

**MAHWAH TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2025-2026 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

| SEPTEMBER |    |    |    |    | OCTOBER |    |    |    |     | NOVEMBER |    |     |    |    | DECEMBER |     |    |    |    | JANUARY |     |     |     |    |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|---------|----|----|----|-----|----------|----|-----|----|----|----------|-----|----|----|----|---------|-----|-----|-----|----|
| M         | T  | W  | T  | F  | M       | T  | W  | T  | F   | M        | T  | W   | T  | F  | M        | T   | W  | T  | F  | M       | T   | W   | T   | F  |
| 1         | 2+ | 3+ | 4  | 5  | 6       | 7  | 8  | 2  | 3   | 3*       | 4* | 5*  | 6  | 7  | 1        | 2   | 3  | 4  | 5  | 1       | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5  |
| 8         | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13+     | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17  | 10       | 11 | 12  | 13 | 14 | 8        | 9   | 10 | 11 | 12 | 5       | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9  |
| 15        | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20      | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24  | 17       | 18 | 19  | 20 | 21 | 15       | 16  | 17 | 18 | 19 | 12      | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16 |
| 22        | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27      | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31  | 24       | 25 | 26* | 27 | 28 | 22       | 23* | 24 | 25 | 26 | 19      | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23 |
| 29        | 30 |    |    |    |         |    |    |    |     | 29       | 30 | 31  |    |    | 29       | 30  | 31 |    |    | 26+     | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30 |
| FEBRUARY  |    |    |    |    | MARCH   |    |    |    |     | APRIL    |    |     |    |    | MAY      |     |    |    |    | JUNE    |     |     |     |    |
| M         | T  | W  | T  | F  | M       | T  | W  | T  | F   | M        | T  | W   | T  | F  | M        | T   | W  | T  | F  | M       | T   | W   | T   | F  |
| 2         | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 2       | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6   | 6        | 7  | 8   | 9  | 10 | 4        | 5   | 6  | 7  | 8  | 1       | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5  |
| 9         | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 9       | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13* | 13       | 14 | 15  | 16 | 17 | 11       | 12  | 13 | 14 | 15 | 8       | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12 |
| 16        | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 16      | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20  | 20       | 21 | 22  | 23 | 24 | 18       | 19  | 20 | 21 | 22 | 15      | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19 |
| 23        | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 23      | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27  | 27       | 28 | 29  | 30 | 25 | 26       | 27  | 28 | 29 | 22 | 23      | 24* | 25* | 26+ |    |
|           |    |    |    |    | 30      | 31 |    |    |     |          |    |     |    |    | 29       | 30  |    |    |    | 29      | 30  |     |     |    |

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|-----------|-------|--|-------------|--------------|---|
| September | 1     | Labor Day – Schools Closed                                   | January     | 1,2          | New Year’s Day – Schools Closed                               |
|           | 2     | (Staff Only) Opening Day for Staff/School Meetings           |             | 19           | Martin Luther King Day – Schools Closed                       |
|           | 3     | (Staff Only)   |             | 26           | Staff Development Day -Schools Closed for Students            |
|           | 4     | Schools Open   | February    | 16-17        | Winter Recess/President’s Day/Lunar New Year – Schools Closed |
|           | 23    | Rosh Hashanah- - Schools Closed                              | March       | 13           | Single Session for Students - Staff Development               |
| October   | 2     | Yom Kippur – Schools Closed                                  |             | 20           | Eid al-Fitr – Schools Closed                                  |
|           | 13    | Staff Development/Columbus Day – Schools Closed for Students | April       | 30,31        | Spring Recess – Schools Closed                                |
|           | 20    | Diwali – Schools Closed                                      |             | 1,2          | Spring Recess – Schools Closed                                |
| November  | 3 – 5 | Parent/Teacher Conferences PreK-5 Single Session PreK-5 only |             | 3            | Good Friday – Schools Closed                                  |
|           | 6,7   | NJEA Convention – Schools Closed                             | May         | 25           | Memorial Day - Schools Closed                                 |
|           | 26    | Single Session   | June        | 24           | Single Session for Students                                   |
|           | 27,28 | Thanksgiving Recess – Schools Closed                         |             | 24           | Grade 8 Promotion Exercises                                   |
| December  | 23    | Single Session   |             | 25           | Last Day of School - Single Session for Students              |
|           | 24-31 | Holiday Recess – Schools Closed                              |             | 25           | High School Graduation  |
|           |       |  |             | 26           | Last Day for Staff  |
|           |       |  | <b>Key:</b> | <b>Boxed</b> | - School Not in Session                                       |
|           |       |  |             | *            | - Single Session  |
|           |       |  |             | +            | - Teacher Days  |

- ♦ Education law provides for a minimum of 180 student school days. This calendar allows for four (4) snow days. In the event where additional snow days are needed, it may be necessary to conduct school on Monday, March 30, Tuesday, March 31, Wednesday, April 1, Thursday, April 2 (Days will be added in that order.) However, without compromising the safety of students or staff, we will make every effort to maintain the full week for spring recess. If no snow days are used, a day or days off will be added to the calendar.

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**2025-2026 SCHOOL OPENING/CLOSING/EARLY DISMISSAL TIMES**

|  | Regular Opening/<br>Closing Time | Delayed Opening/<br>Closing Time | Early Dismissal/<br>Single Session |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Mahwah High School Band/Choir/Orchestra Period     | 6:54 - 7:34                      |                                  | 6:54 - 7:34                        |
| Mahwah High School                                 | 7:40 - 2:17                      | 9:40 - 2:17                      | 7:40 - 12:22                       |
| Mahwah High School Academic/Activity Period No. 10 | 2:20 - 2:37                      | 2:20 - 2:37                      |                                    |
| Ramapo Ridge Middle School                         | 8:00 - 2:40                      | 10:00 - 2:40                     | 8:00 - 12:50                       |
| Joyce Kilmer School                                | 8:52 - 3:22                      | 10:52 - 3:22                     | 8:52 - 1:22                        |
| Betsy Ross School                                  | 8:42 - 3:12                      | 10:42 - 3:12                     | 8:42 - 1:20                        |
| George Washington School                           | 8:42 - 3:12                      | 10:42 - 3:12                     | 8:42 - 1:20                        |
| Lenape Meadows School                              | 8:50 - 3:20                      | 10:50 - 3:20                     | 8:50 - 1:28                        |
| Preschool a.m.                                     | 9:00 - 11:30                     | AM SESSION CANCELED              | 9:00 - 11:30                       |
| Preschool p.m.                                     | 12:50 - 3:20                     | 12:50 - 3:20                     | PM SESSION CANCELED                |

**SCHOOL CLOSING/DELAYED OPENING/EARLY DISMISSAL INFORMATION**

**When weather conditions prevent us from opening schools at the regular time, the following procedure will be put into effect:**

1. Announcement of our schools' closing, two-hour delayed opening, or early dismissal will be made through the One Call Now automated calling system and posted on our website: [www.mahwah.k12.nj.us](http://www.mahwah.k12.nj.us). It will also appear on NBC Channel 4 News, ABC Channel 7 News and News 12. See schedule above for school times.
2. In the event you missed the One Call Now message or it was not delivered properly, you can call 1-877-698-3261 to retrieve the message.
3. Residents may also call the schools for a prerecorded message.
4. On a delayed opening day:
  - Bused students should report to their assigned stop two hours later than usual.
  - Zero period at Mahwah High School is canceled on delayed opening days. Also, the late bus at Mahwah High School is canceled on a high school single session day.
  - On a delayed opening day, all schools will serve a cafeteria lunch. (Menu may change on such days.)
  - On delayed opening days, there will be no morning preschool classes, afternoon preschool students will attend at their normal time.
  - On single session days, morning preschool classes will attend at their normal time, there will be no afternoon preschool class
5. PLEASE DO NOT CALL THE LOCAL POLICE.