

2017 – 2018 Preliminary Calendar as of May 26, 2017*

This calendar contains school year start and end dates, school wide community events, outdoor education expeditions, and holidays. Additional events and details will be added throughout the year.

**Starred events are considered SBMS signature events, and parents are required to attend.*

***Events with two stars are SBMS community-building events, and parents are strongly encouraged to attend.*

AUGUST

Sunday, August 27	Reception & Diamond Day for New Families and Returning 7th, 2-4 pm
Thursday, August 31	Parent Association Sponsored Beach Party at Santa Claus Beach (for new families, mentor families, and returning 7th), 2-4 pm

SEPTEMBER

Monday, September 4	Labor Day -- No School
Tuesday, September 5	9 th Grade Orientation & Diamond Day, 9 am–2 pm
Tuesday, September 5	Diamond Day for 8 th Grade Families, 2–3 pm
Wednesday, September 6	First Day of School for All Students (9 am returning students, 10 am new students)
Thursday, Sept. 7 – Friday, Sept. 8	Orientation Ride & Overnight
Monday, September 11	First Day of Academic Classes
Friday, September 15	6/7 Pedal & Picnic; 9th Grade to UCSB Marine Bio
Tuesday, September 19	School Photo Day
Sunday, Sept. 24 - Thursday, Sept. 28	9th Grade Islands Expedition

OCTOBER

Tuesday, October 3	6/7 Back-to-School Night*
Wednesday, October 4	8/9 Back-to-School Night*
Friday, October 13	Early Dismissal, 2 pm
Monday, Oct. 16 - Saturday, Oct. 21	All School Fall Expedition
Thursday, October 19	Parent Social
Saturday, October 21	Homecoming*
Monday, October 23	Recuperation Day (No School)

NOVEMBER

Saturday, November 4	Parent Work Day
Friday, November 10	Veteran's Day (No School; Faculty In-Service)
Tuesday, November 14	Early Dismissal, 2 pm; Conferences Begin
Wed., Nov. 15 - Tues., Nov. 21	Conferences & Career Study Week
Wed., Nov. 22 - Friday, Nov. 24	Thanksgiving Holiday (No School)
Monday, November 27	Classes resume

DECEMBER

Thursday, December 7	All School Town Meeting and Media Presentation*
Thursday, December 14	8th Grade Retreat
Friday, December 15	Early Dismissal, 2 pm; Solstice Ride & Hike
Monday, Dec. 18 - Monday, Jan.1	Winter Break (No School)

JANUARY

Tuesday, January 2
Thursday, January 11
Monday, January 15

Classes Resume
Financial Aid Applications Due for Returning students
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (No School)

FEBRUARY

Monday, February 12
Tuesday, February 13
Thursday, February 15
Friday, Feb. 16 - Monday, Feb. 19
Friday, February 23

6/7 Academic Fair*
8/9 Academic Fair*
Early Dismissal, 12:40 pm
Presidents Weekend (No School)
Contracts Due for Returning Families

MARCH

Friday, March 16
Monday, March 19 – Friday, March 23

Monday, March 26 – Friday, April 6

Early Dismissal, 2 pm
Spring Expeditions (*some trips may depart or return one day earlier or later*)
Spring Break

APRIL

Monday, April 9
Saturday, April 28

Classes Resume
Songfest**

MAY

Saturday, May 5
Friday, May 11
Saturday, May 12
Monday, May 28

Tuesday, May 29
Wednesday, May 30

Auction**
No School (Faculty In-Service); Drama Performance
Drama Performance
Memorial Day (No School for 6/7/8); 9th Grade Departs for EOY Expedition
8th Grade Departs for EOY Expedition
6/7 Grades Depart for EOY Expedition

JUNE

Friday, June 8
Monday, June 11
Tuesday, June 12
Wednesday, June 13
Thursday, June 14
Friday, June 15

All Grades Return from Expeditions
Recuperation Day (No School)
No School
Last Day of School; 6/7 Media Presentation*
8/9 Media Presentation*
Rites of Passage**