

**2010-2011 Calendar/Information Bulletin**  
**Natick Public Schools, 13 East Central St. Natick, MA 01760**

**SCHOOL CALENDAR**

Mon/Tues	Aug 30/31	Faculty Meetings
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Sept 1</b>	<b>Schools Open Grades K-12</b>
Mon	Sept 6	Schools Closed-Labor Day
Thur/Fri	Sept 9/10	Schools Closed-Rosh Hashanah
Tues	Sept 28	Release Day-Professional Development
Mon	Oct 11	Schools Closed-Columbus Day
Thurs	Oct 21	Release Day-Professional Development
Tues	Nov 2	<u>Schools Closed</u>
<b>Thur</b>	<b>Nov 4</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY ONLY Release Day</b>
Thur	Nov 11	Schools Closed-Veteran's Day
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Nov 17</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY ONLY Release Day</b>
Wed	Nov 24	Release Day/Thanksgiving
Thurs/Fri	Nov 25/26	Schools Closed-Thanksgiving
	<b>Dec 24-31</b>	<b>December Vacation</b>
Thurs	Jan 13	Release Day-Professional Development
Mon	Jan 17	Schools Closed-Martin Luther King Jr.
Wed	Feb 9	Release Day-Professional Development
	<b>Feb 21-25</b>	<b>February Vacation</b>
Tues	Mar 8	Release Day-Professional Development
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>Mar 24</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY ONLY Release Day</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Mar 30</b>	<b>ELEMENTARY ONLY Release Day</b>
	<b>Apr 18-22</b>	<b>April Vacation</b>
*Thurs	May 26	Release Day-Professional Development
Mon	May 30	Schools Closed-Memorial Day
**Wed	June 22	Release Day-Last Day of School

\*\*The school calendar will be reviewed on or before April 25, 2011 with reference to the number of snow days of which 5 are included.

**RELEASE DAYS**

**All Schools, All Grades**

*No lunch served*

Tuesday	September 28	Wednesday	February 9
Thursday	October 21	Tuesday	March 8
Wednesday	November 24	Thursday	May 26
Thursday	January 13	Wednesday	June 22

**Elementary Only**

*No lunch served*

Thursday	November 4	Thursday	March 24
Wednesday	November 17	Wednesday	March 30

**NO SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Radio stations WBZ, WRKO, WBUR, and TV Channels 4, 5, 7, & FOX 25 will broadcast no school as well as delayed opening announcements between 6:00-8:00 a.m., as well as a recorded message on the "School Closing Line" 508-647-6515 (after 6:00 a.m.).

Websites: [www.wbzclosings.com](http://www.wbzclosings.com) and [www.schoolclosings.com](http://www.schoolclosings.com)

**BUS TRANSPORTATION**

**BUS PASSES ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL BUS ROUTES.**

All bus routes will be posted at each school or on our website [www.natickps.org](http://www.natickps.org). For further information on buses, and bus passes contact the Transportation Coordinator, Mrs. Ginny Constantine, at 508-647-6497.

**SCHOOLS - PRINCIPALS - HOURS**

	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Main Office</u>	<u>Absence Line</u>
High School	Rose Bertucci (Interim)	647-6600	647-6601
Kennedy Middle	Rosemary Vickery	647-6650	647-6651
Wilson Middle	Anna Nolin	647-6670	647-6671
Ben-Hem	Ian Kelly	647-6580	647-6581
Brown	Kirk Downing	647-6660	647-6661
Johnson	Karen Ghilani	647-6680	647-6681
Lilja	Barbara Brown	647-6570	647-6571
Memorial	Beverly McCloskey	647-6590	647-6591

	<u>Regular Hours</u>	<u>Release Hours</u>
High School	7:30 - 2:17	7:30 - 11:15
Kennedy Middle	7:50 - 2:05	7:50 - 11:30
Wilson Middle	7:50 - 2:05	7:50 - 11:30
Ben-Hem	8:25 - 2:25	8:25 - 11:55
Brown	8:40 - 2:40	8:40 - 12:05
Johnson	8:40 - 2:40	8:40 - 12:05
Lilja	8:40 - 2:40	8:40 - 12:05
Memorial	9:00 - 3:00	9:00 - 12:30
Pre-K	9:00 - 3:00	9:00 - 10:20
Pre-K A.M.	9:00 - 11:30	9:00 - 10:20
Pre-K P.M.	12:30 - 3:00	No P.M. Pre-K

**IMMUNIZATION AND HEALTH DATA**

1. Diphtheria/Pertussis/Tetanus (DPT/DT,DTaP) – 5 Doses  
A booster of Td is required for 7<sup>th</sup> grade
2. Polio Vaccine – 4 Doses
3. Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR) – 2 Doses  
(First dose after 12 months of age)  
(Second dose before entrance to Kindergarten)
4. Hepatitis B – 3 Doses  
Varicella (Chickenpox) 1 or 2 doses, depending on the age of the first dose, OR a physician's note verifying that the student has already had chickenpox.
5. Tuberculin Test as required by Board of Health Criteria
6. Lead Screening is required for entrance into Kindergarten
7. A private physician's examination, which includes immunization information, is required for all students upon entrance into K, 4, 7, 10 and all new/transfer students.

**MEDICATION POLICY**

Only a physician is legally authorized to prescribe medication, this includes over the counter medication. If at all possible medication should be given at home before or after school hours. A student who needs to take any medication during school hours must have a signed permission slip from a parent/guardian and the physician. The form(s) may be obtained from the website or the school nurse. Medication (in a pharmacy labeled bottle) is kept locked in the clinic and taken under the supervision of the nurse. No student is allowed to transport medication to/from school. A parent/guardian must bring the medication into the clinic. Parents of students with an EpiPen, insulin and inhalers should discuss their child's medical needs with the school nurse at the beginning of each school year. If the parent/guardian has signed the permission form, the student may receive Acetaminophen (Tylenol) at the discretion of the school nurse once during the school day, telephone permission is not accepted. All forms are available on the website.

\*Revised 4/5/10 – May 20, 2011 release day changed to May 26, 2011

\*\* Revised 5/17/10 – Elementary Conference Days changed: March 3, 2011 to March 24, 2011 and March 16, 2011 to March 30, 2011.