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Holy Family School 2017-2018 Calendar

| Event | Date | Time |
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| P/A Used Uniform Sale | July 15th | 10:00a.m.-1:00p.m. |
| Faculty/Staff Pre-Service | August 28 th - Sept. 1 | 9:00a.m.-3:00p.m. |
| P/A Back To School Picnic | August 30st | 3:00p.m.-6:00p.m. |
| Labor Day – No school | Sept. 4th | All day |
| 1st Day Of School | Sept. 5th | 8:10a.m.-3:15p.m. |
| Safe Environment Training Session #1 | Sept. 7th | 6:30p.m. – HFS Gym |
| Holy Spirit Mass (2 nd -8 th Grade) | Sept. 18 th (tentative) | 10:30a.m. at St. Martin’s University |
| MAP testing – Fall Data Collection | Sept. 11 - 29 | Teacher scheduled |
| ½ Day – Professional Development | Sept. 29th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Arch Teacher In Service – No school | Oct. 6th | No school for students |
| Columbus Day observed | Oct. 9th | No school |
| Fall Pictures – School Uniforms | Oct. 10th | 8:30a.m. |
| P/A Halloween Carnival | Oct. 29th | 1:00p.m.-4:00p.m. |
| ½ Day – Staff Academic Collaboration | Oct. 27th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| All Saints Day | Nov. 01st | 24 Hours |
| All Soul’s Day | Nov. 2nd | 24 hours |
| Holiday Bazaar | Nov. 4th | 9:00a.m.-4:00p.m. |
| End of 1 st Quarter – 1/2 Day | Nov. 3rd | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Scholastic Book Fair | Nov. 6 th – 9th | Daily |
| Veteran’s Day – No School | Nov. 10th | No School |
| Fall P/T Conferences – 1/2 Days | Nov. 7th-9th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Picture Re-takes | Nov. 21st | 8:30a.m. |
| Pre-Thanksgiving Break – 1/2 Day | Nov. 22nd | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Thanksgiving Break – No School | Nov. 23rd-24th | No School |
| Feast – Immaculate Conception | Dec. 08th | 24 Hours |
| Christmas Program (All Students Attend) | Dec. 12th | 6:30p.m. – Sacred Heart Church |
| Christmas Break – No School | Dec. 20th-Jan. 2nd | No School |
| Solemnity of Mary | Jan. 01st | 24 Hours |
| School Resumes | Jan. 3rd | 8:10a.m.-3:15p.m. |
| MLK, Jr. Holiday – No School | Jan. 15th | No School |
| Catholic Schools Week | Jan. 28th- Feb. 3rd | Daily |
| CSW Breakfast at Sacred Heart | Jan. 28th | Facilitated After 10:00a.m. Mass |
| End of 2 nd Quarter – 1/2 Day | Jan. 26th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Ash Wednesday – Beginning of Lent | Feb. 14th | 24 Hours |
| President's Day – No School | Feb. 19th | No School |
| HFS Science Fair | Feb. 21st | Morning Judging / After School Review |
| ½ Day – Staff Academic Collaboration | Feb. 23rd | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Spring Pictures – ‘Sunday Best’ | (TBD) | 8:30a.m. |
| Arch Teacher In-Service – No School | March 16th | No School For Students |
| 5 th and 6 th Grade to Camp Seymour | (TBD) | Offsite at Camp Seymour |
| Good Friday – No School | March 30th | Solemn Observation |
| Easter Sunday | April 1st | Joyous Celebration |

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| End of 3 rd Quarter – 1/2 Day | March 29th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Spring Break – No School | April 2nd-6th | No School |
| Spring P/T Conferences – 1/2 Days | April 12th-13th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Gala Auction | April 21 st or 28th (TBD) | Evening – Sacred Heart’s Hallen Hall |
| ½ Day – Staff Academic Collaboration | April 27th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Teacher Appreciation Week | May 02nd-06th | Daily |
| PA Jog-A-Thon | May 04th | 10:30a.m.-2:00p.m. |
| Memorial Day – No School | May 28th | No School |
| 8th Grade Celebration | June 1st | 6:00p.m. |
| Last Day Of School – 1/2 Day | June 8th | Early Dismissal at 11:50a.m. |
| Teacher Work Days | June 11 th – 13th | 9:00a.m.-2:00p.m. |

With respect to our school calendar and school program:

1. The State of WA requires 450 hours of instructional time a year for Kindergarten students. Holy Family School will be providing 1,156 hours.
2. The State of WA requires 1,000 hours of instructional time a year for 1st-12th grade students. Holy Family School will be providing 1,138hours.

Note: RCW 28A.195.010 and RCW 28A.150.220 = State of WA Statutes

For those of you who are industrious and wish to spend a little time adding up days and Instructional Hours please be aware of the following.

A. Instructional time both for the State of WA and the Archdiocese of Seattle does include Parent-Teacher Conference time. The State of WA (RCW 28A.150.220) defines Instructional Time in the following manner.

“Instructional hours are defined as the total number of hours when students are provided the opportunity to engage in educational activities...inclusive of intermissions for class changes, recess and teacher/parent conferences which are planned by and scheduled by the district for purposes of discussing students’ educational needs or progress, and exclusive of time actually spent for meals.”

Holy Family School’s 1,156 hours of instructional time does not include eating lunch time.

With 706 hours beyond the State of WA’s requirement for Kindergartners and 156 hours beyond the requirement for 1st-8th grade students, Holy Family School youngsters will be well served and well prepared to compete and go forward in a successful manner.

So, the next time you’re chatting up a friend, neighbor, fellow parish family, or simply a new party of interest here’s a little more ‘sell’ material for why Holy Family School is awesome!

Thank You! 😊