

CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS IN BROOKLYN AND QUEENS 2024 ~ Academic/Administrative Calendar ~ 2025

Schools Closed = Red, PD/Neumann Days = Green, Important Deadlines Dates = Blue

Month	Day	Event/Notes	Day	Event/Notes	
AUGUST 2024	26 Monday	TACHS Registration Opens	FEBRUARY 2025	1 Saturday	(15 Days = 14 Instructional Days + 1 PD Day) Celebrate Catholic Schools Week
	27 Tuesday	Principal Professional Day @ ICC	7 Friday	12 Wednesday	Diocesan PD Day #3 – Data Day on Local Level (Academies/Parish Schools Closed)
	28 Wednesday		17-21 Mon.-Fri.	24 Monday	Second Trimester Progress Reports sent home Mid-Winter Recess – Academies/Parish Schools Closed Classes Resume
SEPTEMBER 2024	2 Monday	(19 Days = 19 Instructional Days) Labor Day – Academies/Parish Schools Closed	MARCH 2025	5 Wednesday	(21 Instructional Days) Ash Wednesday – Academies/Parish Schools Open
	3 Tuesday	Faculty and Staff Planning Day	12 Wednesday	13 Thursday	OSCWorld Vendor Scoring Meeting for State Tests (1-2:30 PM)
	4 Wednesday	PK3 + PK4 Orientation with Families & Students	14 Friday	19-21 Wed.- Fri.	Second Trimester Ends Third Trimester Begins Report Card Distribution Period
	5 Thursday	Second Day of Classes K-8 Dismissal at 12:30PM	APRIL 2025	7 Monday	(15 Instructional Days) CBT window Opens
	6 Friday	1/2 Day classes for PK3 + PK4	9-10 Wed.-Thurs.	11 Friday	Grades 5 and 8 CBT Science Test (1 day only) choose April or May date.
	7 Saturday	Third Day of Classes K-8 Dismissal at 3:00 PM	16 Wednesday	17 Thursday	Administrative Assistants' Luncheon Easter Recess Begins at Dismissal
	8 Sunday	1/2 Day classes for PK3 + PK4	18 Friday	19 Saturday	Holy Thursday – Academies/Parish Schools Closed Good Friday – Academies/Parish Schools Closed
	9 Monday	First Full Day for PK3 + PK4	20 Sunday	21-25 Mon.-Fri.	Easter Sunday Easter Recess – Academies/Parish Schools Closed
	15 Sunday	Catechetical Sunday	28 Monday	28-2 Mon.-Friday	Classes Resume ELA CBT Window grades 4, 6 and 7 (2 consecutive days)
	16 Monday	iReady Cycle 1 Begins (Grades 1-8)	29-1 Tues.-Thurs.	29-1 Tues.-Thurs.	NYS Grades 4, 6 & 7 ELA Tests PBT Testing
23 Monday	iReady Cycle 1 Begins (Kindergarten)	MAY 2025	5-9 Mon.-Fri.	(20 or 21 Instructional Days) Math CBT Window grades 4,6, and 7 (2 consecutive days)	
27 Friday	Census export date	7-9 Wed.-Fri..	7 Wednesday	NYS Grades 4, 6 & 7 PBT Math Tests	
OCTOBER 2024	2 Wednesday	(22 Days = 21 Instructional Days + 1 PD Day) Virtual Rosary Rally	12-13 Mon.-Tuesday	12 Monday	Third Trimester Progress Reports sent home NYS Grade 5 and 8 Science Test (1 day only) choose April or May date.
	2 Wednesday	iReady Cycle 1 Ends (Grades 1-8)	16 Friday	16 Friday	Deadline for submission of Preliminary Budgets iReady Cycle 3 Begins
	4 Friday	Diocesan PD Day #1 (Academies/Parish Schools Closed)	17-18 Wed.-Thurs.	17-18 Wed.-Thurs.	Last day to administer CBT Testing St. John Neumann Day – Principals' Meeting
	9 Wednesday	iReady Cycle 1 Ends (Kindergarten)	19 Saturday	19 Saturday	Memorial Day – Academies/Parish Schools Closed
	11 Friday	BEDS Report Due	23 Friday	23 Friday	Ascension Thursday – Academies/Parish Schools Open
	11 Friday	Principals' St. John Neumann Day	26 Monday	26 Monday	i-Ready Cycle 3 Ends *If closed on 5/23, there will be 20 instructional days in May.*
	14 Monday	Columbus Day – Academies/Parish Schools Closed	29 Thursday	29 Thursday	(16 or 17 Instructional Days) First Possible Day for 8th Grade Graduation
	16 Wednesday	Progress Reports sent home	30 Friday	30 Friday	First Possible Day for "Step-up" Ceremonies Juneteenth Observed – Academies/Parish Schools Closed
	18 Friday	Deadline for Submission of "Revised" Budgets	JUNE 2025	13 Friday	Earliest Possible Last Day for Students (if school is open on 5/23)
	22 Tuesday	Education Summit	16 Monday	16 Monday	Latest Possible Last Day for Students
25 Friday	Crisis Management Plans Due	19 Thursday	19 Thursday	St. John Neumann Day – Principals' Meeting	
30 Wednesday	TACHS Registration Closes at 10:59pm	24 Tuesday	24 Tuesday	Earliest Possible Last Day for Students (if school is closed on 5/23)	
NOVEMBER 2024	1 Friday	(18 Days = 17 Instructional Days + 1 PD Day) All Saints Day – Academies/Parish Schools Open	25 Wednesday	25 Wednesday	Latest Possible Last Day for Students
	1 Friday	Participation Agreements Return Date	26 Thursday	26 Thursday	St. John Neumann Day – Principals' Meeting
	1 Friday	Deadline for Submission Annual Fiscal Report	30 Monday	30 Monday	(15 Instructional Days) Classes Resume
	5 Tuesday	Diocesan PD Day #2 (Academies/Parish Schools Closed)	6 Monday	6 Monday	iReady Cycle 2 Begins
	7 Thursday	IDW Workshop For Principals and invited teachers 9:30-11 and 1-2:30	8 Wednesday	8 Wednesday	Annual State Testing Meeting regarding NYS 3-8 & Regents with Nassau BOCES (1PM-2:30 PM)
	9 Saturday	TACHS – Test for Admission into Catholic High Schools	15 Wednesday	15 Wednesday	Catholic High Schools' Acceptance Notifications at 3 PM
	9 Saturday	TACHS – Last Day to Enter 3 High School Choices by 11:59pm	17 Friday	17 Friday	St. John Neumann Day – Principals' Meeting
	11 Monday	Veterans' Day Observance – Academies/Parish Schools Closed	20 Monday	20 Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Academies/Parish Schools Closed
	17-23 Sun.-Sat.	Discover Catholic Schools Week	22 Wednesday	22 Wednesday	iReady Cycle 2 Ends
	27 Wednesday	Thanksgiving Recess begins at Dismissal	26-1 Sun.-Sat.	26-1 Sun.-Sat.	Celebrate Catholic Schools Week- 1/26-2/1
28-29 Thurs. – Fri.	Thanksgiving Recess – Academies/Parish Schools Closed				
29 Friday	End of First Trimester				
DECEMBER 2024	2 Monday	(15 Instructional Days)			
	9 Monday	Second Trimester Begins			
	10-13 Tues.- Fri.	Feast of the Immaculate Conception – Academies/Parish Schools Open			
	10 Tuesday	Report Card Distribution Period			
	20 Friday	Last day to complete TACHS Applicant Records Online (5 PM)			
25 Wednesday	Christmas Recess Begins at Dismissal Christmas Day				
JANUARY 2025	6 Monday	(19 Instructional Days)			
	6 Monday	Classes Resume			
	8 Wednesday	iReady Cycle 2 Begins			
	15 Wednesday	Annual State Testing Meeting regarding NYS 3-8 & Regents with Nassau BOCES (1PM-2:30 PM)			
	17 Friday	Catholic High Schools' Acceptance Notifications at 3 PM			
	20 Monday	St. John Neumann Day – Principals' Meeting			

NOTES:

- 181 Days: 177 Instructional + 3 Professional Days (+ 1 Full or half day Retreat Day (Retreat Day to be planned on a local level
- EPAC collaboration is encouraged for planning.)
- *For schools going for Cognia reaccreditation, you can add an additional Professional Day at any point in the calendar. *
- Note:
- Snow Days/Emergency Days should not be scheduled as schools will shift to Remote Learning if necessary.
- The Diocese recommends no more than 10 half days for faculty conference and PD.
- It is suggested that report card meetings with parents take place after school hours. For schools with a need for additional time for PD it is recommended that you use an abbreviated schedule with a 2 pm dismissal to help support that.
- Please refer to the 3-K and Pre-K for All administrative calendar for more information.