

August 2016


August Testing Dates 29 Kindergarten readiness assessment begins	July 2016							September 2016						
	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
						1	2					1	2	3
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	24/31	25	26	27	28	29	30	25	26	27	28	29	30	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 Fall HS sports practices begin	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm Hearing for Public Input & Pre-development Public Work Session on FY18 Capital Budget & FY19-23 Capital Improvement Program 7:30 pm	19	20
21	22 School Staff Returns	23 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	24 Countywide Professional Learning Day	25	26	27
28	A School Begins for Students	B 29	30	A 31 First day of school for Pre-K/RECC	August holidays and other dates of interest 16 Ulambana/Obon - Buddhist 18 Raksha Bandhan - Hindu Calendar is subject to change. Please visit www.hcps.org for the most recent version.	

September 2016

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September Testing Dates		August 2016						
10	ACT	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
26	Fall MAP testing begins		1	2	3	4	5	6
		7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		28	29	30	31			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday					
September holidays and other dates of interest <i>National Hispanic-American Heritage Month (9/15-10/15)</i> 10 Hajj – Islam 12 Eid al-Adha – Islam (subject to moon)* *begins sunset of previous day				B	1	A	2	3			
4	5	B	6	A	7	B	8	A	9	10	
	Labor Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm		Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm Presentation of FY18 Capital Budget & FY19–23 Capital Improvement Program							
11	12	B	13	A	14	B	15	A	16	17	
	Professional Learning Day Schools closed for students	CAC New Member Orientation 7 pm Regular Meeting 7:30 pm									
18	B	19	A	20	B	21	A	22	B	23	24
					Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm Public Hearing, Work Session & Approval of FY18 Capital Budget & FY19–23 Capital Improvement Program						
25	A	26	B	27	A	28	B	29	A	30	

October 2016

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October Testing Dates	November 2016						
1 SAT	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
19 PSAT/NMSQT			1	2	3	4	5
22 ACT	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
26 Fall MAP testing ends	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	27	28	29	30			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
October holidays and other dates of interest 1 Navratri (10 days) – Hindu 3 Rosh Hashanah (2 days) – Jewish* 10 Columbus Day 11 Ashura – Islam 12 Yom Kippur – Jewish* 17 Sukkot (7 days) – Jewish* 20 Installation of Guru Granth Sahib – Sikh 21 MSEA Convention (2 days) 24 Shemini Atzeret – Jewish* 25 Simchat Torah – Jewish* 30 Diwali (5 days) – Hindu 31 Halloween 31 Hindu New Year – Hindu * begins at sunset of previous day							1
2	3 Schools and offices closed	B 4 Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	A 5	B 6 Interim progress reports issued	A 7	8	
9	B 10	A 11 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	12 Schools and offices closed	B 13	A 14	15 BOE Coffee and Conversation 9:30–11 am Thomas Viaduct MS	
16 HCPSS Community 5K & Fun Run	B 17	A 18 Board of Ed. meets with PTA Presidents & CAC 7:30 pm Last day to withdraw from high school course without penalty	B 19	A 20 Board of Ed. Meeting 3 pm	B 21	22	
30 23	A 31 Professional Learning Day Schools closed for students	B 24	A 25	B 26	A 27	28	
						29	

November 2016

November Testing Dates	October 2016						
4 Kindergarten readiness assessment ends	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
5 SAT	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
28 CogAT testing begins	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	23/30	24/31	25	26	27	28	29

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		B 1 PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	A 2	B 3 Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm	A 4 End of marking period	5
6	7 Professional Work Day Schools closed for students	8 General Election Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	B 9	A 10	B 11	12
13	A 14	B 15 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm Report cards issued	A 16 AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK	B 17 Board of Ed. fall luncheon with student leaders, noon Board of Ed. Meeting 3 pm	A 18	19
20	B 21 Schools close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC. ES/MS parent/teacher conferences and countywide HS Professional Learning	A 22 Schools close 3 hours early for parent/teacher conferences. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	23 Schools closed for students Parent/teacher conferences	24 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY	25 Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	26
27	B 28	A 29	B 30	November holidays and other dates of interest <i>National Native American Heritage Month</i> 1 All Saints Day – Christian 1 Birth of the Báb – Bahá'í* 2 Birth of Baha'u'llah – Baha'í* 6 Daylight Saving Time ends 11 Veterans Day 14 Guru Nanak Devji's Gurburab – Sikh 16 Education Support Professionals Day * begins at sunset of previous day		

December 2016

December Testing Dates	January 2017						
3 SAT	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
9 CogAT testing ends	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
10 ACT	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
19 Winter MAP testing begins	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30	31				


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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
December holidays and other dates of interest 8 Bodhi Day – Buddhist 12 Mawlid-al-Nabi – Islam (<i>subject to moon sightings</i>) 24 Christmas Eve – Christian 25 Christmas Day – Christian 26 Hanukkah (8 days) – Jewish* 26 Kwanzaa (7 days) – African American/Interfaith *begins sunset of previous day				A 1	B 2	3
4	A 5 Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	B 6	A 7	B 8	A 9	10
11	B 12	A 13 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	B 14	A 15 Board of Ed. Meeting 3 pm	B 16	17
18	A 19	B 20	A 21 Interim progress reports issued	B 22	A 23	24
25	26 Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	27 Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	28 Schools closed	29 Schools closed	30 Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	31
WINTER BREAK						

January 2017

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January Testing Dates		December 2016						
		Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
9	ACCESS testing begins					1	2	3
9-20	HSA testing window							
21	SAT	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
24-26	HS semester exams	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
31	Winter MAP testing ends	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 New Year's Day	2 B PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	3 A	4 B	5 A	6 B	7
8	9 A	10 B Presentation of the Supt's Proposed FY18 Operating Budget 7:30 pm	11 A	12 B Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm	13 A	14
15	16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	17 B CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	18 A	19 B	20 A	21 BOE Coffee and Conversation 9:30-11 am Running Brook ES
22 B	23 B	24 A (middle schools) HS High schools (only) close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	25 B (middle schools) HS High schools (only) close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	26 A (middle schools) HS Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm High schools (only) close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC. End of marking period	27 Professional Work Day Schools closed for students	28 BOE Coffee and Conversation Snow Date 9:30-11 am
29 A	30 B	31 B Board of Ed. Public Hearing on Supt's Proposed FY18 Operating Budget 7 pm	January holidays and other dates of interest 5 Guru Gobind Singh's Gurburab – Sikh 6 Epiphany – Christian 7 Feast of Nativity – Orthodox Christian 14 Makar Sankranti – Hindu 28 Lunar New Year – Chinese/Korean/Vietnamese			

February 2017

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February Testing Dates		March 2017						
11	ACT	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
15	ACCESS testing ends	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
16	ACCESS makeup window begins	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		26	27	28	29	30	31	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			A 1	B 2 Board of Ed. Public Work Session I on Supt's Proposed FY18 Operating Budget 1-5 pm	A 3 Report cards issued	4
5	B 6 PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	A 7 Board of Ed. Public Work Session II on Supt's Proposed FY18 Operating Budget 1-4 pm Public Hearing on School Start/Dismissal Time 7 pm	B 8	A 9 Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm	B 10	11
12	A 13 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	B 14 Board of Ed. Public Work Session III on Supt's Proposed FY18 Op. Budget 1-5 pm; Operating Budget Review Committee Report 5 pm; Public Hearing II on Supt's Proposed FY18 Op Budget 7 pm	A 15	B 16 Board of Ed. Public Work Session IV on Supt.'s Proposed FY18 Operating Budget 2-6 pm	A 17	18
19	20 Presidents' Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday) MAY BE USED AS inclement weather makeup day	21 Countywide Professional Learning Day Schools closed for students Adoption of FY18 Operating & Capital Budgets & FY19-23 Capital Improvement Program 9 am	B 22	A 23 Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm	B 24	25
26	A 27 Kindergarten and New First Grader Registration	B 28	February holidays and other dates of interest <i>National African-American History Month</i> 15 Nirvana Day – Buddhist			

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March Testing Dates		February 2017						
3	ACCESS makeup window ends	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
11	SAT	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
13-31	MSA science window	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		26	27	28				

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March holidays and other dates of interest <i>National Women's History Month</i> <i>Irish American History Month</i> 1 Ash Wednesday/Lent begins – Christian 12 Daylight Saving Time begins 12 Purim – Jewish* 13 Holi (two days) – Hindu 20 Naw-Ruz (Baha'i and Iranian New Year) *begins sunset of previous day			A 1	B 2 Board of Ed. meets with PTA Presidents & CAC 7:30 pm	A 3	4
_____ Kindergarten and New First Grader Registration _____						
5	B 6 PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	A 7	B 8 Interim progress reports issued	A 9 Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm Full day HS, ES and MS close 3 hours early for parent/teacher conferences. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	B 10 All schools close 3 hours early for parent/teacher conferences. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	11
12	A 13	B 14 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	A 15	B 16 BOE Coffee and Conversation 7:30–9 pm Glenelg HS	A 17 Last day to withdraw from 2nd semester high school course without penalty	18
19	B 20	A 21 Board of Ed. meets with PTA Presidents & CAC 7:30 pm (Inclement weather date)	B 22	A 23 Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm	B 24	25
26	A 27	B 28	A 29	B 30	A 31	

April 2017

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April Testing Dates	May 2017						
8 ACT	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
24 PARCC testing begins	1	2	3	4	5	6	
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30	31			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday					
April holidays and other dates of interest 9 Palm Sunday – Christian 9 Orthodox Palm Sunday – Orthodox Christian 11 Passover (8 days) – Jewish* 13 Vaisakhi (lunar calendar) – Sikh 14 Good Friday – Christian 16 Easter – Christian 16 Orthodox Easter – Orthodox Christian 17 Easter Monday 20 Ridvan (12 days) – Baha’i* 24 Yom HaShoah – Jewish* 26 Administrative Professionals Day 27 Take Your Child To Work Day *begins sunset of previous day							1				
2	B	3	A	4	B	5	A	6	B	7	8
	PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm						Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm		Schools close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC. End of marking period		
9	10	11	SPRING BREAK			12	13	14	15		
								Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)			
16	17	A	18	B	19	A	20	B	21	22	
	Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday) MAY BE USED AS inclement weather makeup day		CAC Meeting 7:30 pm			Board of Ed. spring luncheon with student leaders, noon	Board of Ed. Public Hearing on FY18 Op. & Cap. Budgets & FY19–23 Capital Improvement Prog. 4 pm				
23	A	24	B	25	A	26	B	27	A	28	29
30			Report cards issued			Board of Ed. Work Session on FY18 Op. & Cap. Budgets & FY19–23 Capital Improvement Prog. 7:30 pm (if necessary)					

May 2017

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May Testing Dates		April 2017						
1	Spring MAP testing begins	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
6	SAT	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
22	HSA testing begins	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		23/30	24	25	26	27	28	29


Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	B _____ 1 PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	A _____ 2 TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK	B _____ 3	A _____ 4 Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm	B _____ 5	_____ 6
_____ 7	A _____ 8	B _____ 9 CAC Meeting 7:30 pm	A _____ 10	B _____ 11	A _____ 12	_____ 13
_____ 14	B _____ 15	A _____ 16	B _____ 17	A _____ 18 Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm	_____ 19 Professional Learning /Articulation Day Schools closed for students	_____ 20
_____ 21	B _____ 22	A _____ 23	B _____ 24 Interim progress reports issued (moved from 5/18)	A _____ 25 Adoption of FY18 Op. & Cap. Budgets & FY19-23 Capital Improvement Prog. 9 am	B _____ 26	_____ 27
_____ 28	_____ 29 Memorial Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	A _____ 30	B _____ 31	May holidays and other dates of interest <i>National Asian-American Heritage Month</i> 10 Visakha Puja (Buddha Day) – Buddhist 14 Mother's Day 23 Declaration of the Báb – Bahá'í* 25 Ascension Day – Christian 27 Ramadan (30 Days) – Islam (subject to moon sighting)* 28 Ascension of Baha'u'llah – Baha'i* 31 Shavuot – Jewish*		

* begins sunset of previous day

June 2017

Updated to adjust for one inclement weather day used on 3/14/17.

June Testing Dates	July 2017						
	Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
3 SAT							1
6 PARCC testing ends							8
9 Spring MAP testing ends	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9 HSA testing ends	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
10 ACT	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Last 4 days of school	23/30	24/31	25	26	27	28	29
HS exams							

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
June holidays and other dates of interest 4 Pentecost – Christian 14 Flag Day 18 Father's Day 25 Eid al Fitr – Islam (<i>subject to moon sighting</i>)* * begins sunset of previous day				A 1	B 2	3
4	A 5 PTA Council General Meeting 7:30 pm	B 6	A 7	B 8 Board of Ed. Meeting 6 pm	A 9	10
11	B 12 HS High schools (only) close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC.	A 13 All schools close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	B 14 Last Student Day All schools close 3 hours early. No half-day Pre-K/RECC	15 MAY BE USED AS inclement weather makeup day	16 MAY BE USED AS inclement weather makeup day	17
18	19 MAY BE USED AS inclement weather makeup day	20 MAY BE USED AS inclement weather makeup day	21	22 Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm Presentation of Feasibility Study	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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June 2017						
Sun	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
July holidays and other dates of interest 24 Pioneer Day – Mormon						1
2	3	4 Independence Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		Board of Ed. Meeting 4 pm				
30 \	23 \ 31	24	25	26	27	28
						29