

# Dr. Ethel Allen School Calendar

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## District Academic Calendar

The School District of Philadelphia provides an official academic calendar each year that includes start and end dates, holidays, report card conferences, and more.

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# June 2026

| Sunday | Monday                                            | Tuesday                                                               | Wednesday                                                                                            | Thursday                                                                                   | Friday                                                                  | Saturday                                                                                                      |
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|        | 1                                                 | 2                                                                     | 3                                                                                                    | 4<br>Kindergarten Picnic<br>10:00 a.m.<br><br>Allen Fun Day<br>Grades 1-7<br>9 - 1:30 p.m. | 5<br>*8th Grade Picnic<br><br>K-5 Skate Trip                            | 6                                                                                                             |
| 7      | 8<br>*8th grade Dance-<br>Benjamin Franklin Yacht | 9<br>K-5 Awards Assembly<br>9:00 a.m.<br><br>6-7 Awards<br>10:00 a.m. | 10<br>Kindergarten Move-Up<br>9:30am<br><br>Pre-K Move Up 10:30am<br><br>8th Grade Move-Up<br>4:00pm | 11<br>*Last day of school for<br>students.                                                 | 12<br>Last day for staff                                                | 13<br>Summer<br>Begins<br> |
|        | *Enjoy your summer<br>break!                      |                                                                       |                                                                                                      |                                                                                            | The new School year<br>begins August 24,<br>2026 for 1st - 8th<br>Grade |                                                                                                               |
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# July 2026

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# August 2026

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| Sunday | Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Tuesday                                                                   | Wednesday                           | Thursday                                                | Friday | Saturday |
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| 2      | 3                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 4                                                                         | 5                                   | 6                                                       | 7      | 8        |
| 9      | 10                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 11                                                                        | 12                                  | 13                                                      | 14     | 15       |
| 16     | 17                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 18<br>Reorganization begins<br>Online or<br>9:30 - 1:30 p.m.<br>In Person | 19                                  | 20                                                      | 21     | 22       |
| 23     | 24<br>First day of School for<br>1st - 8th Grade Students<br><br>School Starts at 8:15 a.m.<br>Kindergarten Interview<br>Day | 25<br>Kindergarten Interview<br>Day                                       | 26<br>Kindergarten Interview<br>Day | 27<br>1st Day of School for<br>Students in Kindergarten | 28     | 29       |
| 30     | 31                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                           |                                     |                                                         |        |          |

# September 2026

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| Sunday | Monday                                                                                                                  | Tuesday                                                                                                                                 | Wednesday                           | Thursday                                                               | Friday                                                                     | Saturday |
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|        |                                                                                                                         | 1<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessments Begin                                                                                              | 2<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessment | 3<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessment                                    | 4<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessment                                        | 5        |
| 6      | 7<br>School Closed<br>                 | 8<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessment<br>Picture Day<br> | 9<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessment | 10<br>STAR Reading & Math Assessment                                   | 11<br>Last Day for STAR Reading & Math Assessment<br><br>*9/11 Remembrance | 12       |
| 13     | 14                                                                                                                      | 15<br>Hispanic Heritage Month begins<br>               | 16                                  | 17<br>Title I Overview Annual Meeting for Families<br>3:00 - 4:00 p.m. | 18<br>Staff Professional Day (School Closed For Students)                  | 19       |
| 20     | 21<br>School Closed - Yom Kippur<br> | 22<br>Back to School NIGHT<br><br>3:30 - 5:30 p.m.   | 23                                  | 24                                                                     | 25                                                                         | 26       |
| 27     | 28                                                                                                                      | 29<br>K-8 Interim Reports Distributed to students                                                                                       | 30                                  |                                                                        |                                                                            |          |

# October 2026

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| Sunday                                                                                                                                             | Monday                                                                                                                             | Tuesday                                 | Wednesday | Thursday                                                                                                                | Friday                                                                                                                                                         | Saturday                                                                                                       |
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| <b>October is:</b><br>*National Bullying Awareness Month<br>*Islamic and Filipino Heritage Month<br>*Breast Cancer Awareness Month<br>*LGBTQ Month | <b>Attendance Matters</b><br>20 days = Perfect Attendance<br>19 days = 95%<br>18 days = 90%<br>*Students required to attend DAILY! | *October is National Principal's Month! |           | 1                                                                                                                       | 2<br><br>*Wear ORANGE for Bullying Awareness<br>*Custodial Appreciation Day | 3                                                                                                              |
| 4                                                                                                                                                  | 5                                                                                                                                  | 6                                       | 7         | 8<br>Make-Up Day for School Pics<br> | 9<br>Staff Development School is CLOSED                                                                                                                        | 10                                                                                                             |
| 11                                                                                                                                                 | 12<br>Indigenous People Day (School closed for student and Staff)                                                                  | 13                                      | 14        | 15                                                                                                                      | 16<br><br>*Wear Pink<br>*Hispanic Heritage Assembly                         | 17                                                                                                             |
| 18                                                                                                                                                 | 19                                                                                                                                 | 20                                      | 21        | 22                                                                                                                      | 23                                                                                                                                                             | 24                                                                                                             |
| 25<br>*School Selection closes on 11/24/26                                                                                                         | 26                                                                                                                                 | 27                                      | 28        | 29                                                                                                                      | 30<br>Fall Fest Dress Up Day K-4 students<br>                             | 31<br>Happy Halloween<br> |

# November 2026

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| <b>1</b><br><b>Attendance Matters</b><br>16 days = Perfect Attendance<br>15 days = 95%<br>14 days = 90%<br><i>*Students required to attend DAILY!</i> | 2                                                                                                                   | <b>3</b><br><b>School Closed For Staff/Student - Election Day</b><br> | 4                                                                                                                                                       | 5                                                                                                                                                                | 6                                                                                                                                                         | 7        |
| 8                                                                                                                                                     | 9                                                                                                                   | 10                                                                                                                                                     | <b>11</b><br><b>School Closed For Staff/Student - Veteran Day</b><br> | 12                                                                                                                                                               | 13                                                                                                                                                        | 14       |
| 15                                                                                                                                                    | <b>16</b><br><b>Scholastic Book Fair Opens - Parent Preview</b><br><br>School is closed for Report Card Conferences | <b>17</b><br><b>Scholastic Book Fair</b>                                                                                                               | <b>18</b><br><b>Scholastic Book Fair</b>                                                                                                                | <b>19</b><br><b>Scholastic Book Fair</b>                                                                                                                         | <b>20</b><br><b>Scholastic Book Fair</b>                                                                                                                  | 21       |
| 22                                                                                                                                                    | 23                                                                                                                  | 24                                                                                                                                                     | <b>25</b><br><b>Staff Professional Day (School Closed For Students)</b>                                                                                 | <b>26</b><br><b>School Closed for Staff/Student-Thanksgiving Recess</b><br> | <b>27</b><br><b>School Closed for Staff/Student-Thanksgiving</b><br> | 28       |

December 2027

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# School Meetings & Report Card Conferences

We welcome all families and community members to participate in these regular meetings and conferences to stay informed, involved, and connected to our school community. Below are the key dates for the year.

## Family–Teacher Report Card Conferences

Report card conferences are extremely critical to the success of your child. These conferences allow for communication amongst you and the teacher to discuss progress of your child and identify areas of growth and an opportunity to strengthen the partnership between home and school.

We offer three report card conferences each school year. The report card conference dates for 2026 - 2027 school year include:

### Schedule:

- November 16, 2026 | 8:30 - 2:54 p.m. | Dr. Ethel Allen School
- January 29, 2027 | 8:30 - 2:54 p.m. | Dr. Ethel Allen School
- April 16, 2027 | 8:30 - 2:54 p.m. | Dr. Ethel Allen School
- The final report card is sent home with students on the last day of school, June 9, 2027. If you would like to pick it up or make other arrangements, please contact your child's teacher to let them know.