

## *Christina School District Calendar 2011 -2012*

JULY 2011	
July 4 (Mon)	SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Independence Day
AUGUST 2011	
August 15 (Mon)	DCAS Testing • Fall Online Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
August 17 -18 (Wed-Thu)	New Teacher Orientation
August 22-25 (Mon-Thu)	Professional Development
August 22 (Mon)	Back to School Barbeque, Glasgow High School, 5:00-7:00 pm <i>(Rain date: Tuesday, August 23)</i>
August 23 (Tue)	Employee Back to School Event, Glasgow High School Two sessions: 8:00 am-9:30 am and 1:00 pm-2:30 pm
August 24 (Wed)	Back to School Barbeque, Bayard Middle School, 5:00-7:00 pm <i>(Rain date: Thursday, August 25)</i>
August 29 (Mon)	<b>ORIENTATION DAY</b> • Preschool and Kindergarten <i>(Orientation times are determined at each school site)</i>  <b>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL:</b> • Grades 1-6 and Grade 9 • Grades K-12, Delaware Autism Program (DAP) • Grades K-12, Delaware School for the Deaf (DSD) • Grades K-12, REACH Program
August 30 (Tue)	<b>ALL STUDENTS ATTEND SCHOOL</b> • Preschool through Grade 12
SEPTEMBER 2011	
September 2 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED / OFFICES OPEN
September 5 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Labor Day
September 12 (Mon)	Open House: Middle Schools
September 15 (Thu)	Open House: High Schools
September 19 (Mon)	Open House: Elementary Schools  DCAS Testing • Alt-1 Fall Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
September 20 (Tue)	Open House: Elementary Schools
September 21 (Wed)	Open House: Elementary Schools
September 27 (Tue)	Open House: Special Schools
September 29 (Thu)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED / OFFICES OPEN
OCTOBER 2011	
October 3 (Mon)	DCAS Testing • Fall Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
October 5 (Wed)	High School Fair, 6:00-8:00 pm, Shue-Medill Middle School
October 7 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Professional Development
October 12 (Wed)	In-School PSAT Testing, Grade 9-11
October 19 (Wed)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Transition to Adult Life Fair, 5:00-8:30 pm, Newark High School
October 20 (Thu)	DCAS Testing • Fall Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>

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<b>OCTOBER 2011</b>	
October 21 (Fri)	Christina School District Day of Kindness
October 27 (Thu)	DCAS Testing • Alt-1 Fall Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
October 28 (Fri)	1 <sup>st</sup> Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)  DCAS Testing • Fall Online Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
<b>NOVEMBER 2011</b>	
November 1-30	CSD College Awareness Month
November 1 (Tue)	Choice Application Period Begins for 2012-2013 School Year, Grades K-11
November 9 (Wed)	College Fair, 6:00-8:00 pm, Glasgow High School
November 11 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Veterans' Day
November 16 (Wed)	Middle School Fair, 6:00-8:00 pm, Shue-Medill Middle School  AVID Shadow Day
November 18 (Fri)	PK SCHOOLS CLOSED - Parent Conferences • K-12 Schools in Session  1 <sup>st</sup> Trimester Ends (Trimester Schools)
November 21 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Parent Conferences
November 22 (Tue)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED • Parent Conferences (PK-8) • Professional Development (9-12) • Paraprofessionals Off
November 23 (Wed)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED / OFFICES OPEN
November 24 -25 (Thu-Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Thanksgiving Holiday
<b>DECEMBER 2011</b>	
December 5 (Mon)	DCAS Testing • Winter Online Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
December 22 (Thu)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development • Paraprofessionals Off
December 23-30 (Fri–Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Winter Holiday
December 23 & 26 (Fri & Mon)	OFFICES CLOSED
December 30 (Fri )	OFFICES CLOSED
<b>JANUARY 2012</b>	
January 2 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED
January 11 (Wed)	State Deadline for School Choice Applications for 2012-2013 School Year, Grades K-11
January 16 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Martin Luther King Holiday  DCAS Testing • Winter Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
January 17, 18, 19, 20 (Tue-Fri)	Early Dismissal - High Schools - Semester Exams
January 20 (Fri)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)

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<b>JANUARY 2012</b>	
January 27 (Fri)	DCAS Testing • Winter Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
<b>FEBRUARY 2012</b>	
February 7 (Tue)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Professional Development
February 10 (Fri)	DCAS Testing • Winter Online Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
February 17 (Fri)	PK-8 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Parent Conferences (High Schools in Session)
February 20 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Presidents' Day
February 27 (Mon)	DCAS Testing • Spring Online Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10</i>
<b>MARCH 2012</b>	
March 2 (Fri)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Trimester Ends (Trimester Schools)
March 16 (Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED – Professional Development
March 23 (Fri)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Ends (4 Marking Period Schools)
<b>APRIL 2012</b>	
April 6 - 13 (Fri- Fri)	PK-12 SCHOOLS CLOSED - Spring Break
April 6-9 (Fri-Mon)	OFFICES CLOSED
April 16 (Mon)	DCAS Testing • Alt-1 Spring Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10; Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10; Social Studies: Grades 4, 7 and 9</i> • Opportunity 1 Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i> • Online Test Window Opens <i>Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10</i>
April 18 (Wed)	In-School SAT Day, Grade 11
April 24 (Tue)	Annual District Art Show Opening Reception, 6:00-8:00 pm, Gauger-Cobbs Middle School
April 25, 26, 27 & 30 (Wed-Mon)	Annual District Art Show, 7:00 am-3:30 pm, Gauger-Cobbs Middle School
April 26 (Thu)	District Elementary Science Fair, McVey Elementary School  In-School SAT Make-Up Day, Grade 11
April 30 (Mon)	DCAS Testing • Opportunity 1 Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i>
<b>MAY 2012</b>	
May 1 (Tue)	Annual District Art Show, 7:00 am-2:00 pm, Gauger-Cobbs Middle School  DCAS Testing • End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Online Test Window Opens <i>Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History</i> • End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Independent Field Test Window Opens <i>Integrated Math III</i>
May 2 (Wed)	District's Annual 24 Challenge - Grades 2-4 ( <i>Location TBD</i> )
May 3 (Thu)	District's Annual 24 Challenge - Grades 5-8 ( <i>Location TBD</i> )

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<b>MAY 2012</b>	
May 7 (Mon)	DCAS Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opportunity 2 Pencil/Paper Test Window Opens <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i></li> <li>• Pencil/Paper Test Window Opens <i>Science: Grades 5, 8, and 10</i></li> <li>• End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens <i>Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History</i></li> </ul>
May 21 (Mon)	DCAS Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online and Paper/Pencil Test Window Opens <i>Social Studies: Grades 4 and 7</i></li> </ul>
May 23 (Wed)	DCAS Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opportunity 2 Pencil/Paper Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 3-10</i></li> <li>• Pencil/Paper Test Window Closes <i>Science: Grades 5, 8, and 10</i></li> <li>• End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes <i>Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History</i></li> </ul>
May 28 (Mon)	PK-12 SCHOOLS & OFFICES CLOSED - Memorial Day Holiday
May 31 (Thu)	DCAS Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alt-1 Spring Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10; Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10;</i> <i>Social Studies: Grades 4, 7 and 9</i></li> </ul>
<b>JUNE 2012</b>	
June 1 (Fri)	DCAS Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spring Online Test Window Closes <i>Reading and Mathematics: Grades 2-10</i></li> <li>• Online Test Window Closes <i>Science: Grades 5, 8 and 10</i></li> <li>• End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Online Test Window Closes <i>Integrated Math I, English II, Biology, U.S. History</i></li> <li>• End-of-Course Block 2 Full Year Independent Field Test Window Closes <i>Integrated Math III</i></li> <li>• Online and Paper/Pencil Test Window Closes <i>Social Studies: Grades 4 and 7</i></li> </ul>
June 4 (Mon)	Christiana High School Graduation
June 5 (Tues)	Newark High School Graduation
June 6 (Wed)	Glasgow High School Graduation
June 7-12 (Thu-Tue)	Early Dismissal – High School Exams
June 7 (Thurs)	Brennen, Delaware Autism Program (DAP) Graduation – Afternoon Sterck, Delaware School for the Deaf (DSD) Graduation – Evening
June 8 (Fri)	Last PK Student Day* Groves Adult High School Graduation
June 12 (Tue)	Last K-11 Student Day – Early Dismissal*
June 13 (Wed)	Last Teacher Day* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paraprofessionals Off</li> </ul>

\* Subject to change based on weather related contingencies