

**CAPE ELIZABETH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
2025-2026**

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER						OCTOBER						NOVEMBER						DECEMBER						JANUARY					
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25 Floating PD Day 26-28 Staff Days 8/28 First Day (half) gr 5 & 9 9/1 Labor Day 9/2 First Day Grades 1-12 9/4 First Day Kindergarten 21 Student Days						10 Staff PD Day 10 PSAT - Student Voluntary 13 Indigenous Peoples' Day 21 Student Days						4 CEHS Virtual K-8 In-Person 10 K-12 Conferences * Outside of School Day 11 Veterans Day 26-28 Thanksgiving Break 15 Student Days						12 Half Day - Staff PD 12/22 - 1/2 December Break 15 Student Days						1 New Year's Day 19 MLK Jr. Day 19 Student Days					
FEBRUARY						MARCH						APRIL						MAY						JUNE					
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2 Staff PD Day 16 Presidents' Day 17-20 Winter Break 14 Student Days						13 Staff PD Day 25* Half Day: K-8 Conferences Full School Day: 9-12 21 Student Days						17 Half Day - Students & Staff 20-24 Spring Break 20 Patriots Day 17 Student Days						8 Half Day - Staff PD 25 Memorial Day 20 Student Days						7 High School Graduation 16 Last Half Day for Students 16** Last Day for Teachers 17 Comp Day for Conferences 19 Juneteenth 12 Student Days					

Major Religious & Cultural Holidays Noted:

9/1 Labor Day
9/23 Rosh Hashanah Begins
10/2 Yom Kippur Begins
10/12 Indigenous Peoples' Day
10/20 Diwali Begins
11/11 Veterans Day
11/27 Thanksgiving
12/15 Hanukkah Begins
12/24 Christmas Eve
12/25 Christmas Day
12/26 Kwanzaa Begins
1/1 New Year's Day
1/7 Eastern Orthodox Christmas
1/18 World Religion Day
1/19 Martin Luther King Day
2/16 President's Day
2/17 Lunar New Year
2/18 Ramadan
2/18 Ash Wednesday
3/20 Eid al-Fitr Begins
4/1 Passover Begins
4/5 Easter
4/12 Orthodox Easter
4/20 Patriots' Day
5/24 Buddha Day
5/25 The Hajj Begins
5/25 Memorial Day
5/27 Eid al-Adha
6/19 Juneteenth

KEY

	Floating PD Day for specific staff as determined by admin
	Staff PD Day - No Students
	Staff PD Day & 1/2 Day for 5th & 9th Grades
	No School Day
	First Day - Grades 1- 12
	First Day - Grade K
	Student Half Day - Staff Professional Development (PD)
	Election Day: CEHS Virtual, K-8 In-Person
	Student Half Day - K-8 Conferences in afternoon & evening (each school will share conference plan & times with parents/guardians)
	Student & Staff Half Day
	Last Student 1/2 Day (If no weather days are used. First 2 weather days will be traditional. After that all weather days will be virtual if conditions allow.)

* Each school will share conference times with parents/guardians that occur in this time period

** Last Day K-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers 1/2 day the next day (due to no spring conferences)

175 Student Days/183 Staff Days (specified above)

Title 20-A, Chapter 209 §4801 (ME Public Law 2011, Chpt 686)

STUDENT SCHOOL HOURS

Regular Schedule

PC 8:35 - 3:05

MS 7:50 - 2:20

HS 7:55 - 2:25

Half Day Schedule

PC 8:35-12:05

MS 7:50-11:20

HS 7:55-11:25

K-12 Teacher Professional Development Days (8)

3 in August (8/26 - 8/28)

1 in October (10/10)

1 in November (11/10)

1 in February (2/2)

1 in March (3/13)

1 April (4/17 Comp Day for Conferences)

No Ed Techs: Nov 10, Mar 13, Jun 17

Approved: February 11, 2025