

**MAHWAH TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS
2026-2027 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

AUG & SEPT.					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		
31	1	2	3	4				1	2	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4					1			
7	8	9	10	11	5	6	7	8	9	9	10	11	12	13	7	8	9	10	11	4	5	6	7	8		
14	15	16	17	18	12	13	14	15	16	16	17	18	19	20	14	15	16	17	18	11	12	13	14	15		
21	22	23	24	25	19	20	21	22	23	23	24	25	26	27	21	22	23	24	25	18	19	20	21	22		
28	29	30			26	27	28	29	30	30					28	29	30	31		25	26	27	28	29		
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		
1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5				1	2	3	4	5	6	7				1	2	3	4
8	9	10	11	12	8	9	10	11	12	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	7	8	9	10	11		
15	16	17	18	19	15	16	17	18	19	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	14	15	16	17	18		
22	23	24	25	26	22	23	24	25	26	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	21	22	23	24	25		
					29	30	31			26	27	28	29	30	31					28	29	30				

August 25- 27 (Staff Only) Opening Day for Staff/School Meetings
 September 1 Schools Open
 4 Single Session
 7 Labor Day – Schools Closed
 21 Yom Kippur – Schools Closed
 October 12 Staff Development/Columbus Day – School Closed
 November 2,3,4 Parent/Teacher Conferences PreK-5
 Single Session PreK-5 only
 5, 6 NJEA Convention – Schools Closed
 25 Single Session
 26,27 Thanksgiving Recess – Schools Closed
 December 23 Single Session
 24-31 Holiday Recess - Schools Closed

January 1 New Year's Day – Schools Closed
 14 Single Session for Students & SD in PM
 18 Martin Luther King Day - Schools Closed
 February 15-16 Presidents' Day/Winter Recess – Schools Closed
 March 9 Eid-Al-Fitr – Staff Development Day - Schools Closed for Students/PD Day
 March 26 Good Friday – Schools Closed
 March 29-31 Spring Recess – Schools Closed
 April 1 – 2 Spring Recess – Schools Closed
 May 31 Memorial Day Weekend - Schools Closed
 June 17 Single Session for Students
 17 Grade 8 Promotion Exercises
 18 Last Day of School - Single Session for Students
 18 High School Graduation

Key:	School Not in Session
	Single Session
	Teacher PD Days, no students
	Single Session for PreK-5 Only
	Single Session for Students & Staff Development in PM

Education law provides for a minimum of 180 student school days. This calendar allows for four (4) snow days. In the event additional snow days are needed, it may be necessary to conduct school on Friday, April 2nd, Thursday, April 1st, Wednesday, March 31st, Tuesday, March 30th and Monday, March 29th. (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.

**MAHWAH TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS
2026-2027 SCHOOL OPENING/CLOSING/EARLY DISMISSAL TIMES**

	Regular Opening/ Closing Time	Delayed Opening/ Closing Time	Early Dismissal/ 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 regular times, the following procedure will be put into effect:

- 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. It will also appear on NBC Channel 4 News, ABC Channel 7 News, and News 12. See the schedule above for school times.
- 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.
- Residents may also call the schools for a prerecorded message.
- 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
- PLEASE DO NOT CALL THE LOCAL POLICE.