

Play and Learn School 2025-2026 Holiday and Event Schedule

September 1	<i>Labor Day</i>	School Closed
September 2	<i>Professional Development for Staff</i>	School Closed
September 3	<i>Professional Development for Staff</i>	School Closed
September 4	<i>First Day of School</i>	
September 8	<i>Before and Aftercare Begin</i>	
September 10	<i>Family Engagement – Parent Orientation</i>	5:30pm
October 2	<i>Yom Kippur</i>	School Closed
October 13	<i>Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples Day Observed</i>	School Closed
October 20	<i>Diwali</i>	School Closed
	<i>Professional Development for Staff</i>	
November 6 & 7	<i>NJEA Convention</i>	School Closed
November 10	<i>Veterans' Day Observed</i>	School Closed
November 19	<i>Family Engagement/COR Family Report Review (virtual)</i>	3:30pm – 5:00pm
November 26	<i>Thanksgiving Recess Begins</i>	12:45pm Dismissal*
November 27 & 28	<i>Thanksgiving Recess</i>	School Closed
December 23	<i>Winter Recess Begins</i>	12:45pm Dismissal*
December 24 – January 2	<i>Winter Recess</i>	School Closed
January 5	<i>Classes Resume</i>	
January 19	<i>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Observed</i>	School Closed
February 12	<i>Family Engagement/COR Family Report Review (in-person)</i>	3:30pm – 5:00pm
February 16	<i>Presidents' Day Observed</i>	School Closed
March 19	<i>Professional Development for Staff</i>	12:45pm Dismissal*
March 20	<i>Eid-al-Fitr (Tentative)</i>	School Closed
April 2	<i>Spring Recess Begins</i>	12:45pm Dismissal*
April 3 – 10	<i>Spring Recess</i>	School Closed
April 13	<i>Classes Resume</i>	
April 29	<i>Family Engagement/COR Family Report Review (virtual)</i>	3:30pm – 5:00pm
May 22	<i>Memorial Day Observance Begins</i>	12:45pm Dismissal
May 25	<i>Memorial Day</i>	School Closed
June 16 - 18	<i>Half-Day Sessions (if no emergency days needed)</i>	12:45pm Dismissal
June 19	<i>Juneteenth Observed</i>	School Closed
June 22 - 24	<i>Emergency Days (if needed)</i>	12:45pm Dismissal

Calendar is subject to change. (based on the Jersey City Public Schools calendar)

*No Aftercare for 12:45 Dismissal