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Committed to creating a safe, respectful and responsive environment where each student will meet or exceed academic standards and develop strategies for success .

Hello Hopkins Families,

We hope everyone enjoyed their Thanksgiving holiday! Before you know it winter break will be here, and we will be at the end of the second nine weeks.

Our Giving Tree, sponsored by Student Council, continues to grow. We will be collecting items (hats, gloves, underwear and socks) for Hope Chest until December 21st. Thanks to everyone for your generosity! On the same note, if you know of any family who could use some additional support this holiday season, please let us know.

As we enter the winter months of recess, it would be beneficial for your child to keep an extra change of clothes in their bookbag in case they get wet. Please dress your child daily for the weather; more clothing is better than not enough. As long as the temperature and wind chill are above 20 degrees, the students will be outside.

Santa Shop will take place December 6th and 7th at Hopkins during the school day. All items are $2 and students have a scheduled time to shop with their class.

Lost and Found items continue to multiply! The area for lost and found is located in the hallway across from the gym. All items that are not claimed by December 21st will be donated. In order to keep track of your child's items, please write their name inside clothing, bookbags and lunch boxes so they don't end up in the lost and found.

Parent pick up and drop off typically increases during this time of year due to the weather. Please keep the following in mind in order to keep all of the students and adults safe.

- Parents must park and wait by door #27 for their child(ren) to be released by the staff member at dismissal (3:10PM)
- As parking is limited, please be **extremely** cautious of pedestrians.
- Students should be escorted by an adult in the lot.
- Cars should never drive along the yellow walk zone to pass another vehicle.
- When dropping off, students must exit the right side of the vehicle.

We appreciate your cooperation to keep everyone safe at Hopkins!

During this busy season, remember to take some time with your family to relax and enjoy yourselves!

Christine Miley

Hopkins Calendar

December

- 12/5 PTA paint night
- 12/6-12/7 Santa Shop
- 12/10 Ambassador Mtg. 8:00
- 12/13 Art Club 8:00
- 12/13 Student Council 8:15
- 12/20 Art Club 8:00
- 12/21 Holiday Parties:
  K-2 10:15-11:00
  3-5 2:00-2:45
- 12/22-1/2 Winter Break
  No School

January

- 1/3 School Resumes
- 1/7 Officer Phil Program K-3
- 1/9 Officer Phil Program 4-5
- 1/10 Art Club 8:00

School Reminders

Attendance Guidelines

Student Time: 9:00-3:10

If your child will be absent or late, please contact the school office no later than 9:15. School lunches must be ordered by that time. We have a voicemail system that comes on at 4 p.m. to report absent or late students.

Early Pick-up

Student must have a note from parents when being picked up early for a medical, dental or other appointment. Please include the time of the pickup.

After School Change in Dismissal

For your child's safety, students must have a note for any change in their after school dismissal. This includes any after school activities. For parents convenience please use the "Note to Hopkins" pad has been supplied to all parents. Do *NOT* email changes to teachers as they may be absent or unavailable to access their email. Do not hesitate to call the office with any changes.

Bus Passes

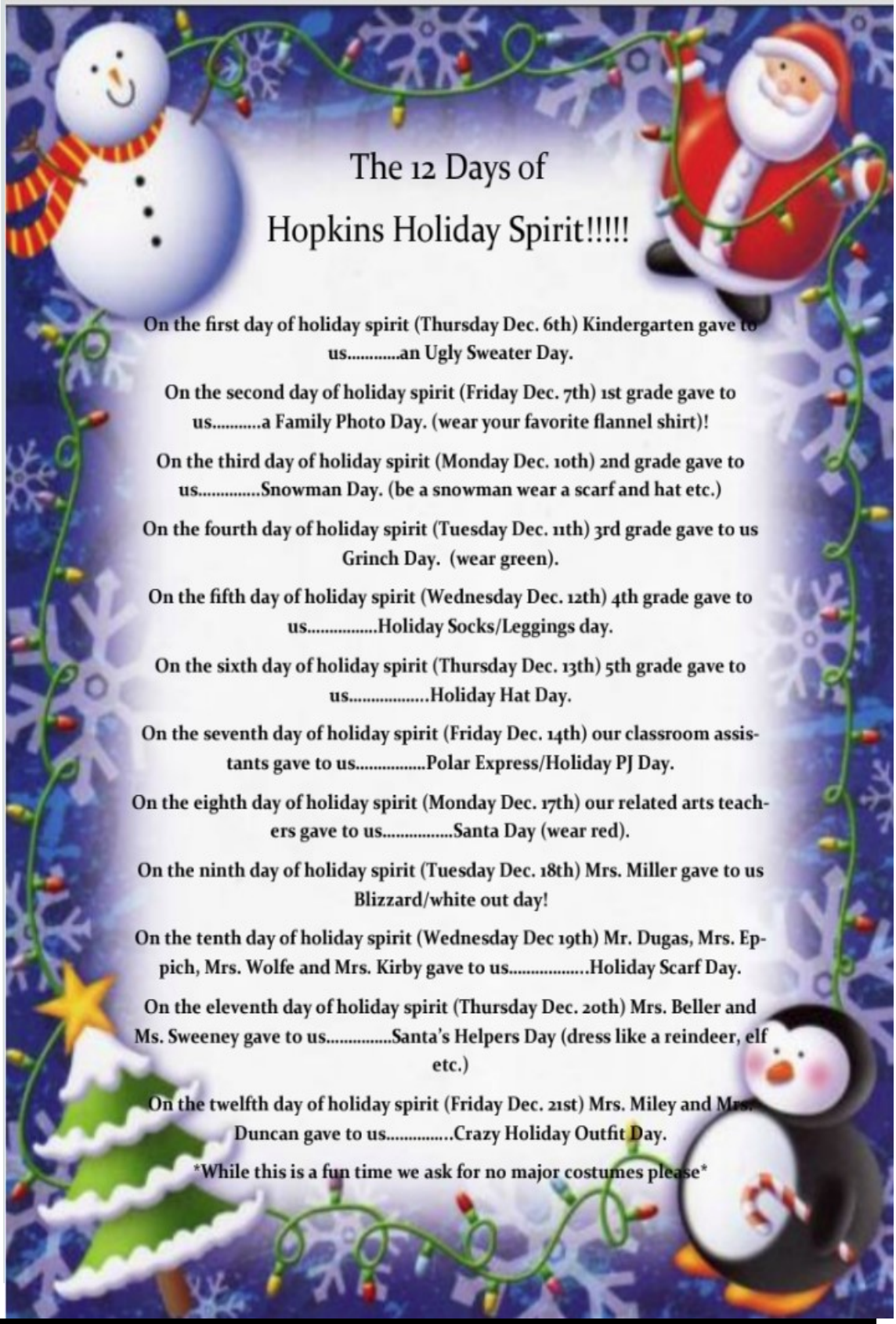
Bus passes will only be issued for emergency child care. They will not be given for play dates.

Student Car Drop-off

Please DO NOT drop off students in the front U-shaped parking lot during arrival times. This is a severe safety risk due to the numerous afternoon and morning busses stopping at Hopkins. When dropping off students before school from 8:45 a.m. to 9 a.m. parents are directed to use the side parking lot entrance and exit for this purpose. To ensure the safety of students, a staff member is on duty from 8:45 a.m. to 9 a.m. at the side entrance. Please pull as far forward as possible in the drop off zone to allow at least 5 cars to empty. **Please follow the right turn only sign when exiting for safety and to ease congestion on Hopkins Road.** If a student needs assistance with any items, please park in the parking lot and escort him or her into school.

Students should always exit the vehicle on the school side of the car.

Holiday Smencils are ON SALE NOW for $1.00 at the Student Council Supply Store!!!! The store is open every Tuesday and Thursday from 8:45-9:00



November Students of the Month who demonstrated Acceptance

Capri Puruczky

Gia Ranallo

Caleb Smrdel

Declan Reidy

Autumn Latta

Emilee Cook

Robert Wilterdink

Oliver Schoening

Linsay Kilfoyle

Riley Henninger

Sebastian Huth

Annie Richards

Parker Plataz

Austin Tekavec

Emmett Peters

Mia Sexstella

Collan Lloyd

Adeleigh Wilson

Gianna Bowes

Alex Klimo

Riley McDonald

Ethan Robinson-Braithwaite

Bryn Crasto

Vivian Vaughn

Mason Pasquale

Aidan Ahlborn

Sam Schriner

Connor Smith

Anna Kinsey

Tyler Pozsgai

Libby Clemens

Ben Lambert

Chase Pratt

Josh Nobbe

Kyleigh Santone

Ethan Blatter

Rylan Blood

Alex Fellows

Maggie Coughlin

Liam Reidy

Carly Mignogna

Colton Hook

Claire Schmidt

Molly Tenney

Ray Bazdar

Jack Vanhimbergen

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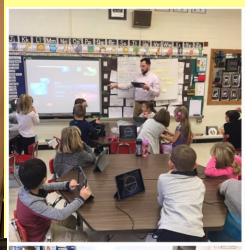
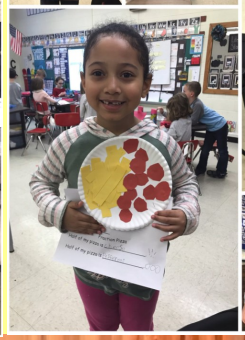
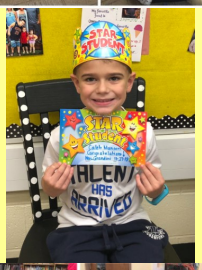
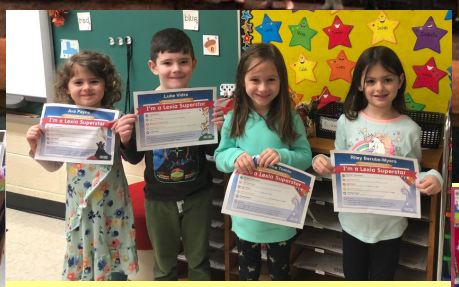
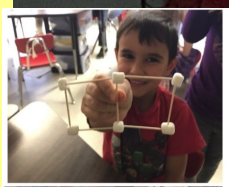
HOPKINS HAPPENINGS

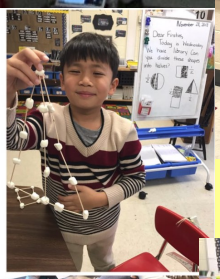


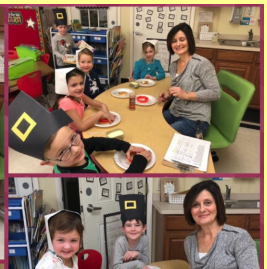












Hopkins ELEMENTARY PTA

Together WE ARE Stronger

Mark Your Calendar

Family Paint Night: *Wednesday, December 5th from 6pm-7:30pm at Hopkins. Spots are filling up fast! Sign-up and pay TODAY:*

https://my.cheddarup.com/c/paint-night-34544

Santa Shop: *Thursday, 12/6 & Friday, 12/7, during school hours, at Hopkins. See our PTA website for more details. **Volunteer Elves Needed** Sign-up today:*

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0c44a4ad2ca6f49-hopkins1?scrlybrkr

November 30th

@ptahopkins

HopkinsPTA

hopkinspta@gmail.com

save the date

Marco's Pizza Fundraiser: Tuesday, December 11th from 10am-11:30pm. Order from Marco's, in Painesville, and 15% of each order will come back to our school.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Want an easy way to fundraise for our school? Be sure to collect those Box Tops and send them into school by Friday, December 7th!

Visit our NEW PTA website: **http://hopkinspta.org/**

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National Honor Society
would like to invite you
to our annual
grades K-3
Holiday Party!
Date: 12.13.2018
Time: 5:30-7:30pm
Mentor High School
Student Center
$4.00 admission
Join us for crafts
and games!
GreetingsIsland.com

Hello Parent/Guardian,

I am excited to invite you and your student(s) to our holiday open house "A Season of Love and Laughter". It is open to students in kindergarten through third grade and will be held in the student center of Mentor High School on Thursday, December 13th from 5:30-7:30pm.

This will be a Christmas themed party that will allow the young students of our district to celebrate the season and interact with students from different schools. We will have many fun activities including cookie decorating, crafts, and games. We encourage the students to dress in their most festive holiday clothes to help celebrate the season. Elves will be there to help make sure the students have a safe and wonderful time.

The cost of admission will be $4.We invite you as a parent/guardian to stay and we will have an area reserved for you to visit with other parents as your child enjoys the planned activities.

Much appreciation,

Stacey Kerul
National Honor Society Adviser
Mentor High School

Kerul@mentorschools.org

December 2018

Lunch With Milk $2.90

Milk Only $.50

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 ***BONUS*** **BOSCO BREADSTICK W/ MARINARA SAUCE** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Broccoli w/ Dip Packet Carrot Snack Pack Dragon Juice Applesauce or 100% Juice Cup Milk Variety ***SUGAR COOKIE**	4 ***BONUS*** **POPCORN CHICKEN** **with** **-Or-** **HASH BROWN TRIANGLES** **CRISPY CHICKEN PATTY SANDWICH** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Cucumber Slices Carrot Snack Pack SIDEKICKS FROZEN FRUIT CUP Milk Variety **Kellogg's Rice Krispies Treats** **Chocolatey Chip**	5 **MINI PANCAKES, SAUSAGE LINKS, AND HASH BROWN POTATO TRIANGLES** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **-Or-** **Sides Available:** Carrot/Celery Sticks Buttermilk Ranch Dressing Apple Slices Milk Variety	6 **SUPER NACHOS W/ BAKED TOSTITO'S** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Black Bean and Corn Tomato Salsa Diced Pears Applesauce or 100% Juice Cup Milk Variety	7 **FOOTLONG HOT DOG on BUN** **-Or-** **CRISPY CHICKEN PATTY SANDWICH** **WITH** **TATOR TOTS** **Sides Available:** BBQ Baked Beans Peach Cup Apple Slices Milk Variety
10 ***BONUS*** **CHEESE CALZONE** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Broccoli w/ Dip Packet Carrot Snack Pack Dragon Juice Applesauce or 100% Juice Cup Milk Variety ***CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE**	11 **TERIYAKI CHICKEN WITH RICE** **with** **-Or-** **CRISPY CHICKEN PATTY SANDWICH** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Cucumber Slices Carrot Snack Pack Fresh Fruit Variety SIDEKICKS FROZEN FRUIT CUP Milk Variety	12 **EGGO BITES MINI FRENCH TOAST** **CHOC CHIP/SAUSAGE LINKS/CRISPY POTATOES** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Cucumber Slices Carrot Snack Pack Fresh Fruit Variety Milk Variety	13 **SOFT TACOS WITH BEEF AND CHEESE** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Black Bean and Corn Tomato Salsa Diced Pears Applesauce or 100% Juice Cup Milk Variety	14 **MINI CORN DOGS** **WITH** **GOLDEN CORN** **CRISPY CHICKEN PATTY SANDWICH** **-Or-** **Sides Available:** BBQ Baked Beans Peach Cup Apple Slices SIDEKICKS FROZEN FRUIT CUP Milk Variety
17 ***BONUS*** **CHICKEN NUGGETS** **with** Soft Pretzel **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Broccoli w/ Dip Packet Dragon Juice Applesauce or 100% Juice Cup SIDEKICKS FROZEN FRUIT CUP Milk Variety ***CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE**	18 ***BONUS*** **RECTANGLE CHEESE PIZZA** **-Or-** **CRISPY CHICKEN PATTY SANDWICH** **WITH** **TATOR TOTS** BBQ Baked Beans With Choice of One Peach Cup Apple Slices 100% Orange Juice Cup Milk Variety **Scooby-Doo Graham Cracker Sticks**	19 **FRENCH TOAST STICKS, SAUSAGE LINKS AND HASH BROWN POTATO TRIANGLES** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Cucumber Slices Carrot Snack Pack Fresh Fruit Variety Milk Variety	20 **SUPER NACHOS W/ BAKED TOSTITO'S** **-Or-** **ROUND CHEESE PIZZA** **Sides Available:** Romaine Salad Black Bean and Corn Tomato Salsa Diced Pears Applesauce or 100% Juice Cup Milk Variety	21 ***COOK'S CHOICE***
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Hey, Moms and Dads! Need a day out? Do your shopping, wrapping, or just have some "me" time...let your kids visit **Top 25 and Santa's Helpers** on Saturday, **December 15th from 1:00-5:00 p.m.** for **Camp Candy Cane.** Children ages 4-10 (potty trained) will enjoy crafts, games, snack time, story time, cookie decorating, a visit with Santa, and lots more holiday fun! The doors open for sign-in at 12:30 p.m. in the Mentor Fine Arts Center Lobby, 6477 Center St. Cost is $20 for one child, $35 for 2 children, and $10 each additional **sibling.** Questions?...contact top25showchoir@gmail.com or visit top25showchoir.org for more information.

Lake Erie Silver Dolphins is one of the oldest and most prestigious swim clubs in the United States. We invite swimmers of all ages to join us for individual tryouts at **Spire Institute,** 5201 Spire Circle, Geneva, OH. Our nationally recognized coaching staff has experience growing novice to Olympic level athletes.

- Just bring a swimsuit, towel, and goggles
- No pre-registration required
- Visit LESD.org for more information.

SPIRE INSTITUTE

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Love Those Cards Event

Please join us for the **8th Annual Youth Cheerleading Clinic** for students in grades K-8 at the MHS Auxiliary Gym on **Sunday, February 3, 2019, 12:30-2:30 p.m.** The cost of the clinic is $20.00 per cheerleader. Checks should be made payable to Cardinal Parents Club. We will perform during halftime at the Varsity game on **Friday, February 8, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.** A Participation Form/Emergency Medical Waiver is attached to this newsletter. For more information, call or email Dawn Cavell at 440-974-5217 or **cavell@mentorschools.org.**

Holiday Skate and Ice Show...at the Mentor Ice Arena. Come out and skate to holiday songs on **Sunday, December 16h from 1:30-3:30 p.m.** Admission is $4.00; skate rental is $2.00. Stay to watch the Mentor Figure Skaters perform in a **free** Holiday Ice Show directly following the open skate.

Love Those Cards Event

Eighth Annual Youth Cheerleading Clinic: K- 8th grade

Cost: $20.00 per cheerleader

Mentor High School- Auxiliary Gym

Clinic: Feb. 3st 2019 @ 12:30-2:30

Performance: Feb. 8th 2019 @7:30 Varsity half time show

- T-Shirts that will be worn on Feb. 8th are guaranteed if payment made by Jan. 21st
- NO REFUNDS
- Complete the participation and emergency medical form cash or check-payable to:
  Cardinal Parents Club,
  send to:
  Dawn Cavell
  6477 Center St. Mentor, OH 44060
  Phone # 440-974-5217

To have the forms sent to you by email contact me at:

cavell@mentorschools.org

Participation Form and Emergency Medical Waiver

***Please send this form along with $20.00 payment of cash or check to Dawn Cavell Mentor High School (6477 Center St. Mentor, Oh 44060) by January 21, 2018 to guarantee a spot in the clinic.**

Make checks payable to: Cardinal Parents Club

Cheerleader Name:_____ (First and Last)

Address: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ Email:_____

School: _____ Grade:_____

Cheerleader's shirt size: _____(YS, YM, YL, XS, S, M, L, XL)

Emergency Medical Release: In the event of an emergency, I hereby grant permission to the school and its employees to take whatever action deemed necessary. In the event that I cannot be reached, I hereby authorize the school and/or its employees to give consent for my cheerleader, _____to receive medical treatment.

Emergency contact:_____

Phone: _____

Doctor: _____Phone:_____

Medical conditions (including injuries, allergies and current medications):

_____

_____

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If you do not give permission or authorization for consent to medical treatment, what procedure would you like followed? (Please state.)_____

_____

Parent Signature:_____ Date:_____

Insurance Status: (Please check one):

____I will take out or have taken out the policy covered by the school.

____My cheerleader is currently covered by insurance and the school is not liable for any injury that occurs during cheerleading practice, performance or any other cheerleading activity.

Date: _____

Name of Insurance Company: _____

Policy Number: _____

2018-2019 CALENDAR
MENTOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

August 2018

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August 16	Students' First Day
September 3	Labor Day (no school)
October 12	NEOEA Day (no school)
October 19	All Staff Report (no school)
November 21	Compensatory Day (no school)
November 22 - 23	Thanksgiving Break (no school)
November 26	Classified Staff Report Only (no school)
Dec. 24- Jan. 1	Winter Break (no school)

2019

January 2	Staff Professional Development Day (no school)
January 3	Classes Resume
January 21	Martin Luther King Day (no school)
February 18	Presidents' Day (no school)
March 8	All Staff Report (no school)
March 11 - 15	Spring Break (no school)
April 19	No School
April 22	Compensatory Day (no school)
May 22	Students' Last Day
May 23	Records Day (no school)

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Staff Professional Developmental Days –
Aug. 13,14,15 2018; Nov. 26, 2018; Jan. 2, 2019

= BREAKS / HOLIDAYS

= CERTIFIED AND/OR CLASSIFIED INSERVICE/RECORDS DAY

GRADING PERIODS

1st Qtr.
August 16 – October 19

2nd Qtr.
October 22 – December 21

3rd Qtr.
January 3 – March 8

4th Qtr.
March 18 – May 22

JULY 2018

2019-2020 CALENDAR
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2020

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January 7	Classes Resume
January 20	Martin Luther King Day (no school)
February 17	Presidents' Day (no school)
March 13	All Staff Report (no school)
March 16 - 20	Spring Break (no school)
April 10	No School
April 13	Compensatory Day (no school)
May 25	Memorial Day (no school)
May 28	Students' Last Day
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January 7 – March 13
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