# Gwinnett County Public Schools

# 2011-2012 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

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| **4 Independence Day**  **(Systemwide Holiday)**  **25 New Teacher Orientation**  **26-29 New Teachers Report**  **27 Administrative Staff**  **Meeting** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | JULY 2011 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | JANUARY 2012 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |  |  | | **2 Teacher Planning/Staff**  **Development [#7]**  **(Student Holiday)**  **3 Begin 2nd Semester/**  **3rd Nine Weeks/4th Sixth**  **Weeks [Day 89]**  16 **MLK Jr. Day**  **(Systemwide Holiday)** |
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| **1-5 Required Pre-planning/**  **Staff Development**  **[#1-5]**  **8 First Day of School**  **Begin 1st Six Weeks/**  **1stNine Weeks/**  **1st Semester** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | AUGUST 2011 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | FEBRUARY 2012 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |  |  |  | | **16 End of 4th Six Weeks**  **[Day120]**  **17 Student/Teacher Holiday**  **Snow Make-up Day/**  **Priority 1, Teacher Planning-**  **Staff Dev. Make-up Day**  **Priority 1**  **20 Student/Teacher**  **Holiday/Presidents Day**  **21 Begin 5th Six Weeks [Day 121]**  **27-28 Early Release-Middle and**  **Elementary Schools** |
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| **5 Labor Day**  **(Systemwide Holiday)**  **16 End of 1st Six Weeks**  **[Day 29]**  **19 Begin 2nd Six Weeks**  **[Day 30]** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | SEPTEMBER 2011 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | MARCH 2012 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | **12 Teacher Planning/Staff Dev. Day   [#8] OR proposed furlough day\*   (Student Holiday)**  **13 End of 3rd Nine Weeks**  **[Day 135]**  **14 Begin 4th Nine Weeks**  **[Day 136]**  **29 End of 5th Six Weeks**  **[Day 147]**  **30 Student/Teacher Holiday**  **Snow Make-up Day/**  **Priority 2** |
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| **3-4 Early Release-Middle**  **and Elementary Schools**  **7 End of 1st Nine Weeks**  **[Day 44]**  **10 Teacher Planning/ Staff Dev. Day   [#6] OR proposed furlough day\*   (Student Holiday)**  **11 Begin 2nd Nine Weeks**  **[Day 45]**  **28 End of 2nd Six Weeks**  **[Day 58]**  **31 Begin 3rd Six Weeks**  **[Day 59]** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | OCTOBER 2011 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | | 30 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | APRIL 2012 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | | 29 | 30 |  |  |  |  |  | | **2-6 Spring Break**  **(School Holidays)**  **9 Begin 6th Six Weeks**  **[Day 148]** |
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| **21-25 Thanksgiving Break**  **(School Holidays)** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | NOVEMBER 2011 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |  |  |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | MAY 2012 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |  |  | | **21-23 Early Release for High**  **School Exams**  **23 Last Day of School**  **[Day 180]**  **24-25 Teacher Post-planning/**  **Staff Development**  **[#9 and 10]**  **May 24-Snow Make-up**  **Day/ Priority 3**  **28 Memorial Day (System-**  **wide Holiday)**  **29 Teacher Planning-Staff Dev. Make-up Day/Priority 2**  **30 Teacher Planning-Staff Dev. Make-up Day/Priority 3** |
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| **14-16 Early Release for High**  **School Exams**  **16 End of 3rd Six Weeks,**  **2nd Nine Weeks,**  **1st Semester [Day 88]**  **19-30 Winter Break**  **(School Holidays)**  **19-20 Proposed furlough days\*   for 12-month staff** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | DECEMBER 2011 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | JUNE 2012 | | | | | | | | S | M | T | W | Th | F | S | |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2 | | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | **12-Month Employee Holidays 2011-12**  **July 4 Independence Day**  **Sept. 5 Labor Day**  **Nov. 24-25 Thanksgiving**  **Dec. 21-29 Winter Break**  **Dec. 30 New Year’s Day Holiday**  **Jan. 16 MLK Jr. Day**  **April 6 Spring Holiday**  **May 28 Memorial Day** |

**Student/Teacher Holidays**

**Teacher Planning/Staff Development/Student Holiday**

**First and Last Day of School**

**\***The following dates have been identified as planned furlough days, only if necessary, based on shortfalls in funding sources**:**

**School Personnel – Oct. 10 and March 12 12 month Employees – Dec. 19 and 20**