

THE MARIA MONTESSORI SCHOOL

Academic Calendar 2016 - 2017

Before School Begins

August 9 Tuesday Mandatory Parent Orientation 6:00 p.m. (Adults only)

First Semester

August

STAGGERED ENTRY:

August 10	Wednesday	All children NEW to the Toddler & Primary environments: 9-10 a.m.
August 11	Thursday	All children NEW to the Toddler & Primary environments: 9-10 a.m.
August 12	Friday	All children NEW to the Toddler & Primary environments: 9-10 a.m. All RETURNING Toddler, Primary, Elementary and Middle School Students: 8:30 – 11:30 (1/2 day dismissal for all)
August 15	Monday	First full day of school (All environments)

September

September 5	Monday	Labor Day Holiday
September 13	Tuesday	Parent Education “ Classroom Connections ”

October

October 5	Wednesday	1/2 day - Parent/Teacher conferences
October 6 & 7	Th/Fr	Fall Break
October 28	Friday	1:30 Historical Halloween (Family Activity)

November

November 11	Friday	1/2 day/11:30 dismissal for all environments
November 12	Saturday	Silent Auction (Adults Only)
November 23 - 25	Wed-Fri	Thanksgiving Break

December

December 16	Friday	1/2 day/11:30 dismissal for all environments Winter Festival Celebration 10:30 a.m. (Family Activity)
December 19 - January 2	Mon-Mon	Winter Break (classes resume Tuesday, January 3)

Students do not attend school on teacher in-service days.

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Second Semester

January

January 13	Friday	1/2 day – In Service “ Silent Journey ”
January 16	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

February

February 9	Thursday	Parent Education – “ Subject Study ”
February 20	Monday	Inservice – Presidents’ Day

March

March 3	Friday	1/2 day Parent/Teacher conferences
March 13 - 17	Mon-Fri	Spring Break
March 28	Tuesday	Lesson Open House

April

April 14 & 17	Fri/Mon	Spring Break II
April 22	Saturday	Regatta (Family Activity)

May

May 25	Friday	Middle School Graduation
May 26	Friday	Last Day of School 1/2 day/11:30 dismissal for all environments MMS Memorial Day Picnic

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Book Fair @ Laurelwood (Family Activity)

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Each family receives 5 volunteer credit hours per PARENT EDUCATION meeting attended. Additionally, each family completing a 1 HOUR observation in ANY classroom gains 5 volunteer hours per observation.