

HAMPDEN CHARTER SCHOOL OF SCIENCE – WEST

2018-2019 SCHOOL CALENDAR

updated on 9.12.2018

AUGUST							SEPTEMBER (15 days)								
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
			1	2	3	4							1	3 Labor Day (School Closed)	
20-31 Staff Development							2	3	4	5	6	7	8	4-7 Staff Development	
27-28-29 Chromebook Kick-start	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	10 First Day of School
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
	26	27	28	29	30	31									
OCTOBER (22 days)							NOVEMBER (19 days)								
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
		1	2	3	4	5	6					1	2	3	1 SCI & SS FINALS Q1
8 Columbus Day (School Closed)	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	9 First Quarter Ends (44 days)
22 Staff Dev. (half day)	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	12 Veterans Day (School Closed)
26 ELA FINAL Q1	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	15 Parent Teacher Conference (Half Day)
30 MATH FINAL Q1	28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	22-23 Thanksgiving (School Closed)	
DECEMBER (15 days)							JANUARY (21 days)								
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
						1			1	2	3	4	5	1 New Year's Day (School Closed)	
10 Staff Dev. (half day)	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	15 ELA FINAL Q2
24-31 Winter Break (School Closed)	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	18 MATH FINAL Q2
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	21 MLK Day (School Closed)
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	27	28	29	30	31			23 SCI & SS FINALS Q2
	30	31													
FEBRUARY (15 days)							MARCH (21 days)								
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
					1	2						1	2	14 PSAT 8/9	
1 Second Quarter Ends (49 days)	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	25 Staff Dev. (half day)
4 Staff Dev. (half day)	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
18 Presidents' Day (School Closed)	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
19-22 February Break (School Closed)	24	25	26	27	28			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
APRIL (17 days)							MAY (22 days)								
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
		1	2	3	4	5	6			1	2	3	4	1 MCAS ELA (Grades 6,7,8)	
2-4 Q3 Finals (Dismissal at 12:30)	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	6 Staff Dev. (half day)
12 Third Quarter Ends (45 days)	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	14-15 MCAS Math (Grades 6,7,8)
15-19 Spring Break (School Closed)	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	21 MCAS Science (Grade 8)
30 MCAS ELA (Grades 6,7,8)	28	29	30					26	27	28	29	30	31		27 Memorial Day (School Closed)
JUNE (15 days)															
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa									
						1									
4-5 MCAS Biology (Grade 9)	2	3	4	5	6	7	8								
14 Fourth Quarter Ends (39 days)	9	10	11	12	13	14	15								
21 Last Day of School	16	17	18	19	20	21	22								
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29								

Total school days for students: 182 days
Total school days for staff: 190 days
Building opens for students at 7:20 am everyday.
HCSS-West will use alternative structured learning days (Blizzard Bag days) for inclement weather snow days.
School ends at 1:58pm on PSAT, MCAS and Quarter Final days.
School ends at 11:31 am on half days.