

BLACKSTONE END-OF-YEAR CHECKLIST

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This Year has taken many twists and turns, but together, we swam through it! Take a look at this list of tasks to wrap of the year before you head off to summer break!

1. The Last Day of School is MONDAY June 22 - it is an early release day, so class will be in session on 1 hour and 45 minutes
2. Reading Lists: Check in with your teacher about recommended summer reading for your class specifically!
3. If you're looking for more books to read over summer, check out [The Library Links page](#) for websites to view and download books and do virtual activities with your family at home!
4. The first day of next school year is September 10th for students in grades 1-5. Pre-k and Kindergarten students return to school September 14th. [Click here for the full district calendar](#). We will provide any updates about how students will return to school as they are available throughout the summer.
5. The new Blackstone Parent Handbook will be made available in August for both new and returning Blackstone families on our school website! All families should review that once it is published for information regarding school policies. We will notify families via email once the handbook is available.
6. Set Up your Aspen SIS Family Portal: Now more than ever, in the time of virtual learning, having updated email, phone, and other contact information for families is crucial in ensuring all students are connected to their school.
 - a. [Click Here to go to the Aspen SIS site to check that all your contact information is correct](#) - phone number, email address, any emergency contacts listed
 - b. [Click here for instructions on how to set up Family Portal Access](#). If you are setting up portal access for the first time and need a security code, email Lauren Blonde at lblonde@bostonpublicschools.org with your child's name.
 - c. If you need to update your physical address, you must call the BPS Welcome Center: 617-635-9010
7. Review your students Transportation: If your student rides the school bus, or is moving onto Middle school and you'd like to get them an MBTA pass, [please visit this website](#) for information for parents on how to request changes to your students transportation.
 - a. Please note the deadline for any transportation changes is AUGUST 1