

To: Oakcliff Parents and Students  
 From: Dr. Delores Paschall, Principal  
 Date: August 2016  
 RE: 2016 – 2017 Calendar

Below you will find tentative dates of important events for the 2016-17 school year. Due to emergencies and other situations that may arise, **these dates are subject to change**. Special events are spread out over the course of the year so that we may maintain our focus on instruction. **NOTE: It is a Theme School requirement for parents to attend most PTA meetings/events. Please sign in with your child's teacher for each PTA meeting/event (unless told otherwise).**

## 2016

Aug. 3 Open House 8:00-12:00 and 2:00-4:00  
 Aug. 8 First Day of School  
**Aug. 18 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Aug. 19 Back-to-School Pep Rally @ 1:00-students only  
 Aug. 22 Book Challenge Kick-Off  
 Aug. 25 **PTA/Curriculum Night/Title I Parent Mtg. @5:00**  
 Aug. 29 Parents may begin volunteering for hours  
 Sept. 2 STEM Kick-Off Day (Students may Wear Jeans \$2)  
 Sept. 5 **Labor Day – SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Sept. 8 DCSD Progress Reports Issued (4.5 Week – Semester 1)  
 Sept. 12-16 Scholastic Book Fair Week  
**Sept. 15 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Sept. 20 Fall Pictures  
 Sept. 21 Football Spirit Day (Students may wear Football attire \$2)  
 Sept. 29 **PTA/Hispanic Heritage Night @5:00** (Hispanic Attire Day)  
 Oct. 3 **PreK and K parents may begin coming into the school**  
 Oct 10-14 Breakfast with your child week  
 Oct. 6 & 7 **Fall Break – SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Oct. 10 **Columbus Day – SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Oct. 14 Think Pink Breast Cancer Awareness Day (Wear Pink \$2)  
 Oct. 20 DCSD Progress Reports Issued (9 Week – Semester 1)  
 Oct. 20 **PTA/Family Literacy Night @5:00**  
 Oct. 24-28 Red Ribbon Week  
**Oct. 27 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Oct. 28 Book Character Parade @ 1:00/Trunk-or-Treat (5-6pm)  
 Nov. TBA National Beta Club Induction Ceremony  
 Nov. 3 Junior Achievement Day at Oakcliff (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
 Nov. 4 Thankful for our Grandparents Day  
 Nov. 8 **Election Day – SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Nov. 11 Thankful for our Veterans Day  
 Nov. 14-18 Scholastic Book Fair Week  
 Nov. 16 Thanksgiving Luncheon (Kindergarten, 2nd and 5th)  
**Nov. 17 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Nov. 17 DCSD Progress Reports Issued (13.5 Week – Semester 1)  
 Nov. 21-25 **Thanksgiving Holiday-SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Nov. 28-Dec 2 Breakfast with your child week  
 Dec. 8 **PTA/International Night @5:00**  
 Dec. 14 Holiday Luncheon (Pre-K, 1st, 3rd and 4<sup>th</sup>)  
**Dec. 15 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Dec. 20 Holiday Classroom Parties @ 1:00  
 Dec. 21 Pajama and Movie Day-students only  
 Dec. 22-30 **Winter Break – SCHOOL CLOSED THRU 1/4**

## 2017

Jan. Theme School Current Status Reports  
 Jan TBA New Student Applications (9:00–10:00 a.m., Mon – Thur.)  
 Jan. 2-4 Winter Break cont. – SCHOOL CLOSED  
 Jan. 5 **Students return to school**  
 Jan. TBA National Beta Club Cookies & Cocoa Social  
 Jan. 10 1<sup>st</sup> Semester Report Cards Issued  
 Jan. 16 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – SCHOOL CLOSED  
 Jan. 19 **Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Jan. 20 Donuts for Dad @7:00 AM in cafeteria  
 Jan. 23-37 Breakfast with your child week  
 Jan. 26 **PTA/STEM Night @5:00**  
 Jan. 30 Asian New Year Kick-Off  
 Feb. 3 Asian Attire Day/Asian Dragon Dance @ 1:00  
 Feb. 14 Valentine's Day Classroom Parties @ 1:00  
 Feb. 15 DCSD Progress Reports Issued (4.5 Week – Semester 2)  
 Feb. 16 African American History Living Museum  
 Feb. 16 **PTA sponsored Mardi Gras Dance @5:00**  
 Feb. 17 **Inclement Weather Makeup Day or SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Feb. 20 **President's Day – SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Feb. 20-24 Breakfast with your child week  
**Feb 23 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Feb. 24 African Attire Day/African American History Program  
 Feb. 28 African American History Bowl (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
 Mar. TBA National Beta Club Friendship Flower Days  
 Mar. 2 Read Across America/Dr. Seuss Dress-Up Day  
 Mar. 10 **Teacher Workday - SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Mar 15 Junior Achievement Day at Oakcliff (K – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade)  
**Mar 16 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Mar. 17 St. Patrick's Day (Students may wear green & jeans \$2)  
 Mar. 20-24 Breakfast with your child week  
 Mar. 23 DCSD Progress Reports Issued (9 Week – Semester 2)  
 Mar. 23 **Spring Performance @5:00**  
 Mar. 28 Spring Pictures  
 Mar. 30 College and Career Day  
 Mar. 30 **PTA/Pathway to College and Career Night @5:00**  
 Mar. 31 College Attire Day  
 Apr. 3-7 **Spring Break - SCHOOL CLOSED**  
 Apr. 14 Georgia Milestones Pep Rally  
**\*\*Apr. 17-May 3 Georgia Milestones Testing—No parent visits\*\***  
**Apr. 20 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 Apr. 26 DCSD Progress Reports Issued (13.5 Week – Semester 2)  
 Apr. TBA Georgia Milestones Testing Grades 3-5  
 May TBA National Beta Club Art Gallery Night/Silent Auction  
 May 4 Field Day for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade (Opening Ceremonies @8:30)  
 May 5 Field Day for Pre K – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
 May 8-12 Teacher Appreciation Week & Scholastic Book Fair  
 May 10 **PTA/Band & Chorus Concert @5:00**  
 May 12 Munchies for Mom @7:00 AM in cafeteria  
**May 18 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 4:00-8:00 Doraville Plaza**  
 May 19 Yearbook Party @ 1:00-students only  
 May 22 Honor's Day – Grades 1 & 2 @9:00 am  
 May 23 Honor's Day – Grades 3 & 4 @9:00 am  
 May 24 Pre-K & Kindergarten Celebration @9:00 am  
 May 24 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration @4:00 pm  
 May 25 Last Day of School – DCSD Report Cards Issued

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