

## 2024-2025 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Approved 1/22/2024

### AUGUST 2024 (2 days)

S	М	Т	W	TH	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

- 19-1st day for Administrator Prof. Dev.
- 26 27 -- Educator Professional Development
- 28 1st day for students 1 12 (noon dismissal)
- 30 No School: Labor Day (Offices Open)

#### NOVEMBER 2024 (17 days)

S	М	Т	W	TH	F	S
					1	2
			6			
10	11	12	13 20	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

- 1 Diwali
- 5 No School: Election Day (Offices Open)
- 11 No School: Veterans' Day
- 27 Begin Thanksgiving Recess at noon

1st Quarter: 8/28 - 11/1

#### FEBRUARY 2025 (15 days)

S	М	Т	W	TH	F	S
						1
			5			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	

17 - 21 – February Vacation, Presidents Day 2/17

## MAY 2025 (21 days)

s	М	Т	W	TH	F	s
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

- 26 No School: Memorial Day
- 30 Class Day (Tentative)

#### SEPTEMBER 2024 (20 days)

S	М	Т	W	TH	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		17				
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

- 2 No School: Labor Day
- 3 1st day for K and PK students

### DECEMBER 2024 (15 days)

S	М	T	W	TH	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16				20	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

20 – Begin Winter Recess at noon, <u>Christmas 12/25, Hanukkah\* 12/26 - 1/2,</u> <u>Kwanzaa 12/26 - 1/1 and New Year's Day 1/1</u>

Winter Recess begins 12/20 at noon. Classes Resume on 1/6

#### **MARCH 2025** (21 days)

S	М	Т	w	тн	F	s	
						1	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	

- 30 31
- 3/1 3/30 Ramadan\*
- 14 <u>Holi</u>
- 31 Eid al-Fitr\*

#### **JUNE 2025** (12 days)

S	М	т	W	тн	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

2 – Graduation Day (Tentative)

#### 17 - Last day of school (180 days)

- 19 Juneteenth (Offices Closed)
- 24 185th day
- 4th Quarter: 4/7 6/17

#### **OCTOBER 2024** (22 days)

S	М	Т	W	TH	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

- 3 4 Rosh Hashanah\*
- 12 Yom Kippur\*
- 14 No School: Indigenous Peoples' Day

### **JANUARY 2025** (19 days)

S	М	Т	W	TH	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

- 1-3 No School
- 3 Educator Professional Development
- 6 Classes Resume, and Three Kings Day
- 20 No School: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 29 <u>Lunar New Year</u>

2nd Quarter: 11/4 - 1/24

#### **APRIL 2025** (16 days)

S	М	Т	w	TH	F	s
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

- 13 20 Passover\*
- 18 No School: Good Friday
- 21 25 April Vacation, Patriots' Day 4/21

3rd Quarter: 1/27 - 4/4

#### **KEY**

No School

Professional Development For Educators

Noon Dismissal for **ALL** Students **PK - 12**Special Dates for Seniors

Early Release Wednesday

1st Day of School: Grades 1 - 12: August 28, Pre-K and K: September 3

Last Day of School: June 17

TEXT Major Religious and Cultural Holidays are underlined. Starred holidays (\*) begin at sundown the previous day. Staff will strive to avoid scheduling one-time events, athletics, long-term assignments, and testing on these days.



# **RELIGIOUS & CULTURAL HOLIDAYS**

Somerville Public Schools is proud to be a rich and diverse community. Although schools are not closed in observance of all religious and cultural holidays, the Somerville Public Schools respects and acknowledges the holidays that our families, students, and staff observe. The list below includes many of the holidays observed. Students who miss school because of an excused absence for a religious or cultural observance should not be expected to complete homework, assignments, study for test, or do any other schoolwork on the holiday. Prior to an excused absence, schools and teachers should be informed.

NAME OF HOLIDAY	RELIGION / CULTURE	DATES
Mawlid Al-Nabi (Sunni)	Islamic	September 15 - 16
Mawlid Al-Nabi (Shi'a)	Islamic	September 16
Ganesh Chaturthi	Hindu	September 7
Rosh Hashanah*	Jewish	October 3 - 4
Navaratri	Hindu	October 3 - 12
Yom Kippur*	Jewish	October 12
Diwali	Hindu	November 1
All Saints Day	Western Christian	November 1
Birth of the Báb	Bahá'í	November 2
All Souls Day	Christian	November 2
Birth of the Bahá'u'lláh	Bahá'í	November 3
St. Nicholas Day	Christian	December 6
Bodhi Day	Buddhist	December 8
Christmas	Christian	December 25
Hanukkah*	Jewish	December 26 - January 2
Kwanzaa	African American	December 26 - January 1
Epiphany	Christian	January 6
Three Kings Day/ Día De Los Reyes	Latin America, Spain and Hispanic	January 6
Feast of the Nativity	Orthodox Christian	January 7
Guru Gobindh Singh Birthday	Sikh	January 17
Lunar New Year	East and South East Asian	January 29
Ash Wednesday	Christian	February 14
Nirvana Day	Buddhist	February 15
Ayyám-i-Há	Bahá'í	February 25 - 28
Ramadan*	Islamic	March 1 - 30
Purim	Jewish	March 13
Holi	Hindu	March 14
Naw-Rúz	Bahá'í	March 19 - 20
Palm Sunday	Christian	March 24
Eid al-Fitr	Muslim	March 31
Hanuman Jayanti	Hindu	April 12
Passover*	Jewish	April 13 - 20
Vaisakhi	Sikh	April 14
Easter	Christian	April 20
National Day of Prayer	USA — Interfaith	May 1
Buddha Day	Buddhism	May 5
Haitian Flag Day	Haitian Heritage	May 18
Ascension of Bahá'ulláh	Bahá'í	May 28
Ascension Day	Christian	May 29
Shavuot*	 Jewish	June 2 - 3
Pentecost	Christian	June 8
Pentecost	Eastern Orthodox Christian	June 24