



## Kent County Common School Calendar

<b>Start of School for Students</b>	
2023-2024	Two weeks prior to Labor Day
2024-2025	Two weeks prior to Labor Day
2025-2026	Two weeks prior to Labor Day
2026-2027	TBD – subject to future MDE waiver
2027-2028	TBD – subject to future MDE waiver

**Thanksgiving Break** is Wednesday – Sunday. *Center programs do not operate on Wednesday prior to Thanksgiving. The goal is no students attending in local districts on Wednesday. Local districts determine whether staff attend on Wednesday.*

<b>Winter Break</b>		
	Begins end of the school day:	School Resumes:
2023-2024	Friday, December 22 <sup>nd</sup>	January 8 <sup>th</sup>
2024-2025	Friday, December 20 <sup>th</sup>	January 6 <sup>th</sup>
2025-2026	Friday, December 19 <sup>th</sup>	January 5 <sup>th</sup>
2026-2027	Friday, December 18 <sup>th</sup>	January 4 <sup>th</sup>
2027-2028	Friday, December 17 <sup>th</sup>	January 3 <sup>rd</sup>

**Mid-Winter Break**, if scheduled, is intended to be held during the third full week of February (week beginning with President’s Day)

<b>Spring Break</b>	
	<i>Friday before - Center programs do not operate. No students at local districts. Local districts determine whether staff attend on that Friday.</i>
2023-2024	Monday, April 1 <sup>st</sup> – Friday, April 5 <sup>th</sup>
2024-2025	Monday, April 7 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, April 11 <sup>th</sup>
2025-2026	Monday, April 6 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, April 10 <sup>th</sup>
2026-2027	Monday, April 5 <sup>th</sup> – Friday, April, 9 <sup>th</sup>
2027-2028	Monday, April 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Friday, April 7 <sup>th</sup>

# Kent County Common Calendar Agreement

1. **Start date for students – Waiver for pre-Labor Day start approved through 2025-2026 school year.**  
Kent ISD will begin two weeks prior to Labor Day
    - 2023-24 – Week of August 21<sup>st</sup>
    - 2024-25 – Week of August 19<sup>th</sup>
    - 2025-26 – Week of August 18<sup>th</sup>
    - 2026-27 - TBD subject to future MDE waiver
    - 2027-28 - TBD subject to future MDE waiver
  
  2. **Thanksgiving Break – Wednesday through Sunday. No center programs on Wednesday prior to Thanksgiving. GOAL: No students on Wednesday in local district. Optional for staff to report on Wednesday.**
  
  3. **Winter (Holiday) Break –**
    - 2023-24 – Begins at the end of the school day on December 22<sup>nd</sup>  
School Resumes on January 8<sup>th</sup>
    - 2024-25 – Begins at the end of the school day on December 20<sup>th</sup>  
School Resumes on January 6<sup>th</sup>
    - 2025-26 – Begins at the end of the school day on December 19<sup>th</sup>  
School Resumes on January 5<sup>th</sup>
    - 2026-27 – Begins at the end of the school day on December 18<sup>th</sup>  
School Resumes on January 4<sup>th</sup>
    - 2027-28 – Begins at the end of the school day on December 17<sup>th</sup>  
School Resumes on January 3<sup>th</sup>
- No district is to schedule days off outside of the perpetual calendar formula. No instructional days during the Holiday break.*
4. **Mid-Winter Break – If districts schedule one, must be held within the 3rd full week of February (week beginning with President's Day)**
    - 2023-24 – Week of February 19<sup>th</sup>
    - 2024-25 – Week of February 17<sup>th</sup>
    - 2025-26 – Week of February 16<sup>th</sup>
    - 2026-27 – Week of February 15<sup>th</sup>
    - 2027-28 – Week of February 21<sup>st</sup>
  
  5. **Spring Break – first FULL week in April**
    - 2023-24 – Begins at the end of the school day on March 29<sup>th</sup>  
School Resumes on April 8<sup>th</sup>
    - 2024-25 – Begins at the end of the school day on April 4<sup>th</sup>  
School Resumes on April 14<sup>th</sup>
    - 2025-26 – Begins at the end of the school day on April 3<sup>rd</sup>  
School Resumes on April 13<sup>th</sup>
    - 2026-27 – Begins at the end of the school day on April 2<sup>nd</sup>  
School Resumes on April 12<sup>th</sup>
    - 2027-28 – Begins at the end of the school day on March 31<sup>st</sup>  
School Resumes on April 10<sup>th</sup>

*Friday before Spring Break – No center programs. No students at local district. Optional for staff to report on Friday.*

**\*Alternative Calendar Schedule schools must apply to the Michigan Department of Education.**



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