



HAMPDEN CHARTER SCHOOL OF SCIENCE

2023-2024 SCHOOL CALENDAR

(last update 1/4/2024)

| AUGUST | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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| 17-18 | Orientation - New Staff | | | | | | | |
| 21-23 | Summer Institute - All Staff | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 24 | New Student Orientation (Half Day) | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 25 | First Day of School | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| | | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| | | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |

| SEPTEMBER | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | |
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| 4 | Labor Day (School Closed) | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | Back to School Night | | | | | | 1 | 2 | |
| 11 | Study Halls Begin | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | |
| 27 | District PD (Half Day) | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | |
| | | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | |
| | | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | |

| OCTOBER | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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| 9 | Columbus Day (School Closed) | | | | | | | |
| 11 | PSAT Grades 8/9 and 11 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 24-25 | Quarter I Finals (Half Day) | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 25 | District PD (Half Day) | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| | | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| | | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | |

| NOVEMBER | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | |
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| 3 | Quarter 1 Ends | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | |
| 10 | Veterans Day (School Closed) | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | |
| 16 | Parent-Teacher Conference (Half day) | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | |
| 22 | Half day | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | |
| 23-24 | Thanksgiving (School Closed) | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | |

| DECEMBER | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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| 6 | District PD (Half Day) | | | | | | | |
| 22 | Half day | | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 25-29 | Winter Break (School Closed) | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| | | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| | | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| | | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |

| JANUARY | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | |
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| 1 | New Year's Day | | | | | | | | |
| 9-10 | Quarter II Finals (Half Day) | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | |
| 10 | District PD (Half Day) | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| 15 | MLK Day (School Closed) | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | |
| 19 | Second Quarter Ends | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | |
| | | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | |

| FEBRUARY | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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| 6-7 | MCAS Biology - Grade 9 | | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8 | Parent-Teacher Conference (Half day) | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 19 | Presidents' Day (School Closed) | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 20-23 | February Break (School Closed) | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| | | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | | |

| MARCH | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | |
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| 12-13 | Quarter III Finals (Half Day) | | | | | | 1 | 2 | |
| 13 | District PD (Half Day) | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | |
| 26-27 | MCAS ELA - Grade 10 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | |
| 28 | Third Quarter Ends | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | |
| 29 | Good Friday (School closed) | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | |

| APRIL | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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| 9-10 | MCAS ELA - Middle School | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 10 | PSAT 10 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 15-19 | Spring Break (School Closed) | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| | | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| | | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | | |

| MAY | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa | |
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| 8 | District PD (Half Day) | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | |
| 14 | MCAS Science - Grade 8 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | |
| 21-22 | MCAS Math - Middle School & Grade 10 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | |
| 24 | Half Day | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | |
| 24 | Seniors' Last Day of School | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |
| 27 | Memorial Day (School Closed) | | | | | | | | |

| JUNE | | Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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| 4 | Graduation | | | | | | | 1 |
| 4-5 | MCAS Biology - Grade 9 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 6 | Last day of Study Hall | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 7 | Fourth Quarter Ends | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 10-14 | *Inclement Weather Makeup/Half Days | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| | | 30 | | | | | | |

* Inclement weather makeup days will be added as needed

First Quarter: August 25 - November 3

Second Quarter: November 6 - January 19

Third Quarter: January 22 - March 28

Fourth Quarter: April 1 - June 7

Color Codes

Half Days (11:46 am dismissal)

Testing Days (2:11pm dismissal)

School Closed

MCAS Science - Grade 8