

**DATES TO REMEMBER FOR 2011-2012 SCHOOL YEAR**

**Regular Attendance Hours:**

<b><u>Mokena Elementary School</u></b> <b>(grades K – 3)</b> <b>8:55 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.</b>	<b><u>Mokena Intermediate School</u></b> <b>(grades 4 &amp; 5)</b> <b>8:25 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.</b>	<b><u>Mokena Junior High School</u></b> <b>(grades 6 – 8)</b> <b>7:45 a.m. – 2:15 p.m.</b>
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THURSDAY	August 18	TEACHER INSTITUTE – NO SCHOOL
FRIDAY	August 19	TEACHER INSTITUTE – NO SCHOOL
MONDAY	August 22	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL – NO SCHOOL FOR KINDERGARTEN GRADES 1-3, 8:55 a.m.–10:55 a.m.; GRADES 4-5, 8:25 a.m.–10:25 a.m.; GRADES 6-8, 7:45 a.m.–9:45 a.m.
MONDAY	August 22	Kindergarten / DK / EC “Meet and Greet” AM students: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm / PM students: 1:30 – 2:30 pm
TUESDAY	August 23	FIRST FULL DAY OF SCHOOL – GRADES K-8
FRIDAY	August 26	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL – EARLY START PROGRAM
TUESDAY	August 30	BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT – GRADE 5, 7:00 p.m. (MIS)
WEDNESDAY	August 31	BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT, GRADES 1-3 (Session 1: 6:00-6:30 pm ; Session 2: 6:45-7:15 pm)
THURSDAY	September 1	BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT – GRADE 4, 7:00 p.m. (MIS)
MONDAY	September 5	LABOR DAY – NO SCHOOL
WEDNESDAY	September 7	BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT – GRADES 6 – 8, 7:00 p.m. (MJHS)
TUESDAY	September 13	KINDERGARTEN / EARLY START / EARLY CHILDHOOD OPEN HOUSE – AM 6:00-6:30 p.m., PM 6:45-7:15 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	September 14	EARLY DISMISSAL, 10:35 a.m. (MJHS), 11:10 a.m. (MIS), 11:40 a.m. (MES)
MONDAY	October 10	COLUMBUS DAY - NO SCHOOL
WEDNESDAY	October 12	EARLY DISMISSAL, 10:35 a.m. (MJHS), 11:10 a.m. (MIS), 11:40 a.m. (MES)
FRIDAY	October 28	GENERAL REPORT CARD DAY
FRIDAY	November 11	VETERANS DAY – NO SCHOOL
MONDAY	November 21	NO SCHOOL, PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES 12:00 – 8:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	November 22	TEACHER INSTITUTE – NO SCHOOL
WED-FRI	November 23-25	THANKSGIVING VACATION – NO SCHOOL
WEDNESDAY	December 7	EARLY DISMISSAL, 10:35 a.m. (MJHS), 11:10 a.m. (MIS), 11:40 a.m. (MES)
WEDNESDAY	December 21	EARLY DISMISSAL – 1:10 p.m. (MJHS), 1:45 p.m. (MIS), 2:15 p.m. (MES)
THURSDAY	December 22	WINTER BREAK BEGINS - NO SCHOOL
TUESDAY	January 3	CLASSES RESUME
MONDAY	January 16	MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY - NO SCHOOL
FRIDAY	January 20	GENERAL REPORT CARD DAY
WEDNESDAY	February 8	EARLY DISMISSAL, 10:35 a.m. (MJHS), 11:10 a.m. (MIS), 11:40 a.m. (MES)
FRIDAY	February 17	NO SCHOOL - PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
MONDAY	February 20	PRESIDENTS DAY – NO SCHOOL
MONDAY	March 19	TEACHER INSTITUTE – NO SCHOOL
FRIDAY	March 23	GENERAL REPORT CARD DAY
THURSDAY	April 5	EARLY DISMISSAL – 1:10 p.m. (MJHS), 1:45 p.m. (MIS), 2:15 p.m. (MES)
FRIDAY	April 6	SPRING BREAK BEGINS - NO SCHOOL
MONDAY	April 16	CLASSES RESUME
WEDNESDAY	May 2	EARLY DISMISSAL, 10:35 a.m. (MJHS), 11:10 a.m. (MIS), 11:40 a.m. (MES)
WEDNESDAY	May 23	LAST DAY FOR KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS
THURSDAY	May 24	EARLY DISMISSAL, 10:35 a.m. (MJHS), 11:10 a.m. (MIS), 11:40 a.m. (MES)
FRIDAY	May 25	LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS (ASSUMING FIVE EMERGENCY DAYS ARE <u>NOT</u> USED); GRADES 1-3, 8:55 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.; GRADES 4-5, 8:25 a.m.-9:30 a.m.; GRADES 6-8, 7:45 a.m.-8:55 a.m.; GENERAL REPORT CARD DAY

\*\* If all snow days are taken, Friday, June 1, 2012 will be the last day of school.

**IMPORTANT TESTING DATES**

Oct 25 – Nov 5	Explore Testing (Grade 8)
Jan 10 – Feb 11	ACCESS (ELL) Testing
Jan 16 - 27	Terra Nova Testing (Grade 5, Grade 3 23 <sup>rd</sup> )
Feb 13, 15, 16	CogAT Testing (Grades K-1)
Mar 5 - 16	ISAT Testing (Grades 3,4,5,6,7,8)
Mar 6 - 9	Terra Nova Testing (Grade 1)

**GRADING PERIODS**

FIRST GRADING PERIOD	Aug 22 – Oct 21
SECOND GRADING PERIOD	Oct 24 – Jan 13
THIRD GRADING PERIOD	Jan 16 – Mar 16
FOURTH GRADING PERIOD	Mar 19 – May 23

**PROGRESS REPORT DATES**

Week ending September 16  
Week ending December 2  
Week ending February 17  
Week ending April 27

**REPORT CARD DATES**

Friday, October 28  
Friday, January 20  
Friday, March 23  
Friday, May 25