

FOCUS & PRODUCTIVITY
REBIRTH

MS 354 School Calendar



2025-2026

2025 NYC PS Calendar

September 2025

1 (Monday) — Labor Day (schools closed)

2–3 (Tuesday–Wednesday) — Staff reports; students not in attendance

4 (Thursday) — First day of school for students

17 (Wednesday) — Evening parent-teacher conferences for elementary schools, pre-K centers, pre-K–5 and K–8 schools

18 (Thursday) — Evening parent-teacher conferences for middle schools and District 75 schools

23–24 (Tuesday–Wednesday) — Rosh Hashanah (schools closed)

October

2 (Thursday) — Yom Kippur (schools closed)

13 (Monday) — Italian Heritage Day/ Indigenous People’s Day (schools closed)

20 (Monday) — Diwali (schools closed)

November

4 (Tuesday) — Election Day, students do not attend school; professional development for teachers

6 (Thursday)— Afternoon and evening parent-teacher conferences for elementary schools, pre-K centers, pre-K–5 and K–8 schools; students in these schools dismissed three hours early

11 (Tuesday) — Veterans Day (schools closed)

13 (Thursday) — Afternoon and evening parent-teacher conferences for middle schools and District 75 schools; students in these schools dismissed three hours early

27–28 (Thursday–Friday) — Thanksgiving recess (schools closed)

December

24–31 (Wednesday–Wednesday) — Winter recess (schools closed)

2026 NYC PS Calendar

January 2026

2 (Friday) — Last day of winter recess (schools closed)

19 (Monday) — Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day (schools closed)

20–23 (Tuesday–Friday) — Regents administration

26 (Monday) tentative — Professional development for high schools and 6–12 schools; students in these schools do not attend

27 (Tuesday) tentative — Spring term begins for semester-based schools

February

16–20 (Monday–Friday) — Midwinter recess (schools closed)

March

12 (Thursday) — Afternoon and evening parent-teacher conferences for middle schools and District 75 schools; students in these schools dismissed three hours early

18 (Wednesday) — Evening parent-teacher conferences for high schools, K–12 and 6–12 schools

20 (Friday) — Eid al-Fitr (schools closed)

April

2–10 (Thursday–Friday) — Spring recess, including Passover and Good Friday (schools closed)

May

14 (Thursday) — Evening parent-teacher conferences for middle schools and District 75 schools

25 (Monday) — Memorial Day (schools closed)

27 (Wednesday) — Eid al-Adha (schools closed)

June

4 (Thursday) — Anniversary Day/ Chancellor’s Conference Day for staff development; students not in attendance

5 (Friday) — Clerical Day for elementary schools, middle schools and K–12 schools and standalone District 75 programs; students in these schools do not attend

9 (Tuesday) — Regents administration

10 (Wednesday) — Regents administration

17–18 (Wednesday–Thursday) — Regents administration

19 (Friday) — Juneteenth (schools closed)

22–25 (Monday–Thursday) — Regents administration

26 (Friday) — Last day of school for students, teachers, attendance teachers, nurses, therapists, lab specialists and paraprofessionals

30 (Tuesday) — Last day of school for school-based school secretaries, school counselors, school psychologists and social workers

NYS Testing Schedule 2025 - 2026

SHSAT Weekend Testing:
8th Grade: November 15 & 16, 2025

New York State Regents
June 9-10, 2026; June 17 - 26, 2026

New York State English as a Second
Language Achievement Test (**NYSELAT**)

- April 6 – May 22, 2026 (Speaking)
- May 4 – 22, 2026 (Reading, Writing, Listening)

New York State Grades 3–8 English Language Arts
(**ELA**) April 14 - 24, 2026

New York State Grades 3–8 **Math** April 28 - May 8, 2026

New York State Grades 5 & 8 **Science** May 12 - 15, 2026

IREADY Dates: TBA

BOY:

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Suggestions to Add... approval/date selection needed

- Mash Up Mornings Monthly Karaoke or Line Dancing in from 7:40 - 8 AM in the cafe [all staff are invited!]
- Students vs. Staff... volleyball, track, pickleball, goal kicks
- Student Trivia - grade tournament
- Lunchtime Scavenger Hunt
- Family Game Night/Family Movie Night

SEPTEMBER 2025

IF PEOPLE ARE DOUBTING HOW FAR YOU CAN GO, GO SO FAR THAT YOU CAN'T HEAR THEM ANYMORE.



MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
1		2 STAFF RETURNS!		3		4 FIRST DAY STUDENTS		5	
8		9		10		11		12	
15		16		17		18		19	
22		23		24		25		26	
29		30							

NOTES

GOALS

OCTOBER 2025

WHEN ONE DOOR OF HAPPINESS CLOSES, ANOTHER OPENS; BUT OFTEN WE LOOK SO LONG AT THE CLOSED DOOR THAT WE DO NOT SEE THE ONE WHICH HAS BEEN OPENED FOR US.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1	2	3
6	7 Ext. Day Begins HS application Begins	8	9 Welcome Back Dance	10
13 NO SCHOOL Indigenous Peoples'/Columbus Day	14	15	16	17
20 NO SCHOOL DIWALI	21	22	23	24
27	28	29 Character Day	30	31

NOTES

IPC GOALS

Restorative Justice

GOALS

NOVEMBER 2025

SMART PEOPLE LEARN FROM EVERYTHING AND EVERYONE, AVERAGE PEOPLE FROM THEIR EXPERIENCES, STUPID PEOPLE ALREADY HAVE ALL THE ANSWERS.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3	4 NO STUDENTS VIRTUAL STAFF PD	5	6	7
10	11 NO SCHOOL VETERANS' DAY	12 SHSAT EXAM	13 PTC VIRTUAL	14
17 WHOLE SCHOOL PICTURE DAY	18	19	20	21
24	25 FRIENDS-GIVING LUNCHEON	26	27 NO SCHOOL TG	28 NO SCHOOL TG

NOTES

GOALS

DECEMBER 2025

IMPOSSIBLE IS JUST AN OPINION.



MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
1		2		3		4		5	
8		9		10		11		12	
15		16		17 UGLY SWEATER DAY		18		19	
22		23 Winter Wishes Distribution		24 WINTER RECESS		25		26	
29		30		31					

NOTES

GOALS

JANUARY 2026

IT MIGHT NOT BE EASY, BUT IT'LL BE WORTH IT.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
			1	2 WINTER RECESS ENDS
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19 NO SCHOOL MLK DAY	20	21	22	23
26 COLLEGE AWARENESS WEEK	27	28	29	30

NOTES

Trip

GOALS

FEBRUARY 2026

KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE STARS, AND YOUR FEET ON THE GROUND.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12 Valentine's Day Dance	13
16 MID-WINTER RECESS BEGINS	17	18	19	20 MID-WINTER RECESS ENDS
23	24	25 AFRICAN-AMERICAN BLACK HERITAGE DAY	26	27

NOTES

SGO- V.DAY
Candy Grams

GOALS

MARCH 2026

LIVE AS IF YOU WERE TO DIE TOMORROW. LEARN AS IF YOU WERE TO LIVE FOREVER.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12 PTC	13
16	17	18	19	20 NO SCHOOL Eid al-Fitr
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

NOTES

Trip

GOALS

APRIL 2026

A NEGATIVE MIND WILL NEVER GIVE YOU A POSITIVE LIFE.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1	2 SPRING BREAK BEGINS	3
6	7	8	9	10 SPRING BREAK ENDS
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	

NOTES

Trip

4/6 - 5/15

State Exams: ELA|MATH|SCI

NYSLT 4/6 -5/22

GOALS

MAY 2026

EVERYTHING IS HARD BEFORE IT IS EASY.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14 PTC	15
18	19	20	21	22
25 NO SCHOOL MEMORIAL DAY	26	27 NO SCHOOL Eid al-Adha	28	29

NOTES

Extended Day Ends
CEP- Completed

Trip

GOALS

JUNE 2026

OUR GREATEST GLORY IS NOT IN NEVER FALLING, BUT IN RISING EVERY TIME WE FALL.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	2	3	4 NO SCHOOL Anniversary Day	5
8	9 REGENTS ELA	10	11	12
15	16	17 REGENTS ALG I & GLOBAL	18 REGENTS BIOLOGY [PROM]	19 NO SCHOOL JUNETEENTH
22	23 REGENTS GLOBAL	24 GRADUATION	25	26 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
29	30			

NOTES

June 4
Students not in
session; Grade
Articulation

Regents Week:

GOALS

JULY 2026

STOP BEING AFRAID OF WHAT COULD GO WRONG, AND START BEING EXCITED ABOUT WHAT COULD GO RIGHT.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1	2	3
6	7 SUMMER SCHOOL BEGINS [tentative]	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

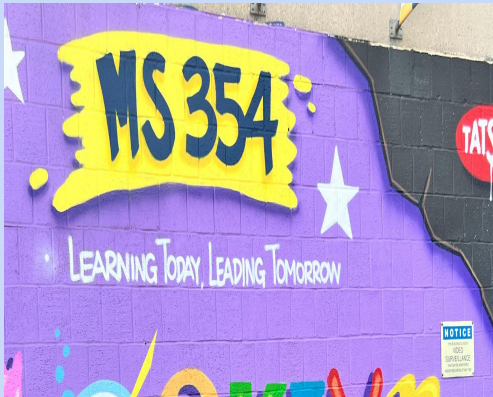
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GOALS

AUGUST 2026

START WHERE YOU ARE. USE WHAT YOU HAVE. DO WHAT YOU CAN.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14 [tentative] - SUMMER SCHOOL ENDS
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
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NOTES

Planning for 2026
-2027

GOALS