

**PATERSON PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2024-2025 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

**JULY 2024** (Days=18 Staff)

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		

- 4 Independence Day – District Closed
- 5 District Closed
- 8 Summer School Begins
- 12 District Closed
- 19 District Closed
- 26 District Closed

**AUGUST 2024** (Days=19 Staff)

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

- 2 District Closed
- 9 District Closed
- 16 District Closed
- 21-23 Administrators' Institute
- 27-29 New Teacher Orientation

**SEPTEMBER 2024** (Days=20 Staff/18 Students)

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				

- 2 Labor Day – District Closed
- 3-4 Professional Development for Staff
- 5 Opening Day for Students
- 5-6 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 19 Back-to-School Night 6-8pm (JAT & NRC)
- 24 Back-to-School Night 6-8pm (Grades 9-12)
- 26 Back-to-School Night 6-8pm (PreK-8)

**OCTOBER 2024** (Days=21 Staff & Students)

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	

- 3 Rosh Hashanah – District Closed
- 11 Progress Reports (Grades PreK-12)
- 14 Italian Heritage Day/  
Indigenous People Day – District Closed
- 18 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD

**NOVEMBER 2024** (Days=15 Staff & Students)

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

- 5 Election Day – District Closed
- 7-8 NJEA Convention – Schools Closed
- 8 District Closed
- 11 Veterans' Day – District Closed
- 15 1<sup>st</sup> Marking Period Ends
- 19 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 27 Students & PEA Staff Early Dismissal
- 28-29 Thanksgiving – District Closed

**DECEMBER 2024** (Days=15 Staff & Students)

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			

- 3 Report Card Parent Conferences  
5:30-7:30pm (JAT, NRC, Grades 9-12)
- 5 Report Card Parent Conferences  
5:30-7:30pm (Grades PreK-8)
- 6 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 17 Progress Reports (Grades PreK-12)
- 23-31 Winter Recess – District Closed

**JANUARY 2025** (Days=21 Staff & Students)

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	31

- 1 New Year's Day – District Closed
- 8 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 20 MLK, Jr. Birthday – District Closed
- 31 2<sup>nd</sup> Marking Period Ends

**FEBRUARY 2025** (Days=18 Staff & Students)

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

- 7 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 11 Report Card Parent Conferences  
4:30-6:30pm (JAT, NRC, Grades 9-12)
- 13 Report Card Parent Conferences  
4:30-6:30pm (Grades PreK-8)
- 14 Students & PEA Staff Early Dismissal
- 17-18 Winter Break – District Closed

**MARCH 2025** (Days=20 Staff & Students)

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

- 3 Progress Reports (Grades PreK-12)
- 14 1:00 Students & PEA Staff Dismissal
- 19 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 31 Eid Al Fitr (Obsv.) – District Closed

**APRIL 2025** (Days=17 Staff & Students)

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		

- 4 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 8 3<sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Ends
- 14-18 Spring Break – District Closed
- 29 Report Card Parent Conferences  
5:30-7:30pm (Grades PreK-8)

**MAY 2025** (Days=21 Staff & Students)

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

- 1 Report Card Parent Conferences  
5:30-7:30pm (JAT, NRC, Grades 9-12)
- 9 Progress Reports (Grades PreK-12)
- 14 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 23 1:00 Students & PEA Staff Dismissal
- 26 Memorial Day – District Closed

**JUNE 2025** (Days=15 Staff/14 Students)

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				

- 6 1:00 Student Dismissal/Staff PD
- 13 4<sup>th</sup> Marking Period Ends
- 19 Juneteenth – District Closed
- 20 \*Last Day for Students
- 20 \*High School Graduation Day
- 23 \*Last Day for Staff (9am-12pm)

**SUMMARY OF DAYS (10 Months)**

	Staff	Students
September	20	18
October	21	21
November	15	15
December	15	15
January	21	21
February	18	18
March	20	20
April	17	17
May	21	21
June	15	14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>180</b>

\*If there are no emergency and/or weather-related school closures, the last day of school for students will be June 20, 2025; last day for staff will be June 23, 2025.

In the event the district has an emergency and/or weather-related closure, specific make-up days have been designated as per the following:

- Make-Up Day #1 – June 23, 2025
- Make-Up Day #2 – June 24, 2025
- Make-Up Day #3 – June 25, 2025
- Make-Up Day #4 – June 26, 2025

**EMERGENCY CLOSURE ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Information regarding emergency school closings during inclement weather may be obtained as per the following:

**Internet** – Log onto the Paterson Public Schools website at [www.paterson.k12.nj.us](http://www.paterson.k12.nj.us), or check the Paterson Public Schools Facebook, Instagram, and/or Twitter pages.

**Radio Station** – Tune into 1010 WINS

**Television Stations**

- PPS Cable Station Channel 76
- Channel 2 – WCBS
- Channel 4 – WNBC
- Channel 5 – FOX 5 News
- Channel 7 – WABC
- Cable Channel 12 – News 12 New Jersey
- Channel 41 – Univision

**DELAYED OPENING/EARLY DISMISSAL:**

The district will implement a delayed opening schedule (school will begin at 9:45am) when either weather or other emergent conditions are imminent. A delayed opening will allow students and district staff to arrive at their school locations in a timely and safe manner. It will also provide the district with additional time to reconsider full closure based on developing weather conditions and the forecast.

During an early dismissal, students will be dismissed at 1:00pm, and staff will be dismissed per the Weather Emergency Procedures guidelines which are on the district's website.

**2024-2025 BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS**

	WORKSHOP	REGULAR
August	7	14
September	4	11
October	2	9
November	6	13
December	4	11
January	2 (Organization Meeting)	
February	5	12
March	5	12
April	2	9
May	7	14
June	4	11

**LEGEND**

35	District Closed
1	Schools Closed
2	Early Dismissal: 1:00pm Students & PEA Staff
2	Early Dismissal: 1:00pm Students/1:20pm Staff
11	1:00pm Dismissal for Students/Staff PD
2	Full Day PD for Staff/No Students
3	Administrators' Institute
3	New Teacher Orientation
1	*Staff Only in Attendance