Secondary 2010-2011

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	New Teachers Report			
	Teacher Planning Day			
*	Teacher Planning Day No Opt			
	Legal Holiday			
	Recess Day			
	Beg/End of Grading Period			
	Secondary Early Release			

FLORIDA STATEWIDE ASSESSMENT PROGRAM 2010 - 2011 SCHEDULE FLORIDA COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT TEST® (FCAT)		
OCTOBER 11 - 15, 2010 OR OCTOBER 18 - 22, 2010	GRADES 11 - ADULT (NEW STUDENTS/RETAKE)	READING & MATHEMATICS SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS RETAKE TESTS
MARCH 1 - 4, 2011	GRADES 4, 8, AND 10	WRITING SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS TEST
MARCH 30 - APRIL 6, 2011	GRADES 11 - ADULT (NEW STUDENTS/RETAKE)	READING & MATHEMATICS SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS RETAKE TESTS
APRIL 11 - 22, 2011	GRADES 3 - 10 GRADES 5, 8, AND 11	READING & MATHEMATICS SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS TESTS SCIENCE SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS TEST

1=48 2=43 3=43 4=46

- 180 Student Days
- 10 Teacher Planning Days
- 6 Legal Holidays
- 16 Recess Days

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ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL CALENDAR – 2010-2011

August 19, 20, 2010	Teacher planning days; no students in school
August 23	First Day of School; begin first semester
September 6	Labor Day; holiday for students and employees
September 9 *+ #	Teacher planning day; no students in school
September 23	Secondary early release day
October 28	Secondary early release day
October 29	End first grading period; first semester
November 1 *+ #	Teacher planning day; no students in school
November 2	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day-not available to opt; no students in school
November 3	Begin second grading period; first semester
November 11	Observation of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees
November 25	Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees
November 26	Recess Day
December 9	Secondary early release day
December 20 - 31	Winter recess for students and 10-month employees; December 22, 23, 24, 30, and 31, 2010, Board-approved holidays for 12-month (250 and 260 days) employees December 20, 21, 27, 28, and 29, 2010, Recess days for 12-month (250 days) employees
January 17	Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees
January 20	End first semester and grading period
January 21 *+ #	Teacher planning day; no students in school
January 24	Begin second semester; third grading period
February 3	Secondary early release day
February 18	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day-not available to opt; no students in school
February 21	All Presidents Day; holiday for students and employees
March 3	Secondary early release day
March 14 - 18	Spring recess for students, 10-month and 12-month (250 days) employees
April 1	End third grading period; second semester
April 4 *+ #	Teacher planning day, no students in school
April 5	Begin fourth grading period; second semester
April 22 *+ #	Teacher planning day, no students in school
May 30	Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees
June 9	Last Day of School; end fourth grading period; second semester
June 10	Teacher planning day; no students in school

NOTE: Every Wednesday – Students (Grades 2-8) in elementary and K-8 Centers are released one (1) hour early

Job Category	Beginning Date	Ending Date
Teachers new to the system	August 12, 2010	June 10, 2011
Assistant Principals and 10-month clerical	August 12, 2010	June 17, 2011
Cafeteria Managers	August 16, 2010	June 10, 2011} REVISED
Satellite Cafeteria Managers	August 18, 2010	June 9, 2011
All Instructional Staff, Paraprofessionals & Security	August 19, 2010	June 10, 2011
Assistant to Cafeteria Managers/MAT Specialists	August 20, 2010	June 9, 2011
Cafeteria Workers (part-time)	August 23, 2010	June 9, 2011

*Teachers/paraprofessionals and school support personnel may opt to work one or two days, August 17, 18, 2010, or June 13, 14, 2011, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 9, 2010, November 1, 2010, January 21, 2011, April 4, 2011, and April 22, 2011. November 2, 2010, and February 18, 2011, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

+Teachers new to Miami-Dade County Public Schools may opt to work one or two days, June 13, 14, 2011, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 9, 2010, November 1, 2010, January 21, 2011, April 4, 2011, and April 22, 2011. November 2, 2010, and February 18, 2011, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

#Ten-month secretarial and clerical employees may opt to work one or two days, August 10, 11, 2010, or June 20, 21, 2011, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 9, 2010, November 1, 2010, January 21, 2011, April 4, 2011, and April 22, 2011. November 2, 2010, and February 18, 2011, are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

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Miami-Dade County Public School
Adult/Vocational Calendar 2010-2011

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	New Teachers Report	216 Student Days	1=77
	Teacher Planning Day	12 Teacher Workdays	2=69
	Teacher Planning Day No Opt	17 Recess Days	3=70
	Legal Holiday	6 Legal Holidays	
	Recess Day		
	Beg/End of Grading Period		

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**2010-2011 SCHOOL CALENDAR
ADULT/VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
MIAMI, FLORIDA**

HOLIDAYS – 2010

September 6	Labor Day
November 11	Veterans' Day
November 25	Thanksgiving

HOLIDAYS – 2011

January 17	Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday
February 21	All President's Day
May 30	Observance of Memorial Day

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Number of School Days in TRIMESTER 1					Number of School Days in TRIMESTER 2				Number of School Days in TRIMESTER 3				
Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Apr	May	June	July	Aug
7	20	21	17	12	19	18	17	15	5	21	22	19	3
TOTAL: 77					TOTAL: 69				TOTAL: 70				

Total Trimester Days Students Are in School = 216

*Teachers may opt to work one or more days, August 17, 18, 2010, in lieu of any of the teacher planning days except August 20, 2010, and the designated Professional Development Days, November 2, 2010, and February 18, 2011. Also, at the discretion of the principal, teachers may opt to conduct classes on a teacher planning day in lieu of a regularly scheduled class day during those times when special events and activities scheduled by the day school program disrupt on-campus adult education programs.

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Miami-Dade County Public Schools Juvenile Justice Calendar 2010-2011

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- Teacher Planning Day
- Teacher Planning Day No Opt
- Legal Holiday
- Recess Day
- Beg/End Grading Period
- Early Release
- Saturday Classes

1=30 2=52 3=47

4=47 5=34 6=30

240 Student Days

11 Teacher Planning Days

6 Holidays

16 Recess Days

5 Secondary Early Release Days

15 Saturday School

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JUVENILE JUSTICE EDUCATION SCHOOL CALENDAR – 2010-2011

July 2, 5, 6*	Summer Break Days, no compensation
July 7	Begin Summer grading period
August 17	End Summer grading period
August 18	Begin first grading period, first semester
August 19, 20	Teacher planning day; no students in school
September 6	Labor Day; holiday for students and employees
September 9*	Teacher planning day; no students in school
September 11	Saturday classes
September 23	Early release day for students; half-day planning for teachers
October 2	Saturday classes
October 16	Saturday classes
October 28	Early release day for students; half-day planning for teachers
October 29	End first grading period; first semester
November 1*	Teacher planning day; no students in school
November 2	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day – not available to opt; no students in School
November 3	Begin second grading period; first semester
November 6	Saturday classes
November 11	Observance of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees
November 20	Saturday classes
November 25	Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees
November 26	Recess day
December 9	Early release day for students; half-day planning for teachers
December 11	Saturday classes
December 20 – 31	Winter recess for students and 10-month employees; December 22, 23, 24, 30, and 31, 2010, Board-approved holidays for 12-month (250 and 260 days) employees December 20, 21, 27, 28, and 29, 2010, Recess days for 12-month (250 days) employees
January 8	Saturday classes
January 17	Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees
January 20	End second grading period; first semester
January 21*	Teacher planning day; no students in school
January 24	Begin third grading period; second semester
January 29	Saturday classes
February 3	Early release day for students; half-day planning for teachers
February 12	Saturday classes
February 18	Teacher planning day; Professional Development Day – not available to opt; no students in school
February 21	All Presidents' Day; holiday for students and employees
March 3	Early release day for students; half-day planning for teachers
March 5	Saturday classes
March 14-18	Spring recess for students, 10-month and 12-month (250 days) employees
March 26	Saturday classes
April 1	End third grading period; second semester
April 4*	Teacher planning day; no student in school
April 5	Begin fourth grading period; second semester
April 16	Saturday classes
April 22*	Teacher planning day; no students in school
April 30	Saturday classes
May 7	Saturday classes
May 18	End of fourth grading period, second semester
May 19*	Teacher planning day; no students in school
May 20	Begin fifth grading period
May 21	Saturday classes
May 30	Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees
June 30	End of fifth grading period
July 1	Teacher planning day; no students in school
July 4, 5*	Summer Break Days, no compensation

***Teachers/paraprofessionals, school support personnel, and 10-month secretarial/clerical employees may opt to work one or two days July 6, 2010, or July 5, 2011, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 9, 2010, November 1, 2010, January 21, 2011, April 4, 2011, April 22, 2011. November 2, 2010, and February 18, 2011 are Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.**