



St. Thomas More Catholic School

School Calendar 2024-2025

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August 23 – First Day New Staff (Orientation)

August 26 – First Day for Returning Staff – ALL staff in the building

August 27 & 28 – Staff Development Day (All FT/PT Teaching Staff & ECE Staff)

August 29 – Back to School Night Parent’s Meeting 6-7PM & Open House (ALL students’ PS-5th) 10AM-1PM (schedule by name)

September 2 – **No School** (Labor Day)

September 3 – PS-5th First Day of School

October 11 – **No School** (Staff Development/Retreat)

October 14 – **No School** (Native American Day)

November 1 – End of 1st Quarter – **Holy Day of Obligation** – No School

November 4 & 7 – Evening Parent/Teacher Conferences (4-7)

November 8 – **No School** - Parent/Teacher Conferences (8am-3)

November 27 – **No School** (Conference Comp day)

November 28 & 29 – **No School** (Thanksgiving)

December 20 – **NOON** Dismissal (BSD Event)

December 23 to January 1 – **No School** (Christmas Break)

January 17 – End of 2nd Quarter

January 20 – **No School** (Martin Luther King Day)

February 14 – **No School** for PS-5th in BSD (Conference Comp Day – Brookings MS & HS still in session)

February 17 – **No School** (President’s Day)

February 24 & 25 – STMCS Kindergarten Screening times TBA

March 3 & 6 – STMCS Evening Parent/Teacher Conferences 4-7:30 (AM Preschool & JK in session)

March 7 – **No School** (Bkgs School Dist Event)

March 21 – End of 3rd Quarter (March 31-April 4) SDSU Spring Break)

April 17-21 – **No School** (Easter Break) **Brookings IS having school on Holy Thursday, April 17-Holy Thursday**

May 23 – Last Day of School (**NOON** Dismissal) End of 4th Quarter

May 27 & 28 – Staff Wrap-up Day & Last Day

Forming Our Future Through Faith

St. Thomas More Catholic School Calendar of Special Events:

School Advisory Board Meeting:

2nd Thursday of each month @ 6:30

Open to the public

Home and School Association (HSA):

All School Families encouraged to get involved (PS, JK & K-5)

See Meeting Schedule and Special HSA Events Schedule

School-Sponsored Coffee & Rolls:

September 29th

December 29th

Possibly help Jan 26th to kick off CSW!!

March 30th

STMCS Events:

**** School Mass Weekly Wednesday @ 12:10 ****

August 24th: KC Golf Tourney @ Bkgs Country Club @ Noon Tee-time

August 29th: PS-5th Open House times by last name~ 10-11: A-H, 11-12: I-P & 12-1: Q-Z
& Parent's Night School Meeting 6:00-7:00 ~ Class meetings 7:00-7:30

September 15th: STMCS Foundation Day (Observed on another day of choice)

September 27th: STMCS Students Fun Run 1:45-3 PM

November 7nd-10th: Book Fair (Conferences and Turkey Dinner)

November/December: First Confession for 2nd Grade TBD

December 16th @ 10:45 AM ~ PS-4 & JK Class Program TBD

December 17th @ 10:45 AM ~ PS-3 & 2:00PM ~ Kindergarten – Grade 5 Program
Details TBD

January 26th-February 1st: Catholic Schools Week (CSW)

January 26th: STMCS Open House – For Parish between Masses

February 1st: STMCS 7th Annual Winter Gala

February 20th: STMCS Open House – For Public

May: First Communion for 2nd Grade ****TBD****

May 14th: STMCS Spring Program & Picnic

July 11th, 12th & 13th: Brookings Summer Arts Festival Taco Booth Set-up, Serving &
Tear down

****STMCS Teachers meet weekly at 2:45 in Room C, Music Room, or classrooms****