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Bold = no classes or early release

2026-2027 Calendar	
August 24-28, 2026	New Faculty Orientation
August 31-September 4, 2026	Opening Faculty Meetings
September 3, 2026	New Student & Family Orientation - 4-5:30pm
September 7, 2026	**Labor Day Holiday - No Classes**
September 8, 2026	First Day of Classes - 8:30am Start
September 9-11, 2026	MS & US Confluence
September 15, 2026	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**
September 17, 2026	MS Back to School Night - 6pm
September 22, 2026	US Back to School Night - 5:30pm
September 22-25, 2026	MS Fall Traveling School
September 23-25, 2026	4th/5th Grade Confluence
September 25, 2026	K-3rd Outdoor School
September 28-October 2, 2026	US Fall Traveling School
October 1, 2026	LS Back to School Night - 5:30pm
October 9, 2026	**Professional Development Day - No Classes**
October 27, 2026	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**
November 11, 2026	**Veterans Day - No Classes**
November 12-13 2026	**PK-12 Fall Conferences - No Classes**
November 20, 2026	**Grandparents & Special Friends Day Half Day - 11:30am LS, 11:45am MS/US**
November 23, 2026	**Thanksgiving Break Begins**
November 30, 2026	Classes Resume
December 8, 2026	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**
December 18, 2026	**No US Classes / End of US Fall Term**
December 21, 2026	**Winter Break Begins**
January 4, 2027	**Professional Development Day - No Classes**
January 5, 2027	Classes Resume
January 18, 2027	**Martin Luther King Jr. Day - No Classes**
January 26, 2027	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**

January 29, 2027	**End LS / MS Fall Term - No Classes for LS & MS**
February 15, 2027	**Presidents Day - No Classes**
February 23, 2027	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**
February 26, 2026	**US Spring Conferences - No Classes for US**
March 6, 2027	Fundraising Celebration & Auction
March 9, 2027	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**
March 15, 2027	**Spring Break Begins**
March 29, 2027	**Professional Development Day - No Classes**
March 30, 2027	Classes Resume
April 13, 2027	**Early Release for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS/US**
April 16, 2027	**LS & MS Spring Conferences - No Classes for LS & MS**
Week of April 19, 2027	Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week
April 23, 2027	**US Half Day - 12pm**
April 26-May 5, 2027	US Spring Traveling School
May 6-7, 2027	**US No Classes**
May 11, 2027	**Early Release LS/MS for Professional Development 2pm LS; 2:15pm MS only; US Full Day**
May 17-May 21, 2027	4th/5th Grade Spring Traveling School
May 21, 2027	**MS Half Day - 12pm**
May 23-28, 2027	7th and 8th Grade Spring Traveling School
May 24-28, 2027	6th Grade Spring Traveling School
May 31, 2027	**Memorial Day – No Classes**
June 2-4, 2027	2nd/3rd Grade Spring Traveling School
June 10-11, 2027	LS Outdoor School
June 11, 2027	5th Grade Graduation and Movie Night
June 15, 2027	8th Grade Graduation, 5pm
June 16, 2027	**Last Day of Classes – Half Day**
June 17, 2027	Class of 2027 Graduation, 5pm
June 18, 2027	Closed for Juneteenth
June 21-22, 2027	Closing Faculty Meetings

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