

HIGHLAND PARK MONTESSORI SCHOOL CALENDAR 2026-27

DATE(S)	DAY(S)	EVENT
August 2026		
31	Mon.	Zoom Parent Orientation for all families 5 p.m.
September 2026		
1	Tue.	OPEN HOUSE FOR ALL, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.
2	Wed.	New CH Parent Gathering 9:00 am, Dunn Bros
2	Wed.	Day 1: Phase-in for new Children's House children, 9:00-10:00 am
3	Thurs.	Day 2: Phase-in for new Children's House children, 9:00-11:00 am
4-7	Fri.-Mon.	Labor Day Weekend – <i>All programs closed</i>
8	Tues.	School Begins
16	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
25	Fri.	Toddlers w/Parents field trip to Whistling Well Apple Farm, 9:00 to 10:30 am (rain date 9/26)
October 2026		
2	Fri.	All-Family HPMS Mini-Marathon & Dash Fundraiser for our school!
8	Thurs.	Picture Day!
14	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
15-16	Thurs., Fri.	School closed – MEA Break, teacher workshop days
30	Fri	Children's House: Halloween Party No costumes
November 2026		
6	Fri.	Parents' Coffee Hour, 8:40 – 9:30 a.m.
11	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
13	Fri.	School Closed – Children's House and Toddler Conferences
24	Tue.	We Gather Together: Toddler & Children's House Thanksgiving Feast
25	Wed.	School closed – <i>Holiday care available</i>
26-27	Thurs., Fri.	Thanksgiving Break – <i>All programs closed</i>
December 2026		
9	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
18	Fri.	All Family Holiday Party School Closes at 11:30
21-22	Mon., Tues,	All programs closed – <i>Holiday care available</i>
23-25	Wed-Fri	All programs closed
28, 29, 30	Mon., Tue., Wed.	All programs closed – <i>Holiday care available</i>

January 2027		
Dec. 31- Jan. 1	Thur., Fri	All programs closed – Happy New Year
4	Mon.	Back to school!
6	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
8	Fri.	Parents' Coffee Hour, 8:40 – 9:30 a.m.
18	Mon.	School Closed – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
February 2027		
3	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
5 or 8	Fri. or Mon	Lunar New Year
12	Fri.	Children's House: Celebrate Valentine's Day
15	Mon.	School Closed – Presidents' Day
March 2027		
8-12	Week	Children's House: 2025-26 Re-enrollment!
10	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
12	Fri.	Parents' Coffee Hour, 8:40 – 9:30 a.m. Last one of the Year!
17	Wed.	Children's House: Celebrate St. Patrick's Day
26	Fri.	School Closed – Children's House and Toddler Conferences
April 2027		
April 5-9 <i>Holiday care available</i>	Mon. – Fri. Mon. – Thurs.	Spring Break - School Closed <i>Holiday care available Mon. - Thurs. (closed Friday)</i>
14	Wed.	Children's House Creative movement with Fran
May 2027		
5	Wed.	Children's House: Creative movement with Fran
7	Fri.	Toddler & Parent Field Trip to the Farm at Dodge Nature Center
7	Fri.	CH: field trip to the Farm at Dodge Nature Center via school bus
31	Mon.	Memorial Day – All Programs Closed
June 2027		
4	Fri.	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL – Year-end Picnic 5:30 to 7:30 pm, Como Park Pavilion
7,8	Mon., Tues.	SCHOOL CLOSED: Toddler / CH PREP. DAY for SUMMER
9	Wed.	Toddler resumes and CH Summer program begins!
Summer 2027 Session 1 June 9-25 Session 2 July 6-August 13 Session 3 August 23- Sept 2		