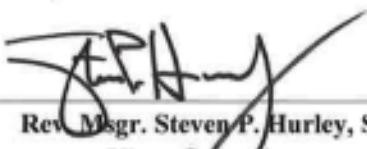


**DIOCESE OF WILMINGTON**  
**OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR**  
**2019-2020**



August 15	Orientation Day for Educators <u>New</u> to the Diocese of Wilmington
August 26	Spirituality Day for <u>All</u> Educators with Bishop W. Francis Malooly
August 27	Option 1 for First Day of School for Students
September 2	Labor Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
September 3	Option 2 for First Day of School for Students
October 14	Columbus Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
October 16	PSAT (Secondary Schools – Grades 9-10-11)
November 27-29	Thanksgiving Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
December 2	Schools Re-open
December 7-8	High School Placement Test (Grade 8)
December 23–January 1	Christmas Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
January 2	Schools Re-open
January 20	Martin Luther King, Jr., Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
January 24	March for Life, Washington, DC
January 26–February 1	Catholic Schools Week – <i>Catholic Schools: Believe. Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.</i>
February 17	Presidents Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
April 9-17	Easter Holiday – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
April 14-16	NCEA Convention, Baltimore, MD – Professional Development Day for Educators
April 20	Schools Re-open
May 25	Memorial Day – All Elementary and Secondary Schools Closed
June 5	Option 1 for Last Day of School for Students
June 12	Option 2 for Last Day of School for Students

This calendar accounts for 180 student instructional days. If additional weather-related or other emergencies occur, adjustments may be made to this calendar. Any local school changes to this calendar must be approved by the Superintendent of Schools.

  
Rev. Msgr. Steven P. Hurley, STL  
Vicar General

  
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Superintendent of Schools

*January 31, 2019*

**Date**