

*Hicksville
Public
Schools*

2020-2021

School District Calendar

as of January 7, 2021



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SEPTEMBER 2020

Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Focus: **Community**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
		1	2	- 2 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting - 7 PM Special Meeting of the Board of Education style="text-align: right;">3	4	5	
	LABOR DAY SCHOOLS CLOSED style="text-align: right;">7	← Superintendent's Conference Days for Staff →			- 7 PM Special Meeting of the Board of Education style="text-align: right;">10	11	12
6		8	9		- 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting style="text-align: right;">17	18	19
13	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL style="text-align: right;">14	- SAT Late Registration Deadline style="text-align: right;">15	16				
20	- 7 PM Special Meeting of the Board of Education - 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ Burns style="text-align: right;">21	- Elementary PTA Meeting style="text-align: right;">22	- 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting - 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting style="text-align: right;">23	24	25	- 8 AM SAT Reasoning Test style="text-align: right;">26	
27	HOLIDAY SCHOOLS CLOSED style="text-align: right;">28	- SEPTA Meeting - 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting - 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting style="text-align: right;">29	- 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education style="text-align: right;">30				

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OCTOBER 2020

SEL Focus: **Kindness**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				- 4 PM Shared Decision-Making Committee Meeting - 7 PM Mental Health Coalition Workshop 1	2	- 8 AM SAT Reasoning/Subject Tests 3
4	- 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ Dutch 5	- Elementary PTA Meeting - 7 PM Mental Health Coalition Workshop 6	- SAT Registration Deadline - 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting 7	- 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting 8	- Secondary Progress Reports 9	10
11	HOLIDAY SCHOOLS CLOSED 12	- 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting 13	- 2 PM Safety Committee Meeting 14	15	16	- PSAT Administered @ HHS 17
18	- 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting 19	- SAT Late Registration Deadline - Evening Elementary Parent Teacher Conferences 20	- 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education 21	- PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent 22	23	24
25	- MAP Testing Grades 3-8 through November 25 26	27	- 7 PM Special Education Committee Meeting 28	- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting 29	District-Wide Early Dismissal: Elementary Schools & Thurs./Fri. Secondary Cohort 30	31

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NOVEMBER 2020

SEL Focus: *Gratitude*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS</p> <p>1</p>	<p>District-Wide Early Dismissal: Mon./Tues. Secondary Cohort</p> <p>- 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ East</p> <p>2</p>	<p>ELECTION DAY</p> <p>ALL SCHOOLS REMOTE EXCEPT HIGH SCHOOL HYBRID</p> <p>3</p>	<p>- 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting</p> <p>4</p>	<p>- SAT Registration Deadline</p> <p>- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting</p> <p>5</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>- 8 AM SAT Reasoning & Subject Tests</p> <p>7</p>
<p>8</p>	<p>- 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting</p> <p>9</p>	<p>- Elementary PTA Meeting</p> <p>10</p>	<p>VETERANS DAY</p> <p>SCHOOLS CLOSED</p> <p>11</p>	<p>- 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting</p> <p>12</p>	<p>- End of First Quarter - Secondary Schools</p> <p>13</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>- SAT Late Registration Deadline</p> <p>- 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting</p> <p>17</p>	<p>- 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting</p> <p>- 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education</p> <p>18</p>	<p>- Elementary Schools Closed Afternoon</p> <p>- Elementary Afternoon Parent Teacher Conferences</p> <p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>
<p>22</p>	<p>- SEPTA Meeting</p> <p>23</p>	<p>- PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent</p> <p>24</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>		<p>28</p>
<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>					

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DECEMBER 2020

SEL Focus: *Empathy*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			- Elementary Schools Closed Afternoon - Elementary Afternoon Parent Teacher Conferences - 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting 1 2	- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting 3	4	- 8 AM SAT Reasoning & Subject Tests 5
6	- 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ Fork 7	- Elementary PTA Meeting 8	- 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting 9	- Evening Elementary Parent Teacher Conferences 10	- Elementary First Trimester Ends 11	12
13	14	- 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting 15	- 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education 16	17	- Secondary Progress Reports 18	19
20	21	22	- Elementary Report Cards 23	← HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS →		26
27	← HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED →					
28	29	30	31			

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JANUARY 2021

SEL Focus: **Acceptance**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED 1	2
3	SCHOOLS RE-OPEN - MAP Testing Grades K-2 January 4-29 - 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ Lee 4	5	- 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting 6	7	8	9
10	- 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting 11	- 6:30 PM Finance/Budget Committee Meeting - Elementary PTA Meeting 12	- 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting 13	- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting - 4 PM Shared Decision-Making Committee Meeting - 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting 14	15	16
17	HOLIDAY SCHOOLS CLOSED 18	- 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting 19	- 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education 20	- PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent 21	- End of Second Quarter - Secondary Schools 22	23
24 /	- SEPTA Meeting 25	26	27	- 7 PM Special Education Committee Meeting 28	29	30
31	25	26	27	28	29	30

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FEBRUARY 2021

SEL Focus: **Self-Awareness**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	- Kindergarten Open Enrollment for ALL Elementary Schools through March 26 th - 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ OCR 1	2	- 6:30 PM Finance/Budget Committee Meeting - 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting 3	- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting 4	5	6
7	- 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting 8	- Elementary PTA Meeting 9	- 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting - 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education 10	- 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting 11	- SAT Registration Deadline 12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
← WINTER RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED →						
21	SCHOOLS RE-OPEN 22	- SAT Late Registration Deadline - 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting 23	- 2 PM Safety Committee Meeting 24	- PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent 25	26	27
28						

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MARCH 2021

SEL Focus: *Integrity*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - REMINDER: Kindergarten Open Enrollment for ALL Elementary Schools through March 26th - 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ Woodland <p style="text-align: right;">1</p>	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 6:30 PM Finance/Budget Committee Meeting - 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">3</p>	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Secondary Progress Reports <p style="text-align: right;">5</p>	6
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Elementary PTA Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">9</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">10</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting - 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">11</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Elementary Second Trimester Ends <p style="text-align: right;">12</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 8 AM SAT Reasoning Test <p style="text-align: right;">13</p>
<p>DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14</p>	15	16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education <p style="text-align: right;">17</p>	18	19	20
21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - SEPTA Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">22</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">23</p>	24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent - 4 PM Shared Decision-Making Committee Meeting - 7 PM Special Education Committee Meeting <p style="text-align: right;">25</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kindergarten Registration for ALL Elementary Schools Closes - Elementary Report Cards <p style="text-align: right;">26</p>	27
28	<p>← SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED →</p>					
28	29	30	31			

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APRIL 2021

SEL Focus: **Resilience**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED		
				1	2	3
4	5 - 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ MS	6 - Elementary PTA Meeting	7 - 6:30 PM Finance/Budget Committee Meeting - 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting	8 - SAT Registration Deadline - 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting - 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting	9	10
11	12 - 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting	13 - 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting	14 - 2 PM Safety Committee Meeting - 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting	15	16 - End of Third Quarter - Secondary Schools	17
18	19 - NYSESLAT Speaking Through May 28 th	← Grades 3-8 English Language Arts Tests →		21 - SAT Late Registration Deadline	22 - PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent	24
25	26	20 - 8 PM Budget Adoption - Board of Education Meeting	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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MAY 2021

SEL Focus: *Respect*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	<p>←</p> <p>- 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ HS</p> <p>3</p>	<p>←</p> <p>4</p>	<p>Advanced Placement Examinations</p> <p>Grades 3-8 Mathematics Tests</p> <p>- 7:30 PM Budget Hearing - Board of Education Meeting</p> <p>5</p>	<p>- SAT Registration Deadline</p> <p>- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting</p> <p>6</p>	7	<p>1</p> <p>- 8 AM SAT Reasoning & Subject Tests</p> <p>8</p>
MOTHER'S DAY	<p>←</p> <p>- 7 PM Special Education Committee Meeting</p> <p>9</p> <p>10</p>	<p>Advanced Placement Examinations</p> <p>- Elementary PTA Meeting</p> <p>- 7 PM Communications Advisory Committee Meeting</p> <p>- 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting</p> <p>11</p>	<p>- 2 PM Safety Committee Meeting</p> <p>- 7 PM Curriculum Committee Meeting</p> <p>- 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting</p> <p>12</p>	HOLIDAY SCHOOLS CLOSED	<p>- Secondary Progress Reports</p> <p>- MAP Testing Grades 3-8 May 14-28</p> <p>14</p>	15
16	<p>- NYSESLAT Listening, Reading, Writing Through May 28th</p> <p>17</p>	<p>BUDGET VOTE & TRUSTEE ELECTION</p> <p>- SAT Late Registration Deadline</p> <p>- 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education</p> <p>18</p>	<p>- PTA Presidents Meeting w/ Superintendent</p> <p>19</p>	<p>- 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting</p> <p>20</p>	21	22
23	<p>- SEPTA Meeting</p> <p>24</p>	<p>←</p> <p>25</p>	<p>Grade 4 NYS Science Performance Tests</p> <p>26</p>	<p>- 4 PM Shared Decision-Making Committee Meeting</p> <p>27</p>	28	29
30	<p>MEMORIAL DAY</p> <p>SCHOOLS CLOSED</p> <p>31</p>					

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JUNE 2021

SEL Focus: *Perseverance*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		- MAP Testing Grades K-2 June 1-11 1	- U.S. History & Government Regents Examination 2	- 3:30 PM Policy Committee Meeting 3		- 8 AM SAT Reasoning & Subject Tests 5
6	- Grade 4 Science Written Test - 8 PM PTA Council Meeting @ Burns 7	- Elementary PTA Meeting 8	- 7:30 PM Athletic Booster Club Meeting - 8 PM Regular Meeting of the Board of Education 9	- 7:30 PM HHS PTSA Meeting 10	- Elementary Third Trimester Ends - Elementary Schools Closed Afternoon 11	12
13	- HMS Last Full Day of Classes - 7:30 PM HMS PTSA Meeting 14	← HS Finals/Regents Examinations →			- Elementary Schools Closed Afternoon - Grade 5 Commencement 18	19
FATHER'S DAY 20	← HS Finals/Regents Examinations →			LAST DAY OF SCHOOL		10 AM Graduation Congratulations Class of 2021!
27	21	22	23	24	- 9:30 AM HMS Commencement - End of Fourth Quarter - Secondary Scholols - Elementary Schools Closed Afternoon - Elementary Report Cards - Rating Day 25	26
28	29	30				

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Principal - <i>John Comer, Ed.D.</i>	
Nurse - Patricia Wakely-Altman, R.N.	(516)733-2315
Dutch Lane School (8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)	
Office	(516)733-2361
50 Stewart Avenue, Hicksville, NY 11801-6199	
Principal - <i>Janine Rossi</i>	
Nurse - Amy Siegenthaler, R.N.	(516)733-2365
East Street School (9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.)	
Office	(516)733-2321
50 East Street, Hicksville, NY 11801-3196	
Principal - <i>Jean-Marie Serra</i>	
Nurse - Diane Genco, R.N.	(516)733-2325
Fork Lane School (8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)	
Office	(516)733-2341
4 Fork Lane, Hicksville, NY 11801-6200	
Principal - <i>Susan Guiliano</i>	
Nurse - Andrea Mazz, R.N.	(516)733-2345
Lee Avenue School (9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.)	
Office	(516)733-2351
1 Seventh Street, Hicksville, NY 11801-5805	
Principal - <i>Stephanie Stam</i>	
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Old Country Road School (8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)	
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49 Rhodes Lane, Hicksville, NY 11801-4697	
Principal, <i>Laura McConnell</i>	
Nurse - Susan Keogan, R.N.	(516)733-2305
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Office	(516)733-2331
85 Ketchams Road, Hicksville, NY 11801-2099	
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Nurse - Joan Welsh, R.N.	(516)733-2335
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Secondary Schools

Hicksville Middle School (7:25 a.m. - 2:20 p.m.)	
Office	(516)733-2261
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Assistant Principal - Benjamin Tangney	(516)733-2288
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Assistant Principal - Timothy Sweeney	(516)733-2217
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