



## 2019-2020 School Calendar

[www.smsd.org](http://www.smsd.org)

JULY 2019						
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**AUGUST**

New Teachers Report – Professional Learning ..... August 1,2,5  
 Continuing Teachers Report ..... August 6  
 Professional Learning ..... August 7,8,9  
 Classes begin Grades 1-6, 7 & 9..... August 12  
 Early Dismissal-Grades 1-6; Pre-K & Kdg. Conferences.....August 12  
 Classes begin Grades 8, 10-12 ..... August 13  
 Pre-K & Kindergarten Conferences.....August 13  
 First Day for Pre-K and Kindergarten.....August 14

FEBRUARY 2020						
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**SEPTEMBER**

Labor Day, Schools/Offices Closed.....September 2  
 Prof. Learn., Early Dismiss Grades K–8, NO School Pre-K.....September 13

MARCH 2020						
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**OCTOBER**

Prof. Learning, Early Dismiss Grades K-8, End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter...October 10  
 NO school Pre-K.....October 10  
 NO School Pre-K - 12, Teacher Workday.....October 11  
 Beginning of 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter.....October 14  
 Prof. Learning, Early Dismiss Grades 9-12.....October 16  
 District night event for parent conferences 9-12.....October 16  
 District night event for parent conferences Pre-K-8.....October 17

APRIL 2020						
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**NOVEMBER**

Teacher Facilitated Prof. Learning, NO School Pre-K – 12....November 25  
 NO School Pre-K – 12.....November 26  
 Thanksgiving Break, Schools/Offices Closed.....November 25-29

MAY 2020						
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**DECEMBER**

Semester Exams Grades 9-12,.....December 18,19,20  
 End of Semester, Early Dis. K - 12/Teacher Workday.....December 20  
 NO School for Pre-K.....December 20  
 Winter Break, Schools/Offices Closed.....December 23-31

JUNE 2020						
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**Teacher Contract Days**  
 194 - New Teachers  
 191- Returning Teachers  
 (Includes 4 snow days)

**Student Days Per Quarter**  
 1<sup>st</sup> – 43    2<sup>nd</sup> – 45  
 3<sup>rd</sup> – 46    4<sup>th</sup> – 43

**TOTAL DAYS 177**

**JANUARY**

Winter Break, Schools/Offices Closed.....January 1-2  
 Teacher Facilitated Prof. Learning, NO School Pre-K – 12.....January 3  
 Teacher Workday, NO School Pre-K – 12.....January 6  
 Beginning of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter.....January 7  
 Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Schools/Offices Closed.....January 20

**FEBRUARY**

District night event for parent conferences 9-12.....February 5  
 District night event for parent conferences Pre-K-8.....February 6  
 Presidents’ Day, Schools/Offices Closed.....February 17  
 Professional Learning, NO School Pre-K – 12.....February 18

**MARCH**

End of 3<sup>rd</sup>, Early Dis 9-12; NO School Pre-K-8/Teacher Wrkdy....March 13  
 Spring Break.....March 16-20  
 Beginning of 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter.....March 23

**APRIL**

NO School Grades Pre-K – 12.....April 10  
 Professional Learning, NO School Pre-K – 12.....April 13

**MAY**

Early Dismissal Grades K-8/ Professional Learning.....May 1  
 NO School Pre-K.....May 1  
 Professional Learning/NO School Grades Pre-K – 12.....May 4  
 Final Exams 9-11.....May 21,22,26  
 Last Day for Pre-K.....May 22  
 Memorial Day, Schools/Offices Closed.....May 25  
 Last Day, Early Dismissal Grades K – 11.....May 26  
 Last Day for Teachers.....May 27

**Graduation: May 12: SME @ SMN 7 p.m.; SMS @ SMS 8 p.m.; May 13**  
**SMN @ SMN 7 p.m.; SMW @ SMS 7 p.m. May 14: Horizons @ Horizons**  
**6:30 p.m.; SMNW @ SMN 7 p.m.**

**Offices Closed – Holiday/Break**

**No School for Students – All Day**

**Read Narrative for Information**

Start of quarter

End of quarter

## **REGULAR SCHOOL HOURS**

Kindergarten----- 8:10 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.  
Pre-kindergarten----- 8:15 a.m. - 11 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. - 3 p.m.  
Elementary School ----- 8:10 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.  
Middle School ----- 8:45 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.  
High School ----- 7:40 a.m. - 2:40 p.m.

## **EARLY DISMISSAL HOURS**

Kindergarten ----- 8:10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Elementary School ----- 8:10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Middle School ----- 8:45 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.  
High School ----- 7:40 a.m. - 1:10 p.m.

## **BUS INFORMATION**

In accordance with state statute, the district offers free transportation to students living more than 2.5 miles from the school in their regular attendance area. Families living closer than 2.5 miles may contract for transportation with the local bus company.

## **PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES**

Consistent communication between parents and teachers is key to students' academic success. The district adjusted the way it conducted communication between teachers and parents in 2017-18. Instead of a single designated conference day that can be difficult for working parents, our teachers will hold conference times throughout the year as needed in addition to the designated fall and spring evening conferences. Teachers or parents can make appointments before, during or after school. Conferences can be held in person, through FaceTime or a WebEx.

## **INCLEMENT WEATHER PROCEDURES**

When school must be closed because of inclement weather, the district will notify all area radio and television stations.

When the decision is made during the evening prior to the day of closing, the information will be provided to the media for broadcast on the 10 p.m. television newscasts and on radio. If the decision is made after 10 p.m., the information will be provided to radio and television stations for broadcast on the 6 a.m. and subsequent newscasts on the day of the cancellation.

For school closing information, call the district's 24-Hour Information Hotline at (913) 993-7380, visit [www.smsd.org](http://www.smsd.org), watch district cable television channels, sign up for SMSD Alert or join the district's social networking pages found on Facebook and Twitter. If you do not hear an announcement from the media or through district communication outlets, assume school will be in session.

Please make arrangements for your child's care in advance. This is particularly important for those rare occasions when school must be dismissed early due to

emergency or because extreme weather conditions develop after students have arrived at school.

For your child's safety on early dismissal days, please inform your school principal in advance about the procedure to be followed if you cannot be reached during the school day.

- Facebook: [www.facebook.com/thesmsd](http://www.facebook.com/thesmsd)
- Twitter: [www.twitter.com/thesmsd](http://www.twitter.com/thesmsd)
- SMTV: Spectrum channel 2 (98- 2) and 18 (98- 18), Consolidated Communications channel 18, & AT&T U-Verse channel 99

## **SUPERINTENDENT**

Michael Fulton, Ed.D.

## **CALENDAR CHANGES**

The board of education reserves the right to change the school calendar to respond to emergencies or other unforeseen circumstances that affect the educational program or students' welfare. This calendar includes four inclement weather days. The most current calendar is always available online at [www.smsd.org](http://www.smsd.org).

Calendar is subject to changes and/or updates.

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