2019 - 2020 Calendar of Events



AUGUST

- 29 Kindergarten Orientation: 1:00pm-1:30pm
- 29 New Family Welcome and Middle School Orientation
 - · Lower School: 1:30pm-2:30pm
 - · Middle School: 1:30pm-3:00pm

SEPTEMBER

- 3 First day of school (Full Day Grades 2-8); ESPO Welcome Coffee
- 3-6 Half days for 1st grade (12:00pm dismissal), child care available
- 3–13 Half days for kindergarten (12:00pm dismissal), child care available
- 4-6 Middle School Musical auditions (2:45pm-6:00pm)
 - 5 Lower School Curriculum Night (7:00pm), child care available
 - 8 Back-to-School Picnic (4:30-7:00pm)
 - 9 First grade begins full day
- 12 Band & orchestra petting zoo
- 12 Middle School Curriculum Night (6:45pm), no child care
- 13 Pizza lunch begins (no kindergarten)
- 16 Kindergarten begins full day
- 17 ESPO meeting and speaker (8:30am)

OCTOBER

- 10 Picture day
- 10-12 Soccer tournament
 - 16 Parent-teacher conferences (3:00pm-8:00pm), child care available 3:00pm-8:00pm
 - 17 **No school:** Parent-teacher conferences (8:00am-3:00pm), child care available 8:00am-6:00pm
- 17-18 Middle School Band & Orchestra to Frankenmuth (8:30am 10/17-4:00pm 10/18)
 - 18 **No school:** Child care available 8:00am-6:00pm
- 20-23 ISACS Visiting Team at Emerson
 - 22 ESPO Meeting w/ ISACS Visiting Team (8:30am)
 - 25 Half day (12:00pm dismissal), ISACS in-service, no pm child care
 - 26 Girls' volleyball tournament
- 26-27 All-State Band & Orchestra auditions (7th and 8th grade)
 - 31 Halloween Parade (8:45am), Carnival (morning)

NOVEMBER

- 1 **Late start** (10:00am): faculty and staff in-service, child care available 7:30am-9:45am
- 5 K-8 student-led school tour and admissions information meeting (9:00am-10:30am)
- 15 Picture retake day
- 17 Book Fair at Nicola's (5:00-8:00pm)
- 22 Middle School Musical (7:00pm)
- 23 Middle School Musical (1:00pm)
- 26 Bake Sale; Grandparents' & Special Friends' Day; 1st trimester ends
- 27-29 No school: Thanksgiving break, no child care

DECEMBER

- 2 No school: Report writing, no child care
- 12 Middle School Band & Orchestra Concert (7:00pm)
- 13 Book Quest Finale for grades 4-5 (3:00pm)
- 17 Lower and Middle School Band, Orchestra, and Chorus bowling party (3:00pm-5:00pm)
- 20 **Half day** (12:00pm dismissal); Winter Sharing festivities, no afternoon child care
- 23-Jan. 3 No school: Winter Break, no child care

JANUARY

- Dec. 23-3 No school: Winter Break, no child care
 - 6 School resumes
 - 16-18 Boys' basketball tournament
 - 16-18 All-State Band & Orchestra (Grand Rapids)
 - 17 K-1 Admissions Information Meeting (10:00am-11:00am)
 - 20 **No school:** MLK Day, no child care
 - 24 Pizza lunch orders end (1st Semester)
 - 29 Lower school band, orchestra & chorus assembly (1:45pm); lower school band, orchestra, & chorus concert (7:00pm)
- 27-Feb. 12 ERB testing (Grades 4-8)

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FEBRUARY

- Jan. 27–12 ERB testing (Grades 4–8)
 - 3 Financial aid application deadline
 - 6 Science Night (6:30pm) tentative
 - 7 **Half day for K:** Kindergarten applicant visit day (11:30am dismissal for K only), afternoon child care available for kindergarten
 - 8 Solo & Ensemble Festival (Livonia)
- 13, 14, 17 No school: Mid-Winter Break, no child care
 - 18 School resumes
 - 21 Middle School Band & Orchestra Survivor (3:00pm-7:00pm)
 - 25 ESPO meeting and speaker (8:30am)

MARCH

- Re-enrollment cancellation deadline
- 5-6 Hearing and vision screening
 - 6 Middle School Play (7:00pm)
- 13 2nd trimester ends
- 13 Emerson Annual Auction (6:00pm)
- 18 Middle School Band & Orchestra assembly (1:45pm);
 Middle School Band & Orchestra Concert & Art Presentation (7:00pm)
- 19-21 Girls' basketball tournament
 - 20 **Half day for K:** Kindergarten applicant visit day (11:30am dismissal for K only), afternoon child care available
 - 25 Parent-teacher conferences (3:00pm-8:00pm), child care available 3:00pm-8:00pm
 - 26 **No school:** parent-teacher conferences (8:00am-3:00pm), child care available 8:00am-6:00pm
 - 27 **No school:** child care available 8:00am-6:00pm
- 30-Apr. 3 **No school:** Spring Break, Spring Break camp available 8:00am-6:00pm

APRIL

- Mar. 30-3 No school: Spring Break,
 - Spring Break camp available 8:00am-6:00pm
 - 6 School resumes
 - 13-15 Art Show preparation
 - 17 Passport to the World (5:00-8:00pm)
 - 23 Grades 2-3 Art & Music Night (7:00pm)
 - 28 Kindergarten Art & Music Sharing (1:00pm); 1st grade Art & Music Sharing (2:00pm)
 - 29 Late start (10:00am): Faculty and staff in-service, child care available 7:30am-9:45am

MAY

- 1 **Half day for K**: Kindergarten applicant visit day (11:30am dismissal for K only), afternoon child care available
- 5 Faculty & Staff Appreciation Luncheon
- 7 Gallery Walk featuring grades 4 & 5 community music ensembles (7:00pm)
- 8 Middle school elective assembly
- 12 ESPO meeting and speaker (8:30am)
- 13 Lower School Chorus & Spring Story (7:00pm)
- 21 Lower and Middle School Band & Orchestra assembly (1:45pm); Lower and Middle School Potluck Picnic Pops & Awards Ceremony (6:00pm)
- 22 No school: Report writing, no child care
- 25 No school: Memorial Day, no child care
- 28-29 Used book sale
 - 29 Middle School Band & Orchestra Cedar Point trip (7:30am-10:30pm)

JUNE

- 1-5 Middle School trips (6th, 7th, and 8th grade)
 - 5 Pizza lunch and milk orders end (2nd semester)
 - 10 Field Day
 - 1 Last day of school (K-7); Awards Assembly (9:45am); 1:00pm dismissal, no afternoon child care
- 12 Class of 2020 Graduation Ceremony (10:00am), no child care