### Worcester County Public Schools
School System Calendar (Approved 02/21/2017)

**2017-2018**

#### August
- 16: New Student Registration
- 21–24: New Teacher Orientation
- 28 - 31: Teacher Preparation & In-service Activities

#### September
- 4: Closed: Labor Day
- 5: First Day of School for Students

#### October
- 19: Half Day for All Students
- 20: Closed: MSEA Convention

#### November
- 9: End of First Marking Period (47 Days)
- 10: Closed for All Students: Professional Day
- 22–24: Closed: Thanksgiving Break

#### December
- 21: Half Day for All Students
- 22 – 29: Closed: Winter Break

#### January
- 1 – 2: Closed: Winter Break
- 15: Closed: Dr. Martin Luther King Day
- 25 – 26: High School Exams
- 26: Half Days for All Students
- 29: End of Second Marking Period (43 Days)
- 29: Closed for All Students: Professional Day

#### February
- 19: Closed: Presidents Day

#### March
- 29: Closed for All Students: Professional Day
- 30: Closed: Spring Break

#### April
- 2: Closed: Spring Break
- 6: End of Third Marking Period (45 Days)
- 9: Closed for All Students: Professional Day

#### May
- 28: Closed: Memorial Day

#### June
- 14 – 15: High School Exams
- 15: Half Days for All Students
- 15: End of Fourth Marking Period (48 Days*)
- 15: Last Day of School for All Students

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**Key to Calendar Symbols**
- □ Holiday/Special Event: Schools Closed
- First and Last Day for Students
- Last Day of the Marking Period
- Professional Day: Schools Closed for Students
- Half Day for All Students
- New Teacher Orientation
- New Student Registration

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*Note: Three inclement weather days have to be built into the end of the calendar. These days will be subtracted if not used.*