

HAMILTON COUNTY SCHOOL CALENDAR: 2015–16
(Approved by School Board: 11/20/14)

OPENING DATE – AUGUST 6, 2015

SCHOOL DAYS – 180

CLOSING DATE – MAY 27, 2016

1ST TERM – 83 DAYS

August 6, Thursday	-----	Administrative In-Service #1 (School-Based)	NO STUDENTS
August 7, Friday	-----	Administrative In-Service #2 (School-Based)	NO STUDENTS
August 10, Monday	-----	Administrative In-Service #3	
		Registration Day for Students (no classes)	
August 11, Tuesday	-----	Administrative In-Service #4 (System-Wide)	NO STUDENTS
August 12, Wednesday	-----	Administrative In-Service #5 (School-Based)	NO STUDENTS
August 13, Thursday	-----	First Full Day of School	
September 7, Monday	-----	Labor Day (Paid Holiday #1)	
October 2, Friday	-----	End of 1 st Quarter (36 Days)	
October 5 – 9	-----	Fall Break (5 Non-Paid Days)	
Oct 12 – Nov 30	-----	Schools choose <u>one</u> extended day (3.5 hours) for Parent-Tchr Conferences (FIRST half [½] of Administrative In-Service #6)	
October 16, Friday	-----	Report Cards	
November 25 – 27	-----	Thanksgiving Holiday – (1 Non-Paid, Paid Holiday #2 and #3)	
December 17, Thursday	-----	Last Day of Classes before Winter Holidays	
December 18, Friday	-----	Teacher Professional Development #1 (School-Based)	NO STUDENTS
		End of 2 nd Quarter (47 Days)	
December 21 – January 1, 2016	-----	Winter Break (10 Paid Days)	

2ND TERM – 97 DAYS

January 4, Monday	-----	Teacher Professional Development #2 (School-Based)	NO STUDENTS
January 5, Tuesday	-----	Teacher Professional Development #3 (System-Wide)	NO STUDENTS
January 6, Wednesday	-----	School Reopens	
January 8, Friday	-----	Report Cards	
January 18, Monday	-----	Martin Luther King Day (Paid Holiday #4)	
Feb 1 – March 18	-----	Schools choose <u>one</u> extended day (3.5 hours) for Parent-Tchr Conferences (SECOND half [½] of Administrative In-Service #6)	
February 15, Monday	-----	Presidents' Day (Non-Paid Holiday)	
March 18, Friday	-----	End of 3 rd Quarter (53 Days)	
March 24, Thursday	-----	Report Cards	
March 25, Friday	-----	Spring Holiday (Paid Holiday #5)	
March 28 – April 1, Monday-Friday	-----	Spring Break (5 Non-Paid Days)	
April 6, Wednesday	-----	Kindergarten Pre-Registration and Pre-K Applications	
May 27, Friday	-----	Teacher Professional Development #4 (School-Based)	NO STUDENTS
May 27, Friday	-----	Last Day of School – Report Cards – End of 4 th Quarter (44 days)	

ADMINISTRATIVE IN-SERVICE 2015-16 (6 DAYS)

August 6 and 7 / August 10 – 12, 2015 / Oct 12 – Nov 30 (Schools select one addtl half-day)
February 1 – March 18, 2015 (Schools select one addtl half-day)

PAID VACATION – (10)

December 21, 2015 - January 1, 2016

TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (4 Days) Students do not attend classes.

December 18, 2015
January 4, 2016 / January 5, 2016 (System-Wide)
May 27, 2016

PAID HOLIDAYS – (5)

September 7, 2015
November 26 and 27, 2015
January 18, 2016
March 25, 2016

DAYS TO BE COUNTED EACH GRADING PERIOD

1ST Term

1 st Quarter: 8/6 - 10/2/15	Elem. Mid-Term 9/4	Report Cards 10/16	36
2 nd Quarter: 10/12 - 12/18/15	Elem. Mid-Term 11/13	Report Cards 1/8	47

2ND Term

3 rd Quarter: 1/4 - 3/18/16	Elem. Mid-Term 2/12	Report Cards 3/24	53
4 th Quarter: 3/21 - 5/27/16	Elem. Mid-Term 4/15	Report Cards 5/27	<u>44</u>

SECONDARY PROGRESS REPORTS

1 st Nine Weeks: 8/28 and 9/18
2 nd Nine Weeks: 10/30 and 11/20
3 rd Nine Weeks: 1/29 and 2/19
4 th Nine Weeks: 4/15 and 5/6

TOTAL 180