

PLYMOUTH-CANTON MONTESSORI SCHOOL

2016-2017 CALENDAR (3-6 & EXTENDED DAY)

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September	6	Tuesday	Open House A visiting day for new and returning students.
	29	Thursday	Parent Meeting #1 6p.m. <i>Meet the Materials</i> – an introduction to the areas of the classroom and some of the unique materials in each.
	30	Friday	Staff Professional Development – No classes or daycare.
October	5	Wednesday	Plymouth Orchards field trip – 9:15 a.m. tour
	10-13	Mon.-Thurs.	Children’s Book Fair. A fundraiser for the school. (Books will be displayed in the hallway and will be available for purchase.)
	11	Tuesday	Parent Meeting # 2 6 p.m. Speakers Heidi Gauger & Sue Fitzpatrick present <i>3 Effective Parenting Tips</i> . This is an introduction to our six-session parenting class. Complimentary child care available.
	17	Monday	Fire Safety Program – An in-house presentation by the Canton Fire Department. Morning classes - 10 a.m. Extended Day - 1 p.m
	19	Wednesday	Picture Day – Pictures taken during class hours. Siblings welcome at 10:30 a.m.
	24	Monday	Mad Science of Detroit – in-house presentation on <i>Energy and Motion</i> to the Extended Day Kindergarten class. 1 p.m.
	25	Tuesday	Parenting class begins. First class in the six-part Parent Talk series. 6 - 8 p.m. Complimentary child care available.
	31	Monday	Halloween Party and Parade – regular class hours. Parents are invited to attend the parade: 8:45 a.m.
November	4	Friday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to the Canton Health Exploration Station, 1 p.m.
	5	Saturday	Michigan Montessori Society Workshop at Macomb Community College (14500 E. 12 Mile Road, Warren), 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
	7	Mon. thru 11/18	Parent-Teacher Conferences – School will remain in session. (Dates for individual classrooms to be announced.)
	18	Friday	Dental hygienist Julia Sydlowski presents an in-house program, <i>Healthy Teeth</i> . 9 a.m. & 10 a.m.
	23-25	Wed.- Fri.	Thanksgiving Holiday – No classes or day care
December	7	Wednesday	Family Math Night 5:30 - 7 p.m. Enrolled children and parents come to school for an evening of math exploration and games.
	9	Friday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to the Marquis Theatre in Northville to see the play <i>The Snow Queen</i> . 10 a.m. performance.
	12	Monday	Extended Day Kindergarten students learn to dance Zumba, an in-house presentation by Tumble Bunnies. 1 p.m.
	16	Friday	Magician Ben Spitzer presents a magic and juggling show, <i>Around the World</i> , an in-house presentation. 10:30 a.m.
	23	Friday	Holiday Celebrations – Last day of school. Regular class hours.
	26	Mon. thru 1/6	No classes or day care available during Winter Break . Return to school Monday, January 9, 2017.
	January	16	Monday
18		Wednesday	Picture Retake Day
19		Thursday	Moms’ Night – AM Classes 5 - 6:30 p.m. Moms (or a substitute) and children come to school together. Open house format – drop in any time
20		Friday	In-house presentation by musical sister duo, Tunes and Tales. Using a viola and cello, they will incorporate music, movement and props to tell a story. 10:30 a.m.

January	23	Monday	Extended Day Kindergarten children visit the Plymouth Historical Museum for a program on Native Americans, 1 p.m.	
	30, 31	Mon, Tues.	Hearing & Vision testing by Wayne Co. Health Department.	
February	10	Friday	Safety Program – in-house presentation by the Canton Township Public Safety Department. 9 a.m. & 9:45 a.m.	
	14	Tuesday	Valentine Parties. Regular class hours.	
	15	Wednesday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to the Michigan Academy of Gymnastics in Westland, 1 - 2:15 p.m.	
	16	Thursday	Dads' Night – AM Classes 5 - 6:30 p.m. Dads (or a substitute) and children come to school together. Open house format – drop in any time.	
	20, 21	Mon., Tues.	Midwinter Break – No classes or day care	
March	22	Wednesday	Staff Professional Development – No classes or day care	
	8	Wednesday	Instrument Petting Zoo – The Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra provides hands-on fun with musical instruments! An in-house presentation. 10 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.	
	10	Friday	Staff Professional Development – No classes (Day care will be available - <i>please sign up for use in advance.</i>)	
	11	Saturday	Art Day 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. Parents and (enrolled) children come to school together for a morning of art activities. Lots of fun - don't miss it!	
	13	Monday thru 3/30	Parent-Teacher Conferences – School will remain in session. (Dates for individual classrooms to be announced.)	
	21	Tuesday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to the Creature Conservancy in Ann Arbor. 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.	
	21-23	Tues.-Thurs.	Spring Book Fair offered by Usborne Books.	
	31	Friday	Spring Celebration – Last day of school. Regular class hours.	
	April	3-7	Mon.-Fri.	No classes or day care available during Spring Break . Return to school Monday, April 10.
		12	Wednesday	Huron-Clinton Metroparks presents <i>We're Fond of Ponds</i> , an in-house presentation. 10 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.
13		Thursday	Kindergarten Information Meeting 6 p.m. For parents of prospective kindergarten and Extended Day students. Complimentary child care available.	
14		Friday	Good Friday – No classes or day care	
19		Wednesday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to The Farm at St. Joseph Mercy Health System, Ypsilanti. 1:15 p.m.	
20		Thursday	Grandparents' Day (or a special person if grandparents are not available). Open house format: AM Classes: 9 - 11 a.m. Extended Day P.M. 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.	
24-28		Mon.-Fri.	Multicultural Week – Parents present their cultures to their child's classroom through music, dance, art, dress and language.	
30		Sunday	Open House for the Community and Families 1 - 3 p.m. Prospective and current families are invited to tour the classrooms and learn more about the Montessori philosophy	
May		5	Friday	Records Day – No classes (Day care will be available – <i>please sign up for use in advance.</i>)
		10	Wednesday	<i>Fur, Feathers & Scales</i> , an in-house presentation to the Extended Day Kindergarten class by Leslie Science and Nature Center of Ann Arbor.
	16, 18	T, Th	Music Programs – Tuesday- Mrs. Shekar Thursday-Mrs. Ewasek	
	29	Monday	Memorial Day – No classes or daycare	
June	2	Friday	Kindergarten Graduation Trip - Graduating kindergarten children will visit Leslie Science and Nature Center in Ann Arbor, 9:30 - 11 a.m.	
	5-9	Mon.-Fri.	Spirit Week – Every day a fun theme culminating in Field Day on Fri.	
	8	Thursday	Kindergarten Graduation – Commencement at 5 p.m.	
	13	Tuesday	Last day of classes.	
	14	Wednesday	Family Picnic – 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. ITC Community Sports Park in Northville. No classes. Day care available until 11 a.m.	
	19	Monday	Summer session begins.	