## NORWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2023-2024 School Calendar

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Sep 4	Labor Day - Closed
Sep 5	No School- Convocation- Students Not In Session
Sep 6	First Day of School: Grades 1-12/Kindergarten Orientation
Sep 7	Preschool Orientation
Sep 8	Classes Begin for Kindergarten & Preschool
Sep 18	No School: Professional Day
Oct 9	No School -Columbus/Indigenous Peoples' Day
Oct 17	Early Release Professional Development
Nov 7	No School: Professional Day (Voting Day)
Nov 10	No School -Veterans Day- Observed
Nov 16	Early Release -All School (Parent Conferences)
Nov 22	Early Release- All Schools
Nov 23-24	No School - Thanksgiving Break
Dec 14	Early Release- Professional Development
Dec 22	Early Release- All Schools
Dec 25-29	No School- Winter Break
Jan 1	No School-New Year's Day Observed
Jan 2	No School- Professional Development Day

Jan 15	No School- M.L. King, Jr. Day
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Jan 23	Early Release Professional Development
Feb 7	Early Release Professional Development
Feb 14	Preschool ONLY- Parent Conferences
Feb 19-23	No School- February Vacation
Mar 7	Early Release Gr 6-12 Professional Development
Mar 7	Early Release K-5 Parent Conferences
Mar 29	No School- Good Friday
Apr 15-19	No School- Spring Vacation
May 3	Early Release-Professional Development
May 9	No School-Kindergarten- ONLY- Screening
May 10	No School-Kindergarten- ONLY- Screening
May 27	No School- Memorial Day
May 31	Tentative High School Class Day
Jun 2	High School Graduation Day
Jun 19	No School-Juneteenth
Jun 20	Early Release-180th Day
Jun 27	185th Additional 5 days if needed

No School Vacation/ Hoilday/Prof Dev Day

Early Release- Prof Dev Day/Holiday

The Massachusetts Department of Education requires that school calendars show a schedule 185 days school year\*\* Represents each additional day of the five days included for snow/emergency

School Committee Approved 2/15/2023

Reverse side for 2023-2024 Holiday Observances in Massachusetts.

	LMPA	Willett	Elem	CMS	NHS			
Arrival	8:30 12:00 8:10		7:50	8:45	8:15			
	LMPA	Willett	Elem	CMS	NHS			
Dismissal	11:00 1:30 2:30	1:40 2:05		3:20	2:50			
Early Release Prof Dev Day/Holiday								
	LMPA	Willett	Elem	CMS	NHS			
	11:00	11:10	11:40	12:30	12:00			

## 2023-2024 HOLIDAY OBSERVANCES IN MASSACHUSETTS

(Statewide Legal Holidays are in Red)

This list does not include all religious holidays observed by each faith. State and federal law require schools to make reasonable accommodation to the religious needs of students and employees in observance of holy days. For information on other religious holidays observed by members of religions represented in your school community, please see <a href="http://www.interfaith-calendar.org">http://www.interfaith-calendar.org</a> or contact local clergy. School vacations are determined by school districts and charter schools.

Labor Day	Monday	September 4, 2023
Rosh Hashanah*	Friday/Sunday	September 15-17, 2023
Yom Kippur*	Sunday	September 24, 2023
Sukkot* -	Friday/Friday	September 29-October 6, 2023
Columbus Day	Monday	October 9, 2023
Veterans' Day	Friday	November 10, 2023 (observed)
Diwali	Sunday	November 12, 2023
Thanksgiving	Thursday	November 23, 2023
Chanukah*	Thursday/Friday	December 7-15, 2023
Christmas Day	Monday	December 25, 2023
Kwanzaa	Tuesday/Monday	December 26-January 1, 2024
New Year's Day	Monday	January 1, 2024
ML King, Jr. Day	Monday	January 15, 2024
Lunar New Year	Saturday	February 10, 2024
Ash Wednesday	Wednesday	February 14, 2024
Presidents' Day	Monday	February 19, 2024
Ramadan**	Sunday (begins)	March 10, 2024
Evacuation Day***	Monday	March 18, 2024 (observed)
Ramadan**	Tuesday (ends)	April 9, 2024
2019 Vernal Equinox	Tuesday	March 19, 2024
Palm Sunday	Sunday	March 24, 2024
Good Friday	Friday	March 29, 2024
Orthodox Good	Friday	March 29, 2024
Easter	Sunday	March 31, 2024
Eid al-Fitr** T	uesday/Wednesday	April 9-10, 2024
Patriots' Day	Monday	April 15, 2024
Passover*	Monday	April 22, 2024
Orthodox Easter	Sunday	May 5, 2024
Shavuot* Tl	nursday/Saturday	May 25-27, 2024
Memorial Day	Monday	May 27, 2024
Eid al-Adha**	Sunday/Monday	June 16-17, 2024
Bunker Hill Day***	Monday	June 17, 2024
Independence Day	Thursday	July 4, 2024

<sup>\*</sup>All Jewish holidays begin at sundown on the evening prior to the day of the holiday. In addition to dates noted, observant Jews celebrate the second, seventh and eighth days of Passover; the second, eighth and ninth days of Sukkot; and two days of Shavuot. Mass. Lawyers Diary and Manual.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Due to the lunar calendar these are only approximate dates.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Previous legal holiday in Suffolk County.