

2018-2019 CALENDAR DATES

- Aug 20 - Emails regarding class placement sent out
- Aug 21 - New Family orientation (1-2:00 pm in café)
- Sept 5 - Meet the teacher

- Sept 6 - First day of school/First day coffee (8:45am in café)
- Sept 7 - Homeroom parent letters due
- Sept 7 - K/1/New Families Recruitment Night (6:00-7:00)
- Sept 10 - Kid Stuff books go out
- Sept 12 - Homeroom parent confirmation emails sent
- Sept 12 - Spirit day/School-wide Assembly – wear blue/white
- Sept 14 - Pizza Night (5:30-7:30pm)/5th Grade Bake Sale
- Sept 17, 24 - BJ Ward - Grade 5
- Sept 17 - Box Tops collection begins
- Sept 18 - Homeroom Parent Orientation (6:30pm in the library)
- Sept 19 - No School - Yom Kippur
- Sept 25 - Back-to-School Night (6:00/6:30 pm)
- Sept 26 - Preschool/ CBAP Coffee (9-10am in café)
- Sept 27 - Parent Advisory Council Mtg (9:00am)

- Oct 1, 15 - 5th Grade visiting poet – BJ Ward (Luncheon - 15th)
- Oct 3 - PTO General Meeting (9:00am)*- Hozeny Roundtable
- Oct 3 - Staff PD Day - 12:45 Dismissal
- Oct 4 - Volunteer Orientation (9am)
- Oct 5 - Movie Afternoon – MPS Scholarship Fund (3:30-5:15 pm)
- Oct 8 - Picture Day
- Oct 10 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day – wear blue/white
- Oct 25 - Parent Advisory Council Mtg (9:00am)
- Oct 26 - Giving Tree Starts
- Oct 26 - Monster Mash Dance (6:30-8:00pm)/5th Grade Bake Sale
- Oct 31 - Halloween Parade – preschool (11am & 2pm)
- Oct 31 - Halloween Parade – preschool/CBAP & K-5 (2pm)

- Nov 2 - Bingo Night (5:30-7:00pm) in the café/5th Grade bake sale
- Nov 7 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day – wear blue/white
- Nov 7 - 12:45 Dismissal/Staff PD Day/Diwali
- Nov 8-9 - No School – NJEA Teacher Convention
- Nov 13 - Parent Teacher Conferences - Afternoon; 12:45 Dismissal
- Nov 14 - Parent Teacher Conferences - Afternoon; 12:45 Dismissal
- Nov 15 - Parent Teacher Conferences - Evening; 12:45 Dismissal
- Nov 16 - Parent Teacher Conferences - Afternoon; 12:45 Dismissal
- Nov 12-16 - Book Fair
- Nov 13 - Marking Period 1 Ends (Gr 4 & 5)
- Nov 16 - Giving Tree Gifts Due
- Nov 21 - Turkey Grams delivered
- Nov 21 - 12:45 Early Dismissal
- Nov 22-23 - No School – Thanksgiving Recess
- Nov 26 - Dance Residency begins
- Nov 27 - Report Cards Online (Gr 4 & 5)

- Dec 5 - Trimester 1 Marking Period Ends (K-3)
- Dec 6 - International Day Dance Rehearsal Assembly 1:45 PM
- Dec 7 - International Day and Night (5:00/7:00 pm Gym)
- Dec 12 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day – wear blue/white
- Dec 13 - Parent Advisory Council Meeting (9:00 am)
- Dec 14 - Staff Cookie Exchange
- Dec 14 - Trimester Report Cards Online (K-3)
- Dec 14 - Movie Afternoon – MPS Scholarship Fund (3:30-5:15 pm)
- Dec 21 - Winter sing-along (8:50am)
- Dec 21 - Early Dismissal (12:45pm)
- Dec 24th –
- Jan 1st - No School – Winter Recess

- Jan 2 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day – wear blue/white
- Jan 8 - Band/Orchestra/Chorus Concert at Ridge PAC (6:00pm)
- Jan 16 - PTO General Mtg (9:00am)
- Jan 18 - MPS Talent Show sponsored by PTO
- Jan 21 - No School - Martin Luther King Jr Day
- Jan 24 - Parent Advisory Council Mtg (9:00 am)
- Jan 25 - MPS Talent Show sponsored by PTO snow date
- Jan 28 - End of Marking Period 2 (Gr 4 & 5)
- Jan 30 - Staff PD Day/12:45 Dismissal

- Feb 1 - 5th Grade Pep Rally/Volleyball Game (3:30pm)/5th Grade bake sale
- Feb 6 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day – wear blue/white
- Feb 8 - Report Cards Online (Gr 4 & 5)
- Feb 14 - Breakfast With a Loved One (starting 7am) – snow date Feb 15
- Feb 14 - Valentine’s Day Grams delivered
- Feb 18-19 - No School – mid-winter recess
- Feb 21 - Parent Advisory Council Mtg (9am)
- Feb 27 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day - wear blue/white

- Mar 4 - Gymnastics Unit starts (K-5)
- Mar 6 - Staff PD Day/12:45 Dismissal
- Mar 7 - Wizards of Words - David Adler – grades K-2/snow date Mar 14
- Mar 8 - Read Across America
- Mar 8 - Family Reading Night (6:30-8pm)
- Mar 8 - Wizards of Words - Wendy Mass – 3-5 – snow date March 15
- Mar 13 - PTO General Mtg (6:30 pm)
- Mar 13 - Trimester 2 Ends (Gr K-3)
- Mar 14 - Battle of the Books Final Competition - 5:30 - 8:00
- Mar 16 - Breakfast & Books (9:00-11:00 am)
- Mar 18-22 - Book Fair
- Mar 22 - Family Bingo Night (5:30-7:00)/Family Game Night?
- Mar 22 - Trimester report cards online (Gr K-3)
- Mar 28 - Kindergarten Registration (2p-5p)

- Apr 1-26 - Box Tops Collection
- Apr 1-5 - Autism Awareness Activities

- Apr 3 - School-wide Assembly/ School spirit-wear blue & white
- Apr 5 - End of Marking Period 3 (Gr 4 & 5)
- Apr 8-12 - No School – Spring Recess
- Apr 19 - No School - Good Friday
- Apr 22+ - Art Show displayed
- Apr 25 - Parent Advisory Council (9:00 am)
- Apr 25 - Report Cards online (Gr 4 & 5)
- Apr 26 - STEM Day/ STEM Fair (6:30 pm - 7:30 in gym)*

- May 1 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day - wear blue and white
- May 3 - Color Run
- May 6 - Teacher Appreciation Special Snack
- May 7 - Teacher Appreciation Breakfast
- May 7 - Band/Orchestra/Chorus Concert at Ridge PAC (6:00 pm)
- May 8 - Teacher Appreciation Activity (TBD)
- May 9 - Teacher Appreciation Activity (TBD)
- May 10 - Teacher Appreciation Luncheon
- May 10 - Movie Afternoon – MPS Scholarship Fund (3:30-5:15 pm)

- May 16 - Philadelphia Field Trip – 5th Grade
- May 16 - Parent Advisory Council (9:00 am)
- May 17 - Kindergarten Screening
- May 17 - Color Run Rain date
- May 22 - PTO General Mtg/Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast (9:00am)
- May 23 - Roundtable with Mrs. Hudock for rising 5th graders (9:00 am)
- May 24-27 - No School – Memorial Day Recess
- May 28 - Field Day – preschool
- May 29 - School-wide Assembly/Spirit Day – wear blue/white
- May 30 - Field Day – CBAP & K-5 rain date – May 31*

- Jun 7 - Ice Cream Social (5:30-7:00 pm)
- Jun 3-7 - Safety Town/gymnasium
- Jun 7 - 5th Grade Party – rain date June 10
- Jun 19 - 5th grade Yearbook Signing/early dismissal (12:45pm)
- Jun 20 - Last day of school/early dismissal (12:45pm)
- Jun 20 - End of Year Sing Along/Recognition Assembly/ (8:50 am)
- Jun 20 - Grade 5 Clap-out
- Jun 20 - End of 3rd Trimester; End of 4th marking period/report cards available online

* = subject to change