



School Calendar

Proposed 2013-14

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Overview

- ❑ To present the 2013-14 School Calendar
- ❑ To present 2013-14 Calendars from other districts in the area
- ❑ To compare 2012-13 to proposed 2013-14
- ❑ To seek public comments once the board has approved the Draft 2013-14 Calendar

Background

- ❑ Conducted meetings with staff, union representatives, and Principals
- ❑ Conducted analysis of other Districts in surrounding areas
- ❑ Compared 2012-13 Calendar with proposed 2013-14 Calendar



SCHOOL DISTRICTS DATES

2013-2014

| SCHOOL | START DATE | WINTER BREAK | SCHOOL RESUMES | SPRING BREAK | END DATE |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| Parkway | Aug. 13, 2013 (Tues) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Dec. 31 (Tues) | Jan. 6 (Mon) | Mar. 17-21 | May 22, 2014 (Thurs) |
| Webster Groves | Aug. 13, 2013 (Tues) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Jan. 3 (Fri) | Jan. 7 (Tues) | Mar. 17-21 | May 22, 2014 (Thurs) |
| Lindbergh | Aug. 15, 2013 (Thurs) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Jan. 3 (Fri) | Jan. 6 (Mon) | Mar. 17-21 | May 23, 2014 (Fri) |
| Hazelwood | Aug. 12. 2013 (Mon) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Dec. 31 (Tues) | Jan. 6 (Mon) | Mar. 24-28 | May 30, 2014 (Fri) |
| Ritenour | Aug. 15, 2013 (Thur) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Jan. 1 (Wed) | Jan. 2 (Thurs) | Mar. 24-28 | June 9, 2014 (Mon) |
| Rockwood | Aug. 13, 2013 (Tues) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Jan. 1 (Wed) | Jan. 2 (Thurs) | Mar. 17-21 | May 22, 2014 (Thurs) |
| Pattonville | Aug. 12. 2013 (Mon) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Jan. 3 (Fri) | Jan. 6 (Mon) | Mar. 24-28 | June 2, 2014 (Mon) |
| Ladue | Aug. 14, 2013 (Wed) | Dec. 23 (Mon) - Jan. 2 (Thurs) | Jan. 6 (Mon) | Mar. 17-21 | May 23, 2014 (Fri) |
| St. Louis Public Schools | Aug. 12. 2013 (Mon) | Dec. 23 (Mon) – Jan. 1 (Wed) | Jan. 6 (Mon) | Mar. 17-21 | May 23, 2014 (Friday) |

Calendar Comparisons

□ 2012-13 Calendar

- First Day: Monday, August 13, 2012
- Last class day: Friday, May 24, 2013
- PD days: 7
- Parent Conference Days: 2
- Record keeping days: 2
- Staff total time off for Winter Break: 7 days (includes holidays)
- Student total time off for Winter Break: 8 days (includes holidays)
- Total holidays/no school days: 11
- Spring Break: 5 days
- Student days: 176
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Calendar Communication Plan

2013-14

□ Public input will be sought by:

- Link on the web site will be available from March 21 thru April 5 at www.slps.org/calendarcomments
- Phone number 314-345-4636 available for comments
- Two (2) robo-calls the weeks of March 25th and April 1st reminding parents to share their comments
- Public comment/appearance 5:30PM-6:00PM before the April 25, 2013 Board meeting
- Comments will be tallied and presented to the Board prior to the April 25th meeting

Proposed Recommendation

Adopt the proposed 2013-14 School Calendar

- School will start on a Monday
- Start date aligns with districts in the area
- Teachers will begin one week prior to school starting
- Teacher days the same = 210
- Instructional days the same = 176
- Students will have one week back from spring break before MAP testing
- School year will end on a Friday