



HESPERIA PANTHERS

AUGUST 2014

IMPORTANT DATES

**Fall Open House
August 28, 2014
5:00-7:00 PM**

**First Day of School
September 2, 2014
Full Day- All Students**

**Parent Teacher
Conferences
November
11, 12, & 13**

**No School
November 17
November 27 & 28**

DELAYED START DATES

**September 24
Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29
Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26
Dec. 3, 10, 17
Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28
Feb. 4, 18, 25
March 4, 11, 18, 25
April 1**

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

**854-6185 Phone
854-1586 Fax**

Fall Open House

Please plan to join us for the Fall Open House on August 28th from 5-7 p.m. Parents will have an opportunity to meet their child's teachers, administrators and other staff. Additionally, school staff will be available to answer questions and discuss the upcoming school year. Refreshments will be served. We hope to see you there!

**August 28, 2014
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.**

**Food And
Refreshments
Will Be Served**

Freshmen Orientation will begin at 4:30 p.m. in the High School Media Center. Graduation requirements will be discussed, as well as how to obtain academic assistance. New handbook language, athletic eligibility and class rank formula will be reviewed.

Fifth Grade Orientation will start at 5:30 p.m. in the High School Media Center. Policies and procedures will be outlined in an effort to ensure a smooth transition for your son/daughter.

School of Choice Section 105c Information

Hesperia Community Schools currently has unlimited openings under the Section 105c Schools of Choice Plan. Students from any district within an Intermediate School District that is contiguous to the Newaygo County RESA are eligible to make application at the Superintendent's office. Applications will be accepted until September 5, 2014 at 3:30 p.m. Forms are available online at www.hesp.net or can be obtained in the Superintendent's office. If you have questions or would like additional information please call 854-6185.

FAC Foundation Grants

The Fremont Area Community Foundation has awarded over \$ 27,000 in educational mini-grants to be used during the 2014-2015 school year. A total of 15 elementary, one middle school, and two high school staff members wrote and submitted grants. The grants will provide additional funding, supplies

and integrate hands on learning into their classrooms. We need to thank the following educators who were awarded FACF Grants: Shaunna Baker, Kristin Balkema, Pattie Bartolini, Nancy Brauer, Sara Byers, Stephanie Dood, Roxanne Kammer, Bryan Mey (Elementary Principal), Courtney Niblick, Jamie Rae Oyler, Jenifer Thomasma, Wendy Tozer, Fred Kamrowski, and Theresa Dean-Rumsey. A sincere thank you to the Fremont Area Community Foundation! Hesperia Community Schools appreciates your ongoing support.



Superintendent's Message

Hesperia fall athletic programs began on August 11, so the first day of school is getting close. Our 2014-2015 school year will begin on Tuesday, September 2 and we are looking forward to a productive and successful year. Prior to our first day we will host the annual Back-To-School Open House on Thursday, August 28th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. We hope you will join us and meet your child's teacher, administrators and other school personnel. Deb Muckey, Cindy Burrell and other food service staff members will provide food and refreshments in our middle/high school cafeteria.

A special thanks to all our Hesperia school district voters who supported the recent millage renewal. It passed with over 74% support. The passage of the renewal demonstrates a tremendous level of confidence in your school and the school employees who educate and serve the children in our community. We truly appreciate your trust and support.

As we move forward with this school year our emphasis will still be on improving student achievement, improving proficiency on state and national assessments, and developing responsible social behavior and citizenship in our student population. We will assist all students to achieve both academically and socially. If we work together, parents and educators, we will be successful.

I would like to offer my appreciation to our Hesperia Community School Board of Education who work diligently to maintain programs that play a vital role in increasing student achievement. Their commitment to student achievement while coping with budget constraints has been commendable.

Your administrative team, teachers and all support staff look forward to a new school year and the many challenges that will be presented. With your continued support and involvement the 2014-15 school year will be a success.

I hope to see you at our many extra-curricular activities or just stop by the office for a visit. I wish you all the very best. See you soon.

Respectfully yours,

Dave Outwin
Interim Superintendent

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IMPORTANT SCHOOL PHONE NUMBERS

Superintendent.....	854-6185
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Technology Office	854-6068

2014 BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING SCHEDULE - ALL MEETINGS BEGIN AT 7:00 PM

August 25, 2014

September 29, 2014

October 27, 2014

November 24, 2014

December 22, 2014

Patricia St. Clair Elementary News



Welcome Back! We are very excited to begin another year at Patricia St. Clair Elementary. Our staff has been busy during the summer months preparing and planning for a rigorous and important school year. At the same time, we have been spending some days enjoying the summer with family and friends. I hope this newsletter finds you and your family enjoying the last few days of an extraordinary summer. The biggest highlight for me was driving our Readers on the Prowl Mobile Library. This was a dream for many of us, and to see our vision become a reality was very rewarding. I also gained an important new skill for any Principal, learning how to drive a bus!

Once again, our staff has planned some really exciting things for the upcoming year.

This year marks our third year of Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS). We call our PBIS "Panther Pride". We use common expectations all through the building and with all staff. Those expectations are taught to students through specific lessons, modeling, and videos. We ask students to "Paws and Think" when conducting themselves during the school day. We support the students with signs and banners displayed throughout the school, Panther Pride Tickets, incentives, and rewards. This year we received



a generous grant from the Fremont Area Community Foundation specifically for PBIS. With our grant funds we will increase incentives, signage, and provide all K-5 students and staff with Panther Pride t-shirts.

We have several outstanding curriculum initiatives underway. We have adopted a new Math Program entitled My Math for all students K-5. This program was selected by a committee of staff and there is a lot of positive buzz surrounding it. We will begin to implement an interactive lab-based Science program K-7 from Battle Creek Science Center. Our staff is participating in training for a series of writing units (MAISA) that are being implemented state-wide. In addition to these and other curriculum resources, our teachers receive professional development and coaching from leading experts in the fields of Language Arts, Math and Science. Our dedicated staff of professionals spend countless hours above and beyond classroom-time to ensure the best possible education for all students at PSC Elementary.

The office will once again be staffed by familiar faces; Mrs. Stephanie, Mrs. David, Mrs. Frendo, and Mr. Mey. We are all here to assist students and parents in any way we can. Please consider becoming part of our school as a volunteer or by attending our PTO meetings and events. This year we will have an expanded and updated website and an Elementary Facebook Page to help keep you informed. Please remember, my door is always open.



Bryan Mey, K-5th Grade Principal



Middle School and High School News

On behalf of the faculty and staff of Hesperia Middle School and High School, we would like to thank and congratulate all of our 5th – 12th grade students on a successful and productive 2013-14 school year. Both buildings that comprise our secondary school structure have achieved much, both in our academic classrooms and at co-curricular events. Here are some of the highlights for this past year:

- US News & World Report's reported that Hesperia High School has earned the bronze medal endorsement for student academic achievement for the past two (2) years.
- Newaygo County High School Teacher of the Year award recipient: Theresa Dean-Rumsey.
- 8th grade student, Ashton Bieri earned a perfect score of 25 on the Explore Test given to 8th grade students throughout the State of Michigan.
- 50+ students participated in our READ 180 program as students have improved their reading proficiency.
- 50 students participated in the county-wide Spelling Bee contest.
- Staff Professional Development: Completion of Horizontal Curriculum Alignment Mapping and initiation of our Vertical Curriculum Alignment.
- Teacher Jennifer Sherburn presented at the Green Chemistry Coalition at Grand Valley State University and at the Michigan Science Teachers Association at the State Capital.
- Nationally Renowned Hunter and Sportsman, Steven Rinella, spoke with middle school and high school students emphasizing literacy and student achievement.



- \$120,000 received by Hesperia Community Schools from Michigan State Department of Education for Academic Achievement.

- 8th grade science students are participating in the GVSU Targeted Inquiry Program for best practices in science education.

- 20 students participated in Reluctant Readers Grant Research Program.
- Our English/Language Arts faculty began MAISA writing units to improve writing scores.
- Development of an intensive seminar period math lab – a student math remediation initiative.



- 69 students participated in the Oceana County math Competition May 14, 2014.
- Development of Principal's Student Advisory Council.
- Michigan State Senator Hansen presented to students in Mr. Hussey's economics class in discussing economic literacy.

- 86 College credits were earned by students through Muskegon Community College.
- 130 gallons of blood drawn by high school students and donated to The American Red Cross – sponsored by our National Honor Society.
- Recognized “highest” status as a Michigan “Green” school with evergreen school status.
- Several students earned Michigan Virtual University credit in German, Japanese, French, Spanish III and AP prep classes in AP Psychology, biology and Environmental Science. 66 total credits earned through MVU.
- 10 students scored “highly proficient” in earning college credit for English Composition on the National AP Language and Composition exam.
- Implementation of TI-inspire Technology in Algebra I classes through the Fremont Foundation.

Four (4) students: Amber Boyette, Yuna Davila, David Slocum and Clinton Randolph attended an orientation at the Michigan Career Technical Center in Plainwell. Two (2) students are planning on attending with full ride scholarships next year.



The volleyball program raised \$11,500 for WISE through its “Volley Against Violence” campaign in fighting domestic violence.

Through the combined efforts of students and staff, the high school's 2014-15 seminar period will transition to the following structure:

High School Flex Period

FRESHMAN READINESS-Jennifer Sherburn, Robbie Olsen, Steve Hussey

ACT PREP/COLLEGE READINESS (Juniors)-Vince Grodus, Katina Prado, Danielle McCabe-Arbogast

MATHEMATICS LAB-Jim Cherry, Melissa Phillips

COMPUTER LAB/CREDIT RECOVERY-Kim Smith, Susan Kelly

ADVANCED PLACEMENT PREP-Theresa Dean-Rumsey

STUDY TABLE- Mark Balcom, Fred Kamrowski, Doug Baird

Flex period as named by students, is designed to address student academic preparedness and remediation. The process for designing our structure began in November, 2013, based on student input received during student advisory council meetings and a school-wide student survey. Survey results were submitted to School Improvement Team. Through this process, we have organized a 9th-12th grade, 16 student member ‘Leadership Advisory Council’ This council will serve as a significant student voice in working with the Faculty/Staff School Improvement Team.

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2014|2015 ACT test dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline**	Late Registration Period** (Late Fee Required)	Photo Upload Deadline
September 13, 2014	August 8	August 9–22	September 5
October 25, 2014	September 19	Sept. 20–Oct. 3	October 17
December 13, 2014	November 7	November 8–21	December 5
February 7, 2015*	January 9	January 10–16	January 30
April 18, 2015	March 13	March 14–27	April 10
June 13, 2015	May 8	May 9–22	June 5

* No test centers are scheduled in New York for the February test date.

** If you miss the regular deadline, you can register during the late period but must pay the additional nonrefundable late fee.

Note that all materials sent by mail must be RECEIVED by the last date of the late period, regardless of when they are postmarked.

TEST FEES

ACT No Writing \$38.00

ACT Plus Writing \$54.50

Check our website to see if the colleges you are considering require or recommend the ACT Writing Test.

If you cannot afford the test fee, ask your counselor if you are eligible for a fee waiver.

If you miss the late registration deadline for a test date, you can still try to test standby.

Sign up today.

www.actstudent.org/start



Camp Exploration



This summer 24 Hesperia youngsters took advantage of an opportunity to explore career options and the involvement in numerous individual and family oriented activities. The program was developed and directed by Hesperia Kindergarten teacher Stephanie Dood. The camp offered a variety of activities, plus gifts, food, free books, Hesperia Literacy Bus, and a family day in which families enjoyed lunch, family relays, a bounce house and a water slide. Fremont Lanes provided bowling gift certificates to relay winners. A special treat was provided by Mike Kraus, owner of



Daniel's Restaurant, who chose three of the camper's ice cream sundaes to feature

in the restaurant menu in September. Mike also offered to donate some of the sundae sales back to the camp for next year. In total, Stephanie's camp provided 106 giveaway items that were all educational, literacy based, outdoors summer fun or just plain fun.

This was a wonderful summer camp experience and we want to thank the parents, children, and the local organizations, businesses, and individuals who helped with donations, presentations, and discounts.



Transportation News

We continue to update our transportation fleet and this past July we added another new seventy-seven (77) passenger bus through the QZAB funding process. The Hesperia Community School's Board of Education continues to make it a priority to replace one bus each year, as long as it is fiscally responsible. You should see a familiar face behind the wheel, as most of the regular drivers are returning this fall.



This school year we will go back to following the State of Michigan regulations with regards to the distance between each stop and pick up. There is to be 200 feet between each stop and pick up point provided there is not a safety issue, such as sight, curve, or hill. What this means is that some students will have to walk to a point that has been established as the pick up stop.

Please be patient as we work through the issues typical during the first few days of a new school year and bus routes should be running smoothly and on schedule by the second week. Please take the time to review bus rules and safety reminders with your children, which can be found in the student handbook. Safety is our first priority and with parent assistance, and student cooperation, we can have another safe school year. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Tanya Tinkham at 854-9301.

Readers on the Prowl



Parents and staff members from Hesperia Community Schools have collaborated to create the **Readers on the Prowl** mobile library. The purpose of this initiative is to provide a summer literacy opportunity for students. **Readers on the Prowl** provides children easy access to books, with the goal of reducing summer reading loss, increasing student achievement and creating an excitement for literacy.

Between first and sixth grades, children can experience the equivalent of 1.5 years of reading development set-back if they are not exposed to books (Cooper, Nye, Charlton, Lindsay and Greathouse). Research has found that reading as little as four or five books during the summer has the potential to prevent a decline in reading achievement and that reading books was the only activity consistently related to summer learning (Kim, 2004). Additionally, we hope

Readers on the Prowl is enhancing the students' enthusiasm for literacy. School personnel and parent volunteers travel in the mobile library and children have the opportunity to earn incentives each time they visit. **Readers on the Prowl** is available to all children regardless of age or school affiliation.

During its first summer on the roads **Readers on the Prowl** experienced wonderful and encouraging results. We averaged 25+ kids per day that **Readers on the Prowl** was on the road and over 800 books were checked out over the summer. More than 20 staff members and parents volunteered to help serve kids of Hesperia, Fremont, Shelby, Walkerville and Ferry this summer!

While we are excited we still need your support to cover annual operating costs, which will include a driver, bus maintenance and fuel, additional books and an annual year-end celebration. Please consider partnering with Hesperia Community Schools in order to continue to make **Readers on the Prowl** a reality. With the support from you and other sponsors our mobile library will truly become a community effort benefiting all Hesperia children. Grants and tax-free community donations are being sought, and book collection boxes will be available in local businesses. A donation level was created in order to recognize community donors on the outside of the mobile library for two years.

Donation levels and decal information include:

Book Donation Level	Lettering Size	Financial Donation Level	Lettering Size
50 - 100 Books	2" Lettering	\$50 - \$100	2" Lettering
101 - 200 Books	3" Lettering	\$101 - \$200	3" Lettering
201 - 300 Books	4" Lettering	\$201 - \$300	4" Lettering
301 - 400 Books	5" Lettering	\$301 - \$400	5" Lettering
401+ Books	8" Lettering	\$401+	8" Lettering

In the summer of 2015 we will have extended routes and times!

Red Carpet Run/Walk

Two Hesperia Community School's teachers, Jennifer Sherburn and Louise Troughton, have teamed up to organize a fun and "fashionable" road race in September. Sponsored by almost every business in town, this community centered event will be held on September 20th at 7p.m. Participants are encouraged to wear fun, colorful but easy-to-move in formalwear. Even though the clock will be running while competitors travel the course designed by cross country coach Pat Broton and place awards will be given, the focus of the event will likely be the "Fashion Awards". These awards will include the Most Taffeta Award, the Sparklyest Award, Most Colorful Formalwear, Sharp Dressed Man Award and of course the Cutest Prince and Princess Award. A raffle will also be held at the end of the evening. Proceeds for the event will benefit the Hesperia Cross Country program and the High School Student Council. You can register for this fun and exciting event online at www.goractgo.com and on paper at most local businesses. Additional information and registration form can also be downloaded from the school's website, www.hesp.net.



Before

Over the course of a week, a group of volunteers worked tirelessly to restore the middle school courtyard to a very serene flower and plant based courtyard. The courtyard was originally developed with a grant submitted by our middle school science instructor Sherry Clafin. Ms. Clafin was awarded the grant for the Fremont Area Foundation and she and her class arranged the plants, shrubs, and accessories into a beautiful environmental setting. In order to restore the courtyard to its intended beauty and usability, a

restoration team of volunteers, Terry and Starr Gleason, Cindy Broton, Lyn Daniels, and Savannah Jones, spent many hours donating their time and energy. The results are wonderful. Our middle school teachers and students have a usable courtyard again. A very special thanks to Al Daniels, owner of Hesperia Hardware Center, and Terry and Starr Gleason for donating sixty bags of mulch. The middle school students and staff really appreciate your help and support!

Courtyard Clean-up

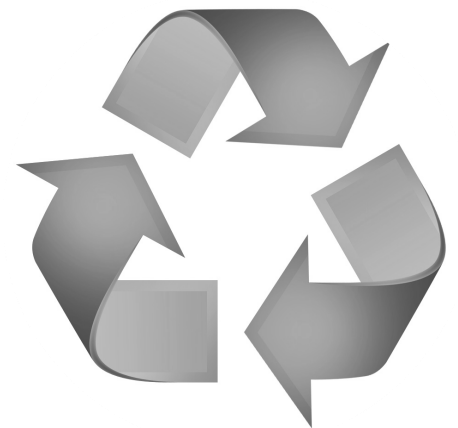


Finished Product

Michigan Green School

For the past two years all three buildings of Hesperia Community Schools were recognized by the State of Michigan as being an "Official Michigan Green School". All buildings plan on "staying green" during 2014-2015. Students will spend the year recycling materials, conserving energy, studying and learning about conservation. Additionally, students will participate in "Green Activities" and information will be sent home regarding their projects.

Thank you in advance for your assistance in making Hesperia Community Schools a Michigan Green School.



Check Student's Grades Anytime...



Hesperia Community Schools provides students and parents the opportunity to monitor academic progress at anytime. The "Family Access" site is a secure website containing such information as upcoming and missing assignments, current grades, student schedules and more.

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FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS:

<http://skyward.ncresa.org>



School Safety

Please note that the elementary school day starts at 7:50 a.m. and supervision will not be provided until 7:40 a.m., when bus students will be dropped off. Students will be supervised outside (weather permitting) until 7:45 a.m., when they will be allowed into the school where Universal Breakfast will be served in each classroom. It is essential for teachers and staff to have time in the morning to prepare and serve breakfast.

Elementary students are released at 3:15 p.m. Please plan to be at school and waiting for your child outside or in the front entrance. If your child needs to be picked-up prior to 3:15 p.m., please sign them out in the office and they will be called down from their classroom. If your child plans to go home in a different way than normal, please be sure to send a note in advance. This will allow for a smooth transition for everyone.

Middle School, High School and Alternative Education will start at 8:05 a.m. and dismiss at 3:15 p.m.

School Lunch Information

Hesperia Community Schools participates in the Universal Breakfast Program, which provides breakfast for all students at no cost. For a link to your child's hot lunch account, please visit our website at www.hesp.net or www.lunchdeposit.com. You can apply for free and reduced lunch, review your child's account history and make payments using a credit card.

For further information, please contact Deb Muckey at 854-0509.



2014-2015 HOT LUNCH PRICES

ELEMENTARY - \$1.65
MIDDLE SCHOOL - \$1.90
HIGH SCHOOL - \$1.90

Driver's Education Classes

All Driver's Education Classes are held at Hesperia High School. If you would like to register or need additional information please contact:

Mr. Blue
Hesperia High School
231-854-6385



Hesperia Community Education Enrichment Classes

All classes offered through Hesperia Community Education are provided through volunteer instructors or by class fees and grant funds. If you would like to suggest a class, please contact Cathy Herin at 854-1044. We will be happy to coordinate a program of interest for the entire community.

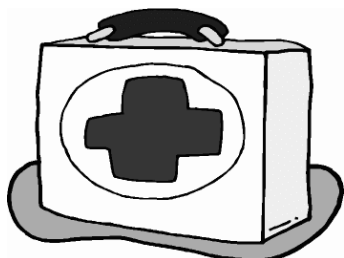
CPR and First Aid Training

If you are interested in being certified, re-certified or would like more information, call 231-854-1044.



Instructors Wanted

Many Leisure Enrichment Activities are taught by individuals who have experience and special skills in a specific area. However, certification is not always required. If you have a special skill or talent that you would like to share with others, please contact Cathy at 854-1044. All instructors are employed by PESG Services.



Hesperia Community Education

Adult Education Program

Are you a non-high school graduate?

Do you have your GED?

Would you like additional training to further your success in life?

If you are over 20 and have not graduated from high school or you do not have a GED, you need to make an appointment to get the skills to help you succeed.

All of our classes are **FREE!***

Find out how easy it is to come back to school!

- 1) **Adult Basic Education** - Innovative, non-graded, planned, self-paced individualized instruction designed to develop basic skills in Reading, Writing, Mathematics and the English Language.
- 2) **GED Preparation** - Individualized and self-paced instruction allows students to proceed at their own rates of learning. Contents includes reviews in English, Mathematics, Writing, Social Studies, Science, Literature and the Arts.
- 3) **High School Completion** - This program offers an alternative for students who wish to earn high school credits for a high school diploma. Each student follows an individualized, self-paced instruction guide for each course of credit. Credit is awarded upon successful completion of course requirements and the successful passing of a final assessment for each course.

Jump Start Your Future With These Convenient Programs

- Adult Basic Education
- GED Preparation and Testing
- High School Completion
- Alternative Education

* If you are enrolled in our programs there is no cost for the GED Testing

**CALL OR STOP IN
TO
ENROLL NOW!!!**

COME LEARN WITH US

Address: 232 S Cook St. Hesperia MI, 49421
Phone: 231-854-1044

Technology



Hesperia Community Schools is utilizing money from the Michigan 22i grant to upgrade the wireless infrastructure of the district. Twenty nine new wireless access points have been added to the buildings and the existing eight wireless access points were upgraded. The entire Hesperia Community School campus will have access to WiFi. A public WiFi has been added to allow members of the community and visitors to connect to the internet while attending school functions.



Hesperia Community Schools website also has a new look. Over the summer the district moved to a new look and format for our district website. You can take a look at www.hesp.net.

Lunch Room Renovation

This summer Hesperia Community Schools has began renovating the High School / Middle School Cafeteria. This renovation is being carried out by local contractor, Mike Rosema. He will be placing a double door in the center of the cafeteria wall. This will enable our kitchen staff to serve two lines of students at one time, reducing the time it takes to serve lunch to our students, thus increasing the number of students that we serve.



We have also purchased several new pieces of serving equipment, however they will not be available to use until September 12th, 2014, so temporary equipment will be used until that time.



All Season Family Athletic Pass



Back due to popular demand are this year's family athletic passes. The passes are \$100 and can be purchased at the athletic office. These are good for all HOME athletic contests except for the state ran tournaments.

For questions call
Joe Conkle, Athletic Director
at 231-854-7100

Hesperia Schools Athletics

Panther Nation:

Well it is that time of year again, time for the Boys and Girls of Fall to get back to work and strive for championship success. I know that with that type of goal it takes a lot of effort from our student athletes, and as they give so much, I hope that we as a community can give just a portion back to them. The Hesperia Athletic Boosters are in need of some volunteers to help in many different ways. If you don't think there is a place for you, call and ask, because there is surely a spot for ANYONE who wants to help.

Here is a message from the boosters themselves:

"Parents of Student Athletes! I know we are all busy with work, school, or our families, but we are asking for a small commitment from each of you as we have done for our students, our school and community...volunteer with Hesperia Boosters. Contact any one of our Officers: Peggy Campbell, President; Brian Jackson, Vice-President; Barb Martin, Treasurer; and Michelle Allen, Secretary to find out how you can help support your Student Athlete!! And...find out how YOU can get into the games for FREE!!"

For more information please visit www.hesp.net or call Joe Conkle at 231-854-7100.



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Hesperia Community Schools

Notes

2014-2015 School Calendar

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May 2015						
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31						

June 2015						
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August 27-28 Professional Development

September 2– First Day

October 1-- Fall Student Count Day

November 11/12/13– PT Conferences
5-8 PM

November 14– Student 1/2 Day

November 17– Deer Day

November 27/28– Thanksgiving

December 22– January 2 Holiday Break

January 5– School Resumes

January 19– Student 1/2 Day

January 19– Afternoon Records Day

February 11– Spring Student Count Day

February 23– Mid-Winter Break

March 31 & April 1– PT Conferences
5-8 PM

April 2– 1/2 Day

April 3– Good Friday

April 6-10– Spring Break

May 25– Memorial Day

June 4– Student 1/2 Day

June 5– Student 1/2 Day-Last Day

June 8-12- (Flex Week-Make-up days if needed)

Marking Period Dates


Sept. 2-Oct. 31 - First Marking Period

Nov. 3-Jan. 19 - Second Marking Period

Jan. 20-Mar. 27 - Third Marking Period

Mar. 30- June 5 - Fourth Marking Period

Student Count Days - Oct. 1/Feb. 11

 Indicates a delayed start day.



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WE BELIEVE

Education is a lifelong process necessary for achievement of each individual's potential.

Everyone can learn.

In personal and civic responsibility, accountability and mutual respect.

A safe and structured environment is essential to learning.

All students are entitled to quality education that acknowledges individual differences.

VISION

Building to be the best by honoring the past, embracing the present and reaching for the future.

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