

HIGHLAND COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5

Serving the Communities of Alhambra, Grantfork, Highland, New Douglas, and Pierron

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2020-2021 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday	August 10, 2020	Teacher Institute
Tuesday	August 11, 2020	Teacher Institute
Wednesday	August 12, 2020	First Day of School
Monday	September 7, 2020	Labor Day – NO SCHOOL
Friday	October 2, 2020	Teacher Workday – Half-day Dismissal*
Friday	October 9, 2020	Teacher Institute – Madison Co. Institute – NO SCHOOL
Monday	October 12, 2020	Columbus Day – NO SCHOOL
Thursday	October 22, 2020	Parent-Teacher Conferences – NO SCHOOL 11:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. – PreK-12
Friday	October 23, 2020	Parent-Teacher Conferences – NO SCHOOL 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. – PreK-12
Wednesday	November 11, 2020	Veterans' Day – NO SCHOOL
Tuesday	November 24, 2020	Last Day before Thanksgiving Holidays
Wednesday-Friday	November 25-27, 2020	Thanksgiving Holidays – NO SCHOOL
Friday	December 4, 2020	Teacher Workday – Half-day Dismissal*
Friday	December 18, 2020	Last Day before Winter Holidays – Early Dismissal**
Monday-Friday	Dec. 21, 2020–Jan. 1, 2021	Winter Holidays – NO SCHOOL
Monday	January 4, 2021	Teacher Institute – NO SCHOOL
Tuesday	January 5, 2021	Return to Classes
Monday	January 18, 2021	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – NO SCHOOL
Friday	February 7, 2021	Teacher Inservice – Half-day Dismissal*
Monday	February 15, 2021	Presidents' Day – NO SCHOOL
Thursday-Friday	April 1-5, 2021	Spring Break – NO SCHOOL
Monday	April 6, 2021	Return to Classes
Friday	May 7, 2021	Teacher Inservice - Half-day Dismissal*
Sunday	May 16, 2021	HHS Graduation – 2:00 p.m. (tentative)
Tuesday	May 26, 2021	Last Day of School - Half-day Dismissal* Teacher Inservice

This calendar contains 7 emergency days. Any emergency days used in excess of the 7, will be made up during President's Day – February 15, 2021 and/or Monday, April 5, 2021 (Monday after Easter).

* Half-day Dismissal – High School and Middle School dismiss @ 11:00 a.m.; Highland Primary & Elementary Building dismisses @ 11:45 a.m.; and Alhambra & Grantfork dismiss @ 11:50 a.m.

** Early Dismissal – High School and Middle School dismiss @ 1:50 p.m.; Highland Primary & Elementary dismiss @ 2:35 p.m.; and Alhambra & Grantfork dismiss @ 2:40 p.m.

The regular school day schedule – High School: 7:40 a.m. to 2:35 p.m.; Middle School: 7:35 a.m. to 2:35 p.m.; Highland Primary & Highland Elementary: 8:40 a.m. to 3:20 p.m.; and Alhambra & Grantfork: 8:45 a.m. to 3:25 p.m.

End of Nine Weeks Sessions

1st Nine Weeks – October 8, 2020 (41)

2nd Nine Weeks – December 20, 2020 (43)

Semester 1 – 84 days

3rd Nine Weeks – March 12, 2021 (47)

4th Nine Weeks – May 26, 2021 (43)

Semester 2 – 90 days

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