



DEARBORN HEIGHTS MONTESSORI CENTER
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Calendar of Events 2017/2018

AUGUST

31	Th	Packet Pick-Up Begins	9-5 pm
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SEPTEMBER

5	T	ALL-SCHOOL VISITING DAY <i>(Varying schedules – See August packet.)</i>	
5-8	T-F	BACK- TO-SCHOOL SUPPLY SALE – GRADES 1-3 – In the Middle School	
6	W	SCHOOL BEGINS <i>(Day Care / Latchkey available for enrolled students.)</i>	
7	Th	ALL-SCHOOL PARENT ORIENTATION MEETING Toddler – Middle School Upper Elementary Camp Meeting (after orientation meeting) <i>Complimentary child care provided.</i>	6 pm
15	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
15	F	MIDDLE SCHOOL COOKOUT – <i>All Middle School families invited!</i>	3:30-5:30 pm
21	Th	INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE CELEBRATION	2:30 pm
25	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
29	F	NO SCHOOL – NO DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY - Staff Professional Development	

OCTOBER

3	T	PARENT TALK – Introductory Class for Parents	6-8 pm
4-6	W-F	OVERNIGHT CAMP – Upper Elementary	
12-13	Th-F	PICTURE DAYS – ALL LEVELS <i>October 12 – Toddler, Preschool, Kindergarten</i> <i>October 13 – Elementary, Middle School</i>	School hours
13	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
13	F	STAFF VS. STUDENTS SOCCER GAME	2 pm
16-18	M-W	U of M MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY – In-House/Interactive Display (Elementary/Middle School)	School hours
17	T	PARENT TALK CLASSES BEGIN – Registration Required.	6-8 pm
19	Th	PARENT MEETING – CURRICULUM NIGHT - ALL LEVELS Middle School <i>(Starts at 5pm.)</i> <i>Complimentary child care provided.</i>	6 pm
20	F	ALL SCHOOL FUN RUN EVENT – Hosted by Upper Elementary- <i>Watch for details!</i>	School hours
30	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
31	T	HALLOWEEN GOES LITERARY	School hours

NOVEMBER

31 Oct – Nov. 3	T-F	USBORNE BOOK FAIR – Parents Association – <i>Watch for details and volunteer opportunities!</i>	
3	F	GRANDPARENTS' DAY – Elementary / Middle School (Grades 1-8)	9:30-11 am
4	S	MICHIGAN MONTESSORI SOCIETY – Fall Conference	
5	Su	DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME – <i>Turn clocks <u>back</u> 1 hour at 2 a.m.</i>	
6-17	M-F	GLEANERS – Fall Food Drive	School hours
9-10	Th-F	VISION AND HEARING TESTING (Vision: P, K, 1, 3, 5, 7 / Hearing: P, K 1, 2, 4)	School hours

10	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
16	Th	DRAMA PROGRAM PERFORMANCE <i>(2 p.m. Dress Rehearsal)</i>	6:30 pm
21	T	THANKSGIVING CELEBRATIONS	School hours
22-24	W-F	NO SCHOOL – NO DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY –Thanksgiving Holiday	
27	M	WELCOME BACK! Return to school.	
27	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
DECEMBER			
8	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
18	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
22	F	HOLIDAY SING Toddler/Preschool A.M. session & Upper Elementary Toddler/Preschool P.M. session, Lower Elementary & Middle School	10:45 am 2:45 pm
25	M	NO SCHOOL – NO DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY – Holiday vacation through Sunday, January 7, 2018	
JANUARY			
8	M	WELCOME BACK! Return to school.	
11	Th	MOMS' NIGHT – Toddler/Preschool/Kindergarten/Elementary Toddler, Preschool, Kindergarten, Extended Day – 5-6:30 p.m. Elementary – 6-7:30 p.m. <i>*Day care and latchkey will be available for siblings during each session.</i>	
15	M	NO SCHOOL – NO DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY – Staff Professional Development	
17	W	PICTURE RE-TAKE DAY	10 am- 1 pm
19	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
25	Th	RE-ENROLLMENT PARENT MEETING – ALL LEVELS <i>Complimentary child care provided.</i>	6 pm
29	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
31	W	PARENT TALK SPRING CLASSES BEGIN –Registration Required.	6-8 pm
FEBRUARY			
1-14	Th-W	GLEANERS – Winter Fund Drive	
5-9	M-F	INTERNSHIPS – Middle School	School hours
9	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
14	W	OPEN HOUSE FOR THE COMMUNITY – DHMC Families Welcome!	4-5:30 pm
14	W	SWEETHEART FAMILY DANCE – <i>Watch for details!</i>	TBD
19-21	M-W	NO SCHOOL – NO DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY – Mid-Winter Break <i>*Staff Professional Development on 2/21.</i>	
26-March 2	M-F	MONTESSORI EDUCATION WEEK	School hours
26	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
27	T	UPPER ELEMENTARY – Music Program	6 pm
MARCH			
1	Th	DADS' NIGHT – Toddler/Kindergarten/Extended Day/Elementary Toddler, Preschool, Kindergarten, Extended Day – 5-6:30 p.m. Elementary – 6-7:30 p.m. <i>*Day care and latchkey will be available for siblings during each session.</i>	
2	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
7	W	SPRING PICTURES – Optional for all levels	10 am – 1 pm
7	W	TALENT SHOW – Hosted by Upper Elementary – <i>Watch for details!</i>	5 pm
8	Th	MIDDLE SCHOOL – Play	6 pm

9	F	NO SCHOOL – DAY CARE / LATCHKEY AVAILABLE – Staff Professional Development	
11	Su	DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME – Turn clocks <i>ahead</i> 1 hour at 2 a.m.	
22	Th	DRAMA PROGRAM PERFORMANCE (2 p.m. Dress Rehearsal.)	6:30 pm
26	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
27	T	LOWER ELEMENTARY – Music Program	6 pm
30	F	SPRING VACATION BEGINS – through Sunday, April 8, 2018 NO SCHOOL, DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY.	
APRIL			
9	M	WELCOME BACK! Return to school.	
12	Th	JUMP ROPE FOR HEART – Elementary	School hours
13	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
16-20	M-F	ACHIEVEMENT TESTING – Elementary / Middle School	School hours
16-20	M-F	EARTH WEEK	School hours
20	F	MIDDLE SCHOOL ICE CREAM SOCIAL – <i>Sixth Grade Students Invited!</i>	3:30-5 pm
24	T	MUSIC PROGRAM – Preschool/Kindergarten/Extended Day	6 pm
24-25	T-W	OPEN HOUSES FOR THE COMMUNITY – DHMC Families Welcome! April 24: 9-11 a.m. /April 25: 1-3 p.m.	
30	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
MAY			
4	F	GRANDPARENTS' DAY – Preschool/Kindergarten/Extended Day A.M. Classes - Grandparents visit 10-11:30 am P.M. Classes - Grandparents visit 2-3:30 pm <i>*Note: Extended Day students may visit at either time.</i>	
11	F	PARENT PERKS	8:30 am
21	M	PARENT PERKS	3:30 pm
24	Th	CULTURAL FESTIVAL – Impressions of India (No Day Care / No Latchkey 3:30 – 6 pm)	3:30-8 pm
25	F	NO SCHOOL – DAY CARE / LATCHKEY AVAILABLE – Staff Professional Development	
28	M	NO SCHOOL – NO DAY CARE OR LATCHKEY – Memorial Day	
29-June 1	T-F	ALL LEVELS SPIRIT WEEK (FIELD DAY ON FRIDAY!)	School hours
31	Th	MIDDLE SCHOOL – Legacy Presentations	6 pm
JUNE			
1/4-8	F/M-F	UPPER ELEMENTARY TRIPS - TBD	
4-8	M-F	MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIP – White Water Rafting- W. Virginia	
11	M	MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADUATION LUNCHEON	
12	T	8th GRADE GRADUATION – Daytime Assembly & 6 pm Ceremony	
12	T	LAST DAY OF CLASSES	
13	W	FAMILY PICNIC (Day Care / Latchkey available 7 – 11 am only.)	11 am-1 pm
18	M	SUMMER CAMP BEGINS (runs through August 17)	

Watch for flyers in your child's tote bag, backpack or email for further details regarding events listed in this calendar as well as additional classroom events, activities and calendar updates.