

Calendar for Grades 7 & 8
2019-2020

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
August 14	Grade 8 book sale and parent/guardian coffee – 9 to 10:30 am
August 14	Grade 7 book sale and parent/guardian coffee – 1 to 2:30 pm
August 19	Make up book sale – 9 to 11 am
August 19	Orientation for new families – 6:30 pm (for parents/guardians of 7 th graders and new 8 th graders)
August 21	Orientation Day for all new students – 9:15 am to 12:15 pm Picnic for 7 th graders (with “Big Siblings”) – 12:15 to 1 pm
August 22	First day of school
September 2	School Closed—Labor Day
September 4	Mini School for parents/guardians of 7 th and 8 th graders – 7 pm
September 30	School Closed – Rosh Hashanah Observance
September 29 – October 5	7 th grade Drey Land Session I: Sept. 29 th – Oct. 2 nd Session II: Oct. 2 nd – Oct. 5 th
October 9	School Closed – Yom Kippur Observance
October 10 and October 11	School Closed—Report Writing for Teachers
October 14	Breakfast for grade 7 parents/guardians – 8 am Visiting Day for parents/guardians
October 16	Grades 7 and 8 parent conferences begin
October 22 – October 25	Grade 8 Community Service
October 29	<i>Finding Kind</i> program for 8 th grade parents/guardians – 7 pm
November 1	School Closed—Parent/Guardian Conferences
November 5	Band Concert (grades 7 through 12) – 7:30 pm
November 7	Orchestra Concert (grades 7 through 12) – 7:30 pm
November 12	Choir Concert (grades 7 through 12) – 7:30 pm

November 22	Party for 7 th and 8 th grade students – 7 to 9 pm
November 26	Visiting morning for grandparents
November 27, 28, 29	School Closed—Thanksgiving Break
December 6 and December 7	7 th and 8 th grade play – 7:30 pm
December 8	7 th and 8 th grade play – 2 pm
December 16	Dismissal at 2:45 pm Required rehearsal for orchestra and 8 th grade choir students - 3 pm
December 17	Dismissal at 2:45 pm Required rehearsal for orchestra and 8 th grade choir students - 3 pm
December 18	Dismissal at 2:45 pm Holiday Program at 3:30 pm— orchestra and 8 th grade choir students participate
December 19	Dismissal at 2:45 pm 7 th grade community service from 8:15 am to 2:45 pm Holiday Program at 5:30 and 7:30 pm—orchestra and 8 th grade choir students participate
December 20 – January 5	Winter Break
January 6	Classes Resume
January 9	8 th grade ERB test – 8 am
January 17	End of 1 st semester
January 20	School Closed—Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 23	Grade 7 parent/guardian meeting – 7 pm
February 7	School Closed—Faculty Professional Day
February 17	School Closed—Presidents Day
March 3	“Conversations that Count” for 8 th graders and their parents/guardians – 6:45 to 8:30 pm
March 4	Grade level programs—1 pm dismissal
March 12	Last Day before Spring Break – 2:45 pm dismissal
March 13 – March 29	Spring Break
March 30	Classes Resume

March 31	Curriculum night for families of 8 th graders – 7 pm
April 28	School Closed
May 2	8 th grade car wash – 2 to 3:30 pm
May 8	Grade 8 research papers due
May 14	Middle School Music & Arts Showcase – 6:30 pm
May 21	Book buy-back for 7 th and 8 th graders
May 22	Field Day; last day for students in grades 7 and 8 7 th and 8 th grade pool parties (off-campus) – 1 to 3 pm