

Denver Public Schools

**2008-2009 Important Calendar Dates**

**2008**

Independence Day (district-wide holiday; schools/offices closed) .....	July 4
Vacation (no classes for students).....	August 1-15
Walk-In Registration (secondary).....	August 11-12
Professional Day (no classes for students).....	August 13
Planning Day (no classes for students) .....	August 14-15
1st Day of School.....	August 18
Labor Day (district-wide holiday; schools/offices closed) .....	September 1
Professional Day (no classes for students).....	September 19
Parent/Teacher Conference Day (no classes for students).....	October 29
Vacation (fall mini-break; schools closed) .....	October 30, 31
Veterans' Day (district-wide holiday, schools/office closed).....	November 10
Thanksgiving Day (district-wide holiday; schools/offices closed) .....	November 26-28
1st Semester Ends .....	December 19
Professional Day (no classes for students).....	December 19
Vacation (winter break, schools closed) .....	December 20-January 4
Vacation (winter break, schools/office closed) .....	December 24-26

**2009**

Vacation (winter break, schools/offices closed) .....	January 1-2
Planning Day (no classes for students) .....	January 5
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (district-wide holiday; schools/offices closed) .....	January 19
Presidents' Day (district-wide holiday; schools/offices closed).....	February 16
Planning Day (no classes for students) .....	February 17
Cesar Chavez Day (district-wide holiday; schools/offices closed).....	March 23
Vacation (spring break; schools closed) .....	March 23-27
Vacation (spring break; schools/offices closed) .....	March 23-25
½ Planning and ½ Focus on Student Achievement Day (no classes for students) .....	April 17
Late Start for Students .....	April 21
Assessment Day (no classes for Elementary, K-8 and Middle School students) .....	May 1
Late Start for Students .....	May 15
Memorial Day (district-wide holiday, schools/offices closed).....	May 25
Assessment Day (no classes for High School students) .....	May 29
2nd Semester Ends (full day for Elementary, K-8 and Middle School students only).....	May 29