



# HILLCREST CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

2021-2022

**Color Code: Gold = PRESCHOOL | Navy = K-12 GRADES | Blue = ALL SCHOOL**

PLEASE NOTE: Events and dates are subject to change or be added throughout the year.  
Be sure to check the [HCS Web-Calendar](#) for the most up-to-date school information.

## DAILY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

### PRESCHOOL

Half Day Hours	8:00AM – 12:00PM
Full Day Hours	8:00AM – 3:15PM
All Day Hours	7:00AM – 5:30PM

ELEMENTARY (K – 5th Grades)	8:30AM – 3:00PM
Tuesdays	8:30AM – 2:00PM

SECONDARY (6th – 12th Grades)	8:00AM – 2:45PM
Tuesdays	8:00AM – 2:15PM

### HALF-DAY DISMISSAL TIMES

Secondary (6th – 12th Grades)	11:30AM
Elementary (K – 5th Grades)	11:45AM
Preschool	12:00PM

EXTENDED CARE (K – 8th Grades)	7:00AM – 8:10AM
	3:15PM – 5:30PM

### HCS CAMP (K-8th)

\*may be available for *some* school day closures

#### HCPS CAMP (Infants- TK)

\*may be available for *some* school day closures

Half Day Hours	8:30AM – 12:00PM
Full Day Hours	8:30AM – 3:00PM
All Day Hours	7:00AM – 5:30PM

## AUGUST 2021

Monday, 08/16	7th-12th NEW Student Orientation & Breakfast	8:00AM
	Secondary Book & Schedule Pick-up	
	9:00am-10:30am 7th-12th Families beginning A-F	
	10:30am-12:00pm 7th-12th Families beginning G-R	
	12:00pm-1:30pm 7th-12th Families beginning S-Z	
	2:00pm-3:00pm All 6th Grade families	
	7th Grade Student/Parent Orientation	10:30AM
	Preschool Back to School Night (Parents Only!)	4:30PM
Tuesday, 08/17	K-5th Grade NEW Student Orientation & Lunch	10:45AM
	Elementary Ice Cream Social	12:30PM – 1:30PM
	Preschool Ice Cream Social (Main Campus)	12:30PM – 1:30PM
	ALL 6th Grade Orientation	1:00PM
Wednesday, 08/18	ALLSCHOOL - First Day of School	
	ALL SCHOOL - PFA Parents Welcome	8:30AM – 9:30AM
	Secondary Assembly	10:50AM
Friday, 08/20	High School Beach Day	9:30AM – 3:00PM
	ALL Secondary Dismissal & Pick-up	2:30PM
	*NO EXTENDED CARE for Middle School students	
Monday, 08/23	Elementary Back to School Night (Parents Only!)	6:00PM – 7:30PM
Tuesday, 08/24	Secondary Back to School Night (Parents Only!)	6:00PM – 7:30PM
August 25 & 26	Preschool First Chapel Day	
Thursday, 08/26	K – 12th First Chapel Day	
Friday, 08/27	Middle School Beach Day	9:30AM – 3:00PM

## SEPTEMBER 2021

Friday, 09/03	ALL SCHOOL - PFA Volunteer Info Meeting	8:30AM
Monday, 09/06	Labor Day: NO SCHOOL or CAMP	
Tuesday, 09/14	ALL SCHOOL - Picture Day	
Friday, 09/17	ALL SCHOOL - Family Movie Night	6:30PM

## OCTOBER 2021

Friday, 10/01	ALL SCHOOL - Half-Day Schedule (Teachers In-service)	
	NO EXTENDED CARE or CAMP	
Wednesday, 10/06	ALL SCHOOL - Worship Night	6:00PM – 8:00PM
October 11 – 15	6th Grade Outdoor Education Week	
Monday, 10/11	Columbus Day: NO SCHOOL or CAMP	
Wednesday, 10/20	ALL SCHOOL - Picture Day Make-ups	
Friday, 10/22	First Quarter Ends	
	Staff vs. Students Powderpuff Football Game	3:30PM – 4:30PM
Saturday, 10/23	Homecoming Football Game	
	Homecoming Dance	7:00PM – 10:00PM
October 25 – 29	Preschool Parent/Teacher Conferences Week	by appt. only
Wednesday, 10/27	Preschool Pumpkin Patch Day (on site)	
	Pastor Appreciation Breakfast	8:00AM – 9:30AM
Thursday, 10/28	Elementary Half-Day Schedule	8:30AM – 11:45AM
	Elementary Parent/Teachers Conferences	12:30PM – 4:00PM
Friday, 10/29	K-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL or CAMP	

## NOVEMBER 2021

DATE TBD	Secondary Experience Day	
Saturday, 11/06	Backyard BBQ – Family Fun Event	
Thursday, 11/11	Veteran's Day: NO SCHOOL or CAMP	
November 08 – 19	Preschool & Elementary: APEX on campus	
November 15 – 18	High School Retreat Week	
Thursday, 11/18	Preschool & Elementary: APEX Fun Run	
November 22 – 26	Thanksgiving Vacation: NO SCHOOL	
November 22 & 23	CAMP available K – 8th Grade	
	Preschool CAMP available	

## DECEMBER 2021

Wednesday, 12/01	Elementary Candy Cane Café	
	Preschool Candy Cane Café	
Saturday, 12/04	High School Winter Formal	
December 13 – 15	Secondary Students - Modified Schedule	9:00AM – 12:15PM
	High School 1st Semester Finals	
Monday, 12/13	Preschool Christmas Musical	4:30PM
Tuesday, 12/14	Elementary Christmas Program	6:00PM
Thursday, 12/16	Second Quarter / First Semester Ends	
Dec. 17 – Jan. 03	Christmas Vacation: NO SCHOOL	
December 20 – 23	CAMP available K – 8th Grade	
	Preschool CAMP available	



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## JANUARY 2022

Tuesday, 01/04	ALL SCHOOL - School Resumes	
Friday, 01/14	Preschool Snow Day	8:30AM – 12:00PM
Monday, 01/17	MLK JR Day: NO SCHOOL or CAMP	
Wednesday, 01/26	ALL SCHOOL - Half-Day/Schedule - NO EXTENDED CARE	
	Preschool Open House Showcase	4:30PM – 5:30PM
	Elementary Open House Showcase	5:30PM – 6:30PM
	Secondary Open House Showcase	6:30PM – 7:30PM
Thursday, 01/27	Preschool Grandparents' Day	8:30AM – 12:00PM
	Elementary Grandparents' Day	8:45AM – 12:00PM

## FEBRUARY 2022

February 02 – 04	Science Fair	
February 03 – 06	Senior Winter Retreat	
Friday, 02/11	ALL SCHOOL - Father-Daughter Dance	6:30PM – 8:30PM
Wednesday, 02/16	ALL SCHOOL - Worship Night	6:00PM – 8:00PM
February 18 - 21	Presidents Day Weekend: NO SCHOOL or CAMP	
February 21 - 23	7th Grade Catalina Trip	
February 22 – 25	4th Grade Field Trip to Santa Barbara	
Saturday, 02/26	Mother – Son Derby Elementary-Secondary	TBD

## MARCH 2022

Friday, 03/04	Third Quarter Ends	
	ALL SCHOOL - HCS Family Movie Night	6:30PM
March 07 – 11	Secondary Parent/Teacher Conferences	by appt. only
March 09 – 18	8th Grade Washington DC Trip	
Friday, 03/18	K – 12th International Day	
March 10 & 11	Elementary Half- Day Schedule	8:30AM – 11:45AM
	Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences	12:30PM – 4:00PM
	EXTENDED CARE AVAILABLE	
Saturday, 03/26	Spring Gala - HCS Annual Fundraiser	

## APRIL 2022

Thursday, 04/06	Pastors' & Community Leaders Breakfast	8:45AM
Friday, 04/08	Preschool International Day	
April 11 – 14	K – 12th Spiritual Emphasis Week	
Monday, 04/11	Elementary International Day	
Wednesday, 04/13	ALL SCHOOL - Worship Night	6:00PM – 8:00PM
April 15 – 22	Easter Vacation: NO SCHOOL	
April 19 – 22	CAMP available K – 8th Grade	
	Preschool CAMP available	
Apr. 25 – May 06	IOWA Standardized Testing (Grades: K – 7th)	
Monday, 04/25	School Resumes for all grade levels	
Tuesday, 04/26	SAT School Day (PSAT 8 & 9, PSAT 10, SAT 11)	
Friday, 04/29	HCS Powder Puff Football Game	5:00PM

## MAY 2022

05/02 – 06	Teacher & School Staff Appreciation Week	
Monday, 05/02	Senior College Decision Day	
May 05 & 06	5th Grade Field Trip to Riley's Farms	
Friday, 05/06	HCS Drama Production: Aladdin Jr.	7:00PM
Saturday, 05/07	HCS Drama Production: Aladdin Jr.	7:00PM
Saturday, 05/14	High School Prom	
May 18 – 20	Senior Finals & RETURN: Book, tech, lock, etc.	
May 23 – 27	Senior Trip	
Monday, 05/30	Memorial Day: NO SCHOOL or CAMP	
Tuesday, 05/31	Senior & Kindergarten Graduation March	

## JUNE 2022

Thursday, 06/02	Senior Reception	7:00PM
Friday, 06/03	Secondary Half-Day Schedule	8:00AM – 11:30AM
	Senior Graduation	5:00PM
	*NO EXTENDED CARE for Middle School students	
June 08 – 10	Secondary Students - Modified Schedule	9:00AM – 12:15PM
	High School 2nd Semester Finals + RETURN: Book, tech, lock, etc.	
Thursday, 06/09	Pre-Kindergarten Promotion	9:30AM
	Transitional Kindergarten Promotion	10:30AM
	5th Grade Culmination	6:00PM
	Last Day of School for 5th Grade	
Friday, 6/10	ALL SCHOOL - LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!	
	Fourth Quarter / Second Semester Ends	
	Elementary Half-Day Schedule	8:30AM – 11:45AM
	Preschool Half-Day Schedule	8:30AM – 12:00PM
	1st & 2nd Awards Assembly	8:45AM
	Secondary Students - Modified Schedule	9:00AM – 12:15PM
	3rd & 4th Awards Assembly	10:00AM
	Kindergarten Graduation	12:45PM
	8th Grade Promotion	2:00PM

## REOCCURRING EVENTS

DAY (how often)	EVENT	TIME
Wednesday (weekly)	Parents in Prayer	8:30AM – 9:30AM
Wed. & Thur. (weekly)	Preschool Chapel	9:00AM – 9:30AM
Thursday (weekly)	Elementary Chapel	8:40AM – 9:20AM
Thursday (weekly)	Secondary Chapel	TBD
2nd Tuesday (monthly)	Monthly Chat with the HCS Board	8:30AM – 9:30AM
1st Thursday (monthly)	Parent-Faculty Association (PFA) Meeting	1:30PM – 3:00PM
1st Friday (monthly)	Parent Coffee & Fellowship Hour	8:30AM – 9:30AM
Thursdays (3 weeks)	Semester 1 Parenting Classes	7:00PM – 8:00PM
	October: 7th, 14th, and 21st	
Thursdays (3 weeks)	Semester 2 Parenting Classes	7:00PM – 8:00PM
	March: 17th, 24th, and 31st	