



2017 – 2018 SCHOOL CALENDAR (School Hours 9:20 a.m. – 3:50 p.m.)

AUGUST

- 1 Full Tuition Payments Due
to Qualify for 2% Discount
- 21 Soccer Practices Begin
- 26 Family Work Day,
10:00 – 12:00 Noon (choice 1 of 2)
All School BBQ Potluck, 12:00 Noon
- 28 Family Work Night,
6:30 – 8:30 p.m. (choice 2 of 2)
- 28-Sept. 1 Teachers' Workshop
- 30-31 New Student Testing & Orientation,
9:00 – 12 Noon
- 31 Back-to-School Open House, 7-8 p.m.

SEPTEMBER

- 4 Labor Day: No School
- 5 School Begins, 9:20 a.m.
- 14-15 Hope High Retreat (Grades 9-12)
- 21 New Parent Orientation,
6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
- 27 See You at the Pole Prayer Time

OCTOBER

- 7 "Building Hope for the Next Generation":
Marathon for Private Education
HCA Fund Raising Drive
- 11 PSAT (College Entrance Exam)
- 19-20 ACSI Teacher's Convention: No School
- 26 Fall Student Photographs
- 27-28 CAL Volleyball and Soccer Tournament
at St. Croix Falls, WI

NOVEMBER

- 3 End of 1st Quarter, Dismiss at 12:00
No Afternoon Bus
- 10 VISIT DAY and Open House
- 13 Boys and Girls Basketball Begins
- 16,20 Parent/Teacher Conferences,
5:00 – 9:00 p.m.
- 23-24 Thanksgiving Break: No School

DECEMBER

- 1 VISIT DAY and Open House
No Busing Provided
- 15 Christmas Program, 7:00 p.m.
- 21-Jan. 2 CHRISTMAS VACATION

JANUARY

- 3 School Resumes
- 15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day: No School
- 19 End of Second Quarter, Dismiss at 12:00
No Afternoon Bus
- 25 HCA Open House, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.
- 26 VISIT DAY and Open House

FEBRUARY

- 1, 5 Parent / Teacher Conferences
5:00 – 9:00 p.m.
- 5-9 Spirit Week
- 16 VISIT DAY and Open House
- 19 Presidents' Day: No School

MARCH

- 1-3 CAL Basketball Tournament in Mankato
- 12 VISIT DAY and Open House
No Busing Provided
- 17 "Building Hope for the Next Generation":
Spaghetti Supper and Silent Auction
4:30 – 7:30 p.m.
- 23 End of Third Quarter, Dismiss at 12:00
No Afternoon Bus
- 26-30 SPRING BREAK: No School

APRIL

- 13 HCA Student Convention
- 18-20 ACE Regional Student Convention
(Grades 8-12)
- 24-26 National Achievement Testing
- 27 VISIT DAY and Open House

MAY

- 2 Grandparent's Day Program (Wednesday)
- 10 Spring Program (Thursday), 7:00 p.m.
- 11 VISIT DAY and Open House
- 18 HCA Track and Field Day
- 28 Memorial Day: No School
- 31 Last Day of Classes

JUNE

- 1 Graduation/Awards Ceremony, 7 p.m.
Teachers' Work Day
(Please don't schedule family vacations on June 1 & 2)
- 4 Teacher's Work Day
- 11 Summer School Session I Begins

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