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School Operations

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF REVISED SCHOOL CALENDARS FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR:**

**REVISED ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL CALENDAR – 2017-2018, WITH A START DATE OF AUGUST 21, 2017**

**REVISED ADULT/VOCATIONAL EDUCATION SCHOOL CALENDAR – 2017-2018, WITH A START DATE OF AUGUST 21, 2017**

**REVISED JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTER SCHOOL CALENDAR – 2017-2018, WITH A START DATE OF JULY 7, 2017**

**COMMITTEE: PERSONNEL SERVICES AND STUDENT AND SCHOOL SUPPORT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC**

**BLUEPRINT: SAFE, HEALTHY AND SUPPORTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT**

The State of Florida weathered one of the strongest storms in recorded history with the landfall of Hurricane Irma. As we have resumed normal operations staff has conducted a thorough analysis of the impact of the seven days of school closure on the District's ability to fulfill statutory requirements related to instructional time. Even with the loss of seven instructional days, the District exceeds the minimum instructional hours required by the state.

Section 1011.60(2) of the Florida Statutes indicates that schools must operate for 180 actual teaching days or the equivalent on an hourly basis to participate in the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP). Rule 6A.1.045111 of the Florida Administrative Code provides additional specification regarding the number of instructional hours required for each grade level as not less than 720 hours for kindergarten through grade 3 and not less than 900 hours for grades 4 through 12. Provided that these statutory requirements are met, school boards have the authority to adopt an alternative calendar without authorization or approval by the Florida Department of Education without penalty to their district's FEFP funding or the reporting of full-time equivalent students.

Florida law gives the Commissioner of Education and the State Board of Education the authority to alter the instructional hours requirement when the loss of instructional hours is caused by a bona fide emergency and when it is not feasible to make up the lost days

or hours. Commissioner of Education Pam Stewart advised superintendents across the state that she is authorizing the waiver of up to two days of instructional time as a result of required school closures due to Hurricane Irma. As the district has exceeded the state mandate regarding instructional time, it is not necessary to seek a waiver.

However, the loss of instructional time resulted in impacts to student learning and therefore adjustments to the school calendar are proposed to return valuable instructional time to students and teachers. The proposed changes to the calendars are as follows:

- Five (5) dates are being converted to regular school days on the Revised Elementary and Secondary School Calendar – 2017-18. The impacted dates are:
  - January 19, 2018 (previously teacher planning day);
  - February 15, 2018 (previously secondary early release day);
  - April 19, 2018 (previously secondary early release day);
  - April 20, 2018 (previously teacher planning day); and
  - May 17, 2018 (previously secondary early release day)
- Two (2) dates are being converted to regular school days on the Revised Adult/Vocational Education School Calendar – 2017-18. The impacted dates are:
  - January 19, 2018 (previously teacher planning day); and
  - April 20, 2018 (previously teacher planning day)
- Five (5) dates are being converted to regular school days on the Revised Juvenile Justice Center School Calendar – 2017-18. The impacted dates are:
  - January 19, 2018 (previously teacher planning day);
  - February 15, 2018 (previously secondary early release day);
  - April 19, 2018 (previously secondary early release day);
  - April 20, 2018 (previously teacher planning day); and
  - May 17, 2018 (previously secondary early release day)

Therefore, the revised school calendars presented are keeping in mind solutions that best support learning and are responsive to the community. The following school calendars are presented for approval by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida:

**Revised Elementary and Secondary School Calendar – 2017-2018** which:

- provides 175 days of instruction for students; and
- provides 189 days for teachers (175 days for students, 8 teacher planning days, and six (6) legal holidays).

**Revised Adult/Vocational Education School Calendar – 2017-2018**, which:

- provides 211 days of instruction for students, and
- provides 227 days for teachers (211 days for students, 10 teacher planning days, and six (6) legal holidays).

**Revised Juvenile Justice Center School Calendar – 2017-2018**, developed in compliance with Section 1003.01(11)(a) F.S.:

- provides 233 days of instruction for students; and
- provides 248 days for teachers (233 days for students, 9 teacher planning days, and six (6) legal holidays).

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

1. the REVISED Elementary and Secondary School Calendar – 2017 -2018, with a start date of August 21, 2017;
2. the REVISED Adult/Vocational Education School Calendar – 2017 -2018, with a start date of August 21, 2017; and
3. the REVISED Juvenile Justice Center School Calendar – 2017 -2018, with a start date of July 7, 2017



**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2017-2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR  
ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY**

| July 2017 |              |    |    |    |
|-----------|--------------|----|----|----|
| M         | T            | W  | T  | F  |
| 3         | <del>4</del> | 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 10        | 11           | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 17        | 18           | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 24        | 25           | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 31        |              |    |    |    |

| August 2017   |               |               |               |               |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| M             | T             | W             | T             | F             |
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| 7             | 8             | 9             | <del>10</del> | <del>11</del> |
| <del>14</del> | <del>15</del> | <del>16</del> | 17            | 18            |
| 21            | 22            | 23            | 24            | 25            |
| 28            | 29            | 30            | 31            |               |

| September 2017 |    |    |    |    |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|
| M              | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| <del>4</del>   | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 11             | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 18             | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 25             | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

| October 2017 |    |    |    |    |
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| M            | T  | W  | T  | F  |
| 2            | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 9            | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16           | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23           | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30           | 31 |    |    |    |

| November 2017 |    |    |               |               |
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| M             | T  | W  | T             | F             |
|               |    | 1  | 2             | 3             |
| 6             | 7  | 8  | 9             | <del>10</del> |
| 13            | 14 | 15 | 16            | 17            |
| 20            | 21 | 22 | <del>23</del> | <del>24</del> |
| 27            | 28 | 29 | 30            |               |

| December 2017 |               |               |               |               |
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| M             | T             | W             | T             | F             |
|               |               |               |               | 1             |
| 4             | 5             | 6             | 7             | 8             |
| 11            | 12            | 13            | 14            | 15            |
| 18            | 19            | 20            | 21            | 22            |
| <del>25</del> | <del>26</del> | <del>27</del> | <del>28</del> | <del>29</del> |

| January 2018  |              |              |              |              |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| M             | T            | W            | T            | F            |
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| 8             | 9            | 10           | 11           | 12           |
| <del>15</del> | 16           | 17           | 18           | 19           |
| 22            | 23           | 24           | 25           | 26           |
| 29            | 30           | 31           |              |              |






| February 2018 |    |    |    |    |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|
| M             | T  | W  | T  | F  |
|               |    |    | 1  | 2  |
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| 12            | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| <del>19</del> | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 26            | 27 | 28 |    |    |

| March 2018    |               |               |               |               |
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| M             | T             | W             | T             | F             |
|               |               |               | 1             | 2             |
| 5             | 6             | 7             | 8             | 9             |
| 12            | 13            | 14            | 15            | 16            |
| 19            | 20            | 21            | 22            | 23            |
| <del>26</del> | <del>27</del> | <del>28</del> | <del>29</del> | <del>30</del> |

| April 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M          | T  | W  | T  | F  |
| 2          | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 9          | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16         | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23         | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30         |    |    |    |    |

| May 2018      |    |    |    |    |
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| M             | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 7             | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 14            | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 21            | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| <del>28</del> | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

| June 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M         | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 4         | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 11        | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 18        | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 25        | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

-  New Teachers Report
-  Teacher Planning Day
-  Teacher Planning Day - (No - Opt)
-  District-wide Professional Development Day
-  Secondary Early Release
-  Hurricane Days - No School in session

-  Recess Day
-  Beg/End of Grading Period
-  Legal Holiday

| Days in Grading Period |  |
|------------------------|--|
| 1-39                   |  |
| 2-45                   |  |
| 3-43                   |  |
| 4-48                   |  |

For information on employee opt days, please refer to back of calendar.

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2017-2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR  
ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY  
MIAMI, FLORIDA**

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| August 17, 18, 2017 | Teacher planning days; no students in school   |
| August 21           | First Day of School; begin first semester  |
| September 4         | Labor Day; holiday for students and employees  |
| September 21*+##    | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| September 28        | Secondary early release day  |
| October 2           | Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day - not available to opt; no students in school |
| October 26          | End first grading period; first semester   |
| October 27          | Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day - not available to opt; no students in school |
| October 30          | Begin second grading period; first semester  |
| November 10         | Observation of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees   |
| November 22*+##     | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| November 23         | Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees  |
| November 24         | Recess Day   |
| December 25-        | Winter recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of                          |
| January 5, 2018     | Police Employees;  |
| January 15          | Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees                       |
| January 19          | End first semester and second grading period   |
| January 22          | Begin second semester; third grading period  |
| February 19         | All Presidents Day; holiday for students and employees   |
| March 22            | End third grading period; second semester  |
| March 23*+##        | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| March 26-30         | Spring recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police Employees         |
| April 2             | Begin fourth grading period; second semester   |
| May 28              | Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees   |
| June 7              | Last Day of School; end fourth grading period; second semester   |
| June 8              | Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school  |

NOTE: Every Wednesday students in elementary schools (Grades 2-5) and K-8 Centers (Grades 2-8) are released one (1) hour early

| Job Category  | Beginning Date  | Ending Date   |
|---|-----------------|---------------|
| Teachers new to the system                            | August 10, 2017 | June 8, 2018  |
| Assistant Principals and 10-month clerical            | August 10, 2017 | June 15, 2018 |
| Cafeteria Managers                                    | August 14, 2017 | June 8, 2018  |
| Satellite Assistants                                  | August 16, 2017 | June 7, 2018  |
| All Instructional Staff, Paraprofessionals & Security | August 17, 2017 | June 8, 2018  |
| Assistant to Cafeteria Managers/MAT Specialists       | August 18, 2017 | June 7, 2018  |
| Cafeteria Workers (part-time)                         | August 21, 2017 | June 7, 2018  |

\*Teachers/paraprofessionals and school support personnel may opt to work one or two days, August 15, 16, 2017, or June 11, 12, 2018, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 21, 2017, November 22, 2017 and March 23, 2017. October 2, 2017 and October 27, 2017, are District-wide 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 11, 12, 2018, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 21, 2017, November 22, 2017 and March 23, 2017. October 2, 2017 and October 27, 2017, are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

#Ten-month secretarial and clerical employees may opt to work one or two days, August 8, 9, 2017, or June 18, 19, 2018, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 21, 2017, November 22, 2017 and March 23, 2017. October 2, 2017 and October 27, 2017, are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
 2017-2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR  
 ADULT/VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

| August 2017 |     |     |     |     |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| M           | T   | W   | T   | F   |
|             | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   |
| 7           | 8   | 9   | △10 | △11 |
| △14         | △15 | △16 | ○17 | ○18 |
| ■21         | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  |
| 28          | 29  | 30  | 31  |     |

| September 2017 |    |    |     |    |
|----------------|----|----|-----|----|
| M              | T  | W  | T   | F  |
|                |    |    |     | 1  |
| ⊗4             | 5  | 6  | 7   | 8  |
| 11             | 12 | 13 | 14  | 15 |
| 18             | 19 | 20 | ○21 | 22 |
| 25             | 26 | 27 | 28  | 29 |

| October 2017 |    |    |    |     |
|--------------|----|----|----|-----|
| M            | T  | W  | T  | F   |
| ⊖2           | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6   |
| 9            | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13  |
| 16           | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20  |
| 23           | 24 | 25 | 26 | ⊖27 |
| 30           | 31 |    |    |     |

| November 2017 |    |     |     |     |
|---------------|----|-----|-----|-----|
| M             | T  | W   | T   | F   |
|               |    | 1   | 2   | 3   |
| 6             | 7  | 8   | 9   | ⊗10 |
| 13            | 14 | 15  | 16  | 17  |
| 20            | 21 | ○22 | ⊗23 | ⊗24 |
| 27            | 28 | 29  | 30  |     |

| December 2017 |     |     |     |     |
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| M             | T   | W   | T   | F   |
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| 4             | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   |
| 11            | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  |
| 18            | 19  | 20  | 21  | ■22 |
| ⊗25           | ⊗26 | ⊗27 | ⊗28 | ⊗29 |

| January 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M            | T  | W  | T  | F  |
| ⊗1           | ⊗2 | ⊗3 | ⊗4 | ⊗5 |
| ■8           | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| ⊗15          | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 22           | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 29           | 30 | 31 |    |    |

| February 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M             | T  | W  | T  | F  |
|               |    |    | 1  | 2  |
| 5             | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 12            | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| ⊗19           | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 26            | 27 | 28 |    |    |

| March 2018 |     |     |     |     |
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| M          | T   | W   | T   | F   |
|            |     |     | 1   | 2   |
| 5          | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   |
| 12         | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  |
| 19         | 20  | 21  | 22  | ○23 |
| ⊗26        | ⊗27 | ⊗28 | ⊗29 | ⊗30 |

| April 2018 |    |    |    |    |
|------------|----|----|----|----|
| M          | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| ■9         | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16         | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23         | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30         |    |    |    |    |

| May 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M        | T  | W  | T  | F  |
|          | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
| 7        | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 14       | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 21       | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| ⊗28      | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

| June 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M         | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 4         | 5  | 6  | 7  | ○8 |
| 11        | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 18        | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 25        | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

| July 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M         | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 9         | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16        | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23        | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30        | 31 |    |    |    |

| August 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M           | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 6           | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 |
| 13          | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 20          | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 27          | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

- New Teachers Report
- Teacher Planning Day
- Teacher Planning Day - (No Opt)  
District-wide Professional Development
- Recess Day
- Beg/End of Grading Period
- Legal Holiday
- Hurricane Days - No School in session

| Days in Grading Period |  |
|------------------------|--|
| 1-75                   |  |
| 2-57                   |  |
| 3-79                   |  |

For information on employee opt days, please refer to back of calendar.

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2017-2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR  
ADULT/VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**

**HOLIDAYS 2017**

|             |                  |
|-------------|------------------|
| September 4 | Labor Day        |
| November 10 | Veterans' Day    |
| November 23 | Thanksgiving Day |

**HOLIDAYS 2018**

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| January 15  | Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday |
| February 19 | All Presidents' Day                                  |
| May 28      | Observance of Memorial Day                           |

| 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 |
| 9  | 12   | 20  | 18  | 16  | 17                                   | 19  | 16  | 5   | 16                                   | 22  | 20   | 20   | 1   |
| <b>TOTAL: 75</b>   |      |     |     |     | <b>TOTAL: 57</b>                     |     |     |     | <b>TOTAL: 79</b>                     |     |      |      |     |
| <b>TOTAL TRIMESTER DAYS STUDENTS ARE IN SCHOOL = 211</b> |      |     |     |     |                                      |     |     |     |                                      |     |      |      |     |

\*Teachers may opt to work one or more days, August 15, 16, 2017, in lieu of any of the teacher planning days except August 18, 2017, and the designated District-wide Professional Development Days, October 2, 2017, and October 27, 2017. 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.

\*\*August 2, 2018 is a Teacher planning day; not available to opt.



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
 2017-2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR  
 JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTER

| July 2017 |              |    |    |    |
|-----------|--------------|----|----|----|
| M         | T            | W  | T  | F  |
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| 10        | 11           | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 17        | 18           | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 24        | 25           | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 31        |              |    |    |    |

| August 2017 |    |    |    |    |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|
| M           | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 7           | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 14          | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 21          | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 28          | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

| September 2017 |    |    |    |    |
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| M              | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 11             | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 18             | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 25             | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

| October 2017 |    |    |    |    |
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| M            | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 9            | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16           | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23           | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30           | 31 |    |    |    |

| November 2017 |    |    |    |    |
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| 6             | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 |
| 13            | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 20            | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 27            | 28 | 29 | 30 |    |

| December 2017 |    |    |    |    |
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| M             | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 4             | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 11            | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 18            | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 25            | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

| January 2018 |              |              |              |              |
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| M            | T            | W            | T            | F            |
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| 8            | 9            | 10           | 11           | 12           |
| 15           | 16           | 17           | 18           | 19           |
| 22           | 23           | 24           | 25           | 26           |
| 29           | 30           | 31           |              |              |

| February 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M             | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 12            | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 19            | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 26            | 27 | 28 |    |    |

| March 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M          | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 19         | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 26         | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |

| April 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M          | T  | W  | T  | F  |
| 2          | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 9          | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16         | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23         | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30         |    |    |    |    |

| May 2018 |    |    |    |    |
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| M        | T  | W  | T  | F  |
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| 7        | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 14       | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 21       | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 28       | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

| June 2018 |    |    |    |    |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|
| M         | T  | W  | T  | F  |
|           |    |    |    | 1  |
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| 11        | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 18        | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 25        | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |

| July 2018 |    |              |    |    |
|-----------|----|--------------|----|----|
| M         | T  | W            | T  | F  |
| 2         | 3  | <del>4</del> | 5  | 6  |
| 9         | 10 | 11           | 12 | 13 |
| 16        | 17 | 18           | 19 | 20 |
| 23        | 24 | 25           | 26 | 27 |
| 30        | 31 |              |    |    |

- Teacher Planning Day
- Teacher Planning Day (No Opt) - District-wide Professional Development
- Legal Holiday
- Recess Day

- Beg/End of Grading Period
- Secondary Early Release
- Saturday Classes
- Hurricane Days - No school in session

| Days in Grading Period |      |
|------------------------|------|
| 1-30                   | 4-47 |
| 2-42                   | 5-36 |
| 3-48                   | 6-30 |

For information on employee opt days, please refer to back of calendar.



**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2017-2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR  
JUVENILE JUSTICE EDUCATION**

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| July 7, 2017                     | Begin Summer grading period  |
| July 8                           | Saturday classes   |
| August 12                        | Saturday classes   |
| August 15                        | End Summer grading period  |
| August 16                        | Begin first grading period, first semester   |
| August 17                        | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| August 18                        | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| September 4                      | Labor Day; holiday for students and employees  |
| September 21*                    | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| September 23                     | Saturday classes   |
| September 28                     | Secondary early release day  |
| October 2                        | Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day – not available to opt; no students in school |
| October 14                       | Saturday classes   |
| October 26                       | End of First grading period, first semester  |
| October 27                       | Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day – not available to opt; no students in school |
| October 30                       | Begin second grading period, first semester  |
| November 4                       | Saturday classes   |
| November 10                      | Observance of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees  |
| November 22*                     | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| November 23                      | Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees  |
| November 24                      | Recess day   |
| December 2                       | Saturday classes   |
| December 16                      | Saturday classes   |
| December 25 –<br>January 5, 2018 | Winter recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police Employees         |
| January 15                       | Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees                       |
| January 19                       | End second grading period; first semester  |
| January 22                       | Begin third grading period; second semester  |
| January 27                       | Saturday classes   |
| February 10                      | Saturday classes   |
| February 19                      | All Presidents' Day; holiday for students and employees  |
| February 24                      | Saturday classes   |
| March 10                         | Saturday classes   |
| March 22                         | End third grading period; second semester  |
| March 23*                        | Teacher planning day; no students in school  |
| March 26-30                      | Spring recess for students and all employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police Employees         |
| April 2                          | Begin fourth grading period; second semester   |
| April 14                         | Saturday classes   |
| April 28                         | Saturday classes   |
| May 17                           | End fourth grading period; second semester   |
| May 18                           | Begin fifth grading period   |
| May 19                           | Saturday classes   |
| May 28                           | Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees   |
| June 29                          | End of fifth grading period  |
| July 2                           | Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school  |

**\*Teachers/paraprofessionals, school support personnel, and 10-month secretarial/clerical employees** may opt to work one or two days July 3, 2017 and July 5, 2017, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 21, 2017, November 22, 2017 and March 23, 2018. October 2, 2017, and October 27, 2017, are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.