

**Diocese of Rockford**

**OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR: 2017-2018**

St. Mary

Sycamore

DeKalb

Name of School

City

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The school year calendar shall consist of 185 days. Five of these days are calendared as emergency days; four as full-day staff institutes; and a minimum of 176 days of no less than 5.5 hours of instruction. A maximum of five (5) early dismissal days for students may be scheduled. Students must be in attendance a minimum of 3 clock hours and faculty shall be actively engaged in in-service activities for the remainder of the 5.5 clock hours.\* (See Page 2.)

**Aug-17**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
	1	2	3	4		
7	8	9	10	11		
O	O	16	17	18		3
21	22	23	24	25		5
28	29	30	31			4
						12.0

**Sep-17**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
				1		1
H	5	6	7	8		4
11	12	13	14	15		5
18	19	20	21	22		5
25	26	27	28	29		5
						20.0

**Oct-17**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
2	3	4	5	O		4
9	10	11	12	13		5
16	17	18	19	20		5
23	24	25	HD	27		5
30	31					2
						21.0

**Nov-17**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
		1	2	3		3
6	7	8	9	10		5
13	14	15	16	17		5
NA	NA	NA	H	NA		0
27	28	29	30			4
						17.0

**Dec-17**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
				1		1
4	5	6	7	8		5
11	12	13	14	15		5
18	19	20	21	HD		5
H	NA	NA	NA	NA		
						16.0

**Jan-18**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
H	NA	NA	NA	NA		0
8	9	10	11	HD		5
H	16	17	18	19		4
22	23	24	25	26		4
29	30	31				3
						17.0

**Feb-18**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
			1	2		2
5	6	7	8	9		5
12	13	14	15	O		4
H	20	21	22	23		4
26	27	28				3
						18.0

**Mar-18**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
			1	2		2
5	6	7	8	9		5
12	13	14	15	16		5
19	20	21	22	HD		5
NA	NA	NA	NA	H		
						17.0

**Apr-18**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
NA	3	4	5	6		4
9	10	11	12	13		5
16	17	18	19	20		5
23	24	25	26	27		5
30						1
						20.0

**May-18**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
	1	2	3	4		4
7	8	9	10	11		5
14	15	16	17	18		5
21	22	23	24	E		4
H	E	E	E			
						18.0

**Jun-18**

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI		DAYS
				E		
4	5	6	7	8		
11	12	13	14	15		
18	19	20	21	22		
25	26	27	28	29		
						0.0

**LEGAL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

Labor Day	Sept. 4
Columbus Day	Oct. 9
Veterans Day	Nov. 11
Thanksgiving Day	Nov. 23
Christmas Day	Dec. 25
New Year's Day	Jan. 1
ML King's Birthday	Jan. 15
Presidents' Day	Feb. 19
Good Friday	Mar. 30
Memorial Day	May 28

**SCHOOL TERM**

(Pupil Attendance Days)

First Day: 16-Aug 2017

Last Day: 24-May 2018

School Begins at: 8:30 A.M.

School Ends at: 3:00 P.M.

**CHRISTMAS VACATION**

Begins 1pm AM/PM 22-Dec 2017

Class Resumes: 8-Jan 2018

Pupil Attendance Days 176.0

Institute Days 4

Emergency Days 5

Total (min. 185) 185.0

1st Semester Begins 16-Aug 2017

2nd Semester Begins 8-Jan 2018

**EASTER/SPRING VACATION**

Begins 1pm AM/PM 23-Mar 2018

Class Resumes: 3-Apr 2018

Legal Holidays	H
Institute Days	O
Half-Days	HD
Emergency	E
Not in Attendance	NA

(Use the color codes to help you)

**Catholic Schools Week:**

January 28-February 3, 2018

List the requested information for your four full-day staff institute days:

	Date	Place	Topic/Presenter
1.	8/14/17	St. Mary School	Teacher Meetings
2.	8/15/17	St. Mary School	CPR/First Aid
3.	10/6/17	Diocese TBD	Diocesan Institute
4.	2/16/18	St. Mary School	One Room School House Visit Local History

Each school is allowed a MAXIMUM of five (5) half-day in-service/parent conferences. List below all requested information for half-day and in-service days.

	Date	Time Begins	Time Ends	Place	Topic/Presenter
1.	26-Oct-17	1pm	3pm	St. Mary School	Review & Implementation of Diocesan Bul
2.	22-Dec-17	1pm	3pm	St. Mary School	Review End of Semester/Goals/Principal
3.	12-Jan-18	1pm	3pm	St. Mary School	NGSS Updates/Teachers & Principal
4.	23-Mar-18	1pm	3pm	St. Mary School	Safe Environment/Chastity Plan/Plan
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**Please send to the Catholic Education Office no later than April 13th.**

*Parents, police and truant officers, Superintendent's Office and others concerned with the safety of school children should be given immediate notice of emergency calendar variations.*

Jan Benson  
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 CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/PRINCIPAL

Rev. Paul Lipinski  
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 PASTOR (If elementary school)

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 DIOCESAN SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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 EDUCATION COMMISSION CHAIR/  
 COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION CHAIR