

# PLYMOUTH-CANTON MONTESSORI SCHOOL

## 2019-2020 CALENDAR (TODDLER, 3-6, EXTENDED/FULL DAY)

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<b>September</b>	3	Tuesday	<b>Open House</b> A visiting day for new and returning students
	26	Thursday	<b>Parent Meeting #1</b> 6 p.m. Complimentary child care available. Preschool classes - <i>Meet the Materials</i> Toddler classroom - <i>Taking Montessori Home</i>
<b>October</b>	2	Wednesday	<b>Parent Meeting # 2</b> 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.
	9	Wednesday	Plymouth Orchards preschool field trip – 9:30 a.m. tour
	11	Friday	<i>Plant Parts and Seed Dispersal</i> , an in-house presentation to the Extended Day Kindergarten class by Huron-Clinton Metroparks.
	12	Saturday	Michigan Montessori Society Workshop at Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor. <i>Best Practices in Montessori</i> , 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
	16	Wednesday	Parenting class begins. First class in the six-part Parent Talk series. 6 - 8 p.m. Complimentary child care available.
	21	Monday	Fire Safety Program – An in-house presentation by the Canton Fire Department. 10:30 a.m.
	23	Wednesday	<b>Picture Day</b> – Pictures taken during class hours. Siblings welcome at 10:30 a.m.
	31	Thursday	Halloween Party and Parade for preschool/kindergarten – regular class hours. Parents are invited to attend the parade: A.M. class - 8:50 a.m.
<b>November</b>	1	Friday	Staff Professional Development. No classes or daycare.
	6-8	Wed.-Fri.	<b>Children's Book Fair.</b> A fundraiser for the school. (Books will be displayed in the hallway and will be available for purchase.)
	11	Mon. thru Fri., 11/22	<b>Parent-Teacher Conferences</b> – School will remain in session. (Dates for toddler/preschool classrooms to be announced.)
	15	Friday	Dental hygienist Julia Sydlowski presents an in-house program to preschool/kindergarten, <i>Healthy Teeth</i> , 9:45 & 10:30 a.m.
	18	Monday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to the Michigan Academy of Gymnastics, 1-2:15 p.m.
	27-29	Wed.- Fri.	<b>Thanksgiving Holiday – No classes or day care</b>
<b>December</b>	4	Wednesday	<b>Family Game Night</b> 5:30-6:30 p.m. toddler; 5:30-7 p.m. preschool. Enrolled children and parents come to school for an evening of interactive fun!
	9	Monday	Extended Day Kindergarten students learn to dance Zumba, an in-house presentation by TumbleBunnies. 1:15 p.m.
	16	Monday	Timeless Tales Theatre in-house presentation of <i>Frosty the Snowman</i> preschool/kindergarten classes. 10:00 a.m. & 1 p.m.
	20	Friday	Holiday Celebrations – Last day of school. Regular class hours.
	23	Mon. thru 1/3	No classes or day care available during <b>Winter Break</b> . Return to school Monday, January 6, 2020.
<b>January</b>	16	Thursday	<b>Moms' Night</b> –5:30-6:30 p.m. toddler; 5:30-7 p.m. preschool. Moms (or a substitute) and children come to school together. Open house format – drop in any time.
	20	Monday	<b>Staff Professional Development – No classes or day care</b>
	22	Wednesday	<b>Picture Retake Day</b>
	24	Friday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to the Wild Swan Theatre in Ann Arbor to see a production of <i>Frog and Toad</i> , 12:30 p.m.

<b>January 2020</b>	27	Monday	Beverly Meyer, The Music Lady - an interactive in-house presentation to preschool/kindergarten classes. 10:30 a.m. & 1:15 p.m
<b>February</b>	3, 5	Mon., Wed.	Hearing & Vision testing by Wayne Co. Health Department (Pre/K)
	7	Friday	Mad Science of Detroit – in-house presentation <i>Adventures in Air</i> to the Extended Day Kindergarten class. 1:15 p.m.
	12	Wednesday	Mad Science of Detroit – in-house presentation <i>Keep in Touch</i> to preschool/kindergarten classes, 9 & 10:15 a.m.
	14	Friday	Valentine Parties in preschool/kindergarten classes. Regular hours.
	17, 18	Mon., Tues.	<b>Midwinter Break – No classes or day care</b>
	19	Wednesday	<b>Staff Professional Development – No classes or day care</b>
<b>March</b>	25	Tuesday	<b>Kindergarten Information Meeting</b> 6 p.m. For parents of prospective kindergarten and Extended Day kindergarten students. Complimentary child care available.
	6	Friday	<b>Staff Professional Development – No classes</b> (Day care will be available - <i>please sign up for use in advance.</i> )
	7	Saturday	<b>Art Day 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.</b> Parents and (enrolled) preschool/kindergarten children come to school together for a morning of art activities. Lots of fun - don't miss it!
	9	Monday thru 3/25	<b>Parent-Teacher Conferences</b> – School will remain in session. (Dates for toddler/preschool classrooms to be announced.)
	16	Monday	Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra Instrument Petting Zoo, an in-house presentation to preschool/kindergarten students. 10 & 10:30 a.m.
	20 or 27	Friday	Extended Day Kindergarten class field trip to Maybury Farm in Northville for a Making Maple Syrup Tour - exact date to be determined
<b>April</b>	31	Tuesday	<b>Dads' Night</b> –5:30-6:30 p.m. toddler; 5:30-7 p.m. preschool. Dads (or a substitute) and children come to school together. Open house format – drop in any time.
	3	Friday	Spring Celebration – Last day of school. Regular class hours.
	6-10	Mon.-Fri.	No classes or day care available during <b>Spring Break</b> . Return to school Monday, April 13.
	17	Friday	<b>Grandparents' Day</b> (or a special person if grandparents are not available). Preschool/kindergarten classes. Open house format: AM: 9 - 11 a.m./ P.M. 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.
	20	Monday	Safety Program – In-house presentation to preschool/kindergarten by the Canton Twp.Public Safety Department. 9:15, 9:45 a.m.
	22	Wednesday	Guy Louis presents <i>The Environmental Awareness Show</i> , an in-house presentation to extended day and full day students. 1:15 p.m.
<b>May</b>	27-5/1	Mon.-Fri.	<b>Multi-cultural Week</b> – Parents present their cultures to their child's preschool/kindergarten classroom through music, dance, art, dress and language.
	30	Thursday	<b>Open House for the Community and Families</b> 4 - 5:30 p.m. Prospective and current families are invited to tour the classrooms and learn more about the Montessori philosophy.
	8	Friday	<b>Records Day – No classes</b> (Day care will be available – <i>please sign up for use in advance.</i> )
	12, 14	T, Th	<b>Music Programs</b> – dates for individual classrooms TBA
<b>June</b>	25	Monday	<b>Memorial Day – No classes or daycare</b>
	29	Friday	<b>Kindergarten Graduation Trip</b> - Graduating kindergarten children will visit Super Bowl in Canton for a Bowling Blast. 1:15-2:15 p.m.
	1-5	Mon.-Fri.	<b>Spirit Week</b> – Every day a fun theme culminating in <b>Field Day</b> on Fri.
<b>June</b>	4	Thursday	<b>Kindergarten Graduation</b> – Commencement at 5 p.m.
	9	Tuesday	Last day of classes.
	10	Wednesday	<b>Family Picnic</b> – 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. ITC Community Sports Park in Northville. No classes. Day care available until 11 a.m.
	15	Monday	Summer session begins.