

WESTCHESTER AREA SCHOOL

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CALENDAR FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018

SCHOOL CLOSINGS – WNYW FOX 5, WABC 7, NEWS 12 BRONX/WESTCHESTER

SCHOOL HOURS: MONDAY-THURSDAY: 8:15 AM – 3:45 PM/ FRIDAY: 8:15 AM – 1:30 PM

W.A.S. Mission Statement:

The Mission of Westchester Area School is to inspire and motivate our students to seek God first and become His disciples, pursue excellence in their academic, physical, social, and emotional development, and to care for their fellow men and our environment.

August

22	Tuesday	Teachers Report to Work
28-31	Mon-Thurs.	Final Student Registration Period

September

4	Monday	Labor Day (School Closed)
5	Tuesday	First Day of School-Full Session-Dismissal 3:45 p.m.
5-8	Tue.-Fri	Diagnostic Testing – All New Students Gr. K-8
7	Thursday	Back to School Night @ 6:30 pm
9	Saturday	W.A.S. Faculty & Staff Consecration Service
11	Monday	9/11 Memorial Basket Distributions
18-22	Mon.-Fri.	Fall Pre-Test Week (ITBS) (Gr. 3-8)
25-29	Mon-Fri.	Student Council Campaigning (One Week)

October

2	Monday	Worker's Meeting (School Closed)
4	Wednesday	Student Council Candidate Speeches & Elections
9	Monday	Columbus Day (School Closed)
10-13	Mon-Fri.	Fall Week Of Prayer: 9:00 am-9:45am daily
12	Thursday	Grandparents/Senior Citizens Day
12	Thursday	Home and School Meeting 6:00 pm
16-20	Mon.-Fri.	Adventist Heritage Emphasis Week
23-27	Mon-Fri	Red Ribbon Week (Drug Awareness)
23-27	Mon-Fri	Final Exam Week
26	Thursday	Professional Development (Early Dismissal – 1:00 pm)

November

10/30-11/3	Mon.-Fri.	Student Council Spirit Week
2	Thursday	Career Day
7	Tuesday	Fall Picture Day (All Students in formal Uniform)
7	Tuesday	End of 1 st Marking Period (46 days)
10	Friday	Veterans' Day (School Closed)
16	Thursday	Parent/Teacher Conference (Early Dismissal-12:00 noon)
21	Tuesday	WAS Thanksgiving Feast
21	Tuesday	Honors Day Program
23-24	Thurs.-Fri.	Thanksgiving Recess (School Closed)

December

14	Thursday	Home and School Meeting 6:00 pm
21	Thursday	Christmas Program
25-1/1	Mon.-Mon.	Winter Recess (School Closed)
1/2	Tuesday	School Reopens

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January

2	Tuesday	School Reopens (Full Day Session)
8-12	Mon.-Fri.	Health Emphasis Week
8-12	Mon-Fri	Final Exam Week
15	Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day (School Closed)
26	Friday	End of 2 nd Marking Period (47 days)

February

1	Thursday	Honors Day Program
5	Monday	Principal's Breakfast
8	Thursday	Professional Development (Early Dismissal-1:00 pm)
14	Wednesday	W.A.S. In-House Spelling Bee PK-4 th Grade
15	Thursday	W.A.S. In-House Spelling Bee 5 th -8 th Grade
15	Thursday	Home and School Meeting – 6:00 pm
19-23	Mon-Fri.	Mid-Winter Break (School Closed)
27	Tuesday	Black History Program

March

5-9	Mon.-Fri.	Principal's Appreciation Week
5-9	Mon-Fri.	Spring Week of Prayer: 9:00 am-9:45 am daily
8	Thursday	W.A.S. In-House Science Fair
12-16	Mon-Fri	Academic Spirit Week
15	Thursday	National Junior Honor Society Induction
18	Sunday	NEC Science Fair
19-23	Mon-Fri.	Final Exam Week
26-30	Mon-Fri	Spring Vacation (School Closed)

April

5	Thursday	Bible Knowledge Championship
7	Saturday	NEC Christian Education Rally Day
9	Monday	3 rd Marking Period Ends (41 days)
11-13	Wed.-Fri.	Grades 3-8 State ELA Test
17	Thursday	Parent Teacher Conference (Early Dismissal-12:00 noon)
23-27	Mon.-Fri.	Administrative Professionals' (Secretaries') Appreciation Week
30-5/4	Mon.-Fri.	Teachers' Appreciation Week

May

1-3	Tues.-Thurs.	Grades 3-8 State Mathematics Tests
8-11	Tues.-Fri.	Spring Achievement Tests (ITBS)
17	Thursday	Home and School Meeting – 6:00 pm
22	Tuesday	W.A.S. Sports Day
23-6/1	Wed.-Fri.	Grades 4 & 8 State Science Performance Test
28	Monday	Memorial Day (School Closed)
29-6/1	Tues.-Fri.	8 th Grade Senior Trip

June

4	Monday	Grades 4&8 State Science Written Test
5-8	Tues.-Fri.	Final Exam Week
7	Thursday	Awards Day – 6:30 pm
11	Monday	N.E.C. All Schools Picnic
13	Wednesday	Graduation Rehearsal – 8 th Grade
14	Thursday	Pre-K-Kindergarten Graduation (10:00 AM)
15	Friday	4 th Marking Period Ends (48 days)
15	Friday	Last Day of School
16	Sabbath	8 th Grade Graduation Baccalaureate Service

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18-22

Sunday
Mon.-Friday

Graduation Commencement Exercises
Post School Week- Teachers Report