

MONTESSORI COUNTRY SCHOOL

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2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR



June 9 – August 8th	Summer Camp 2024 (school closed 6.19 and 7.4)
August 14 (Th)	New Parent Orientation 7:30 pm virtually
August 15(F)	Open House for ALL students 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
August 18 (M)	School Begins for ALL Students
September 1 (M)	LABOR DAY HOLIDAY- MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
September 19 (F)	FAMILY EVENT - Ice Cream Social 2:30-4:00 AC CLOSSES at 4:00 PM (Parent VOLUNTEERS needed)
September 21 (S)	Annual International Day of Peace – celebrated 9/19
September TBD	Back to School Night (Parents Only)
October 13 (M)	COLOMBUS DAY HOLIDAY – MCS & AC CLOSED
October 31 (F)	Oktoberfest for students (Parent VOLUNTEERS needed during AM playground)
November 3 (M)	NO CLASSES - Parent/Teacher Conferences (FCPS Closed) AC Open 8:30 – 6:00 PM
November 26 - 28 (W-F)	THANKSGIVING BREAK - MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
December 19 (F)	Holiday Concert/Cookie Exchange: Noon dismissal for ALL – AC Closed
December 22 – Jan 2	WINTER BREAK - MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed) Classes resume on Jan 5th
December or January	TBD – Separate enrollment - <u>POTENTIAL</u> Winter Break Camp for AC Open 8:30 – 4:30 PM
January 19 (M)	MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.'s Birthday Holiday - MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
January 30 (F)	TBD - STAFF TRAINING DAY - MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
February TBD	Kindergarten Info Lunch
February 13 (F)	2026-2027 APPLICATIONS FOR ENROLLMENT Due
February 16 (M)	PRESIDENTS' DAY HOLIDAY - MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
February 23 - 27	American / Montessori Education Week (Spirit Week)
February 23 (M)	SUMMER CAMP 2025 Registrations begins
March/April TBD	FAMILY EVENT - International Family Day & Potluck 2-5 PM (Parent VOLUNTEERS needed)
March 30th -April 2nd	NO CLASSES- Spring Break (FCPS Closed) AC Open M-TH 8:30 – 6:00 PM
April 3 (F)	MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
April 6 (M)	TBD – STAFF TRAINING DAY – MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
April 10 (F)	NO CLASSES- Parent/Teacher Conferences (FCPS Closed) AC Open 8:30 to 6:00 PM
May 4 – 8	National Teacher Appreciation Week
May 6 & 7 (Wed, Thur.)	“Mother’s Day Events” see class schedule for your day and time - TBD
May 25 (M)	MEMORIAL DAY – MCS & AC CLOSED (FCPS closed)
May/June TBD	FAMILY EVENT – End-Of-Year Picnic (Parent VOLUNTEERS needed)
May/June TBD	Kindergarten Graduation
June 3 & 4 (W,Th)	“Breakfast w/ Dad” (8 - 9 AM) see class schedule for your day and time – TBD
June 4 (Th)	Last Day of School – Regular hours
June 5 (Fri)	TEACHER WORK DAY - MCS & AC CLOSED
June 8 – August 7th	SUMMER CAMP 2026 – Separate Enrollment – Last Day TBD according to FCPS calendar (Closed June 19 & July 3)

MCS Inclement Weather Policy - Check local TV stations (MCS does **NOT** make-up snow days)

- If FCPS opens **1 HOUR late** - MCS OPENS ON TIME; if FCPS opens **2 HOURS late** – BC OPENS at 9:00 am; MCS OPENS at 9:30 AM.
- When FCPS is **CLOSED** - MCS is closed on the first day of a weather event. The following/consecutive days we will do our best to open on time, depending if the weather event has ended and roads are considered safe
 - Please note that hours may vary based on weather conditions and timing of the storm’s arrival in our area
- When FCPS close **EARLY**: MCS will evaluate the weather and safety of our staff and families and will communicate possible early closings using email, our MCS website, posted on local TV stations, in addition to a message on our school phone.