

MARTINS FERRY CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR
SCHOOL CALENDAR

AUGUST 21	TEACHER INSERVICE DAY
AUGUST 22	FIRST DAY FOR STUDENTS
SEPTEMBER 4	LABOR DAY – NO SCHOOL
OCTOBER 20	END OF FIRST NINE WEEKS
OCTOBER 23	START OF SECOND NINE WEEKS
OCTOBER 26	K – 12 PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE (Thursday 5:30 – 8:30 PM)
NOVEMBER 2	K – 12 PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE (Thursday 3:00 – 5:00 PM)
NOVEMBER 7	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & ELECTION DAY – STUDENTS EXCUSED
NOVEMBER 22-24	THANKSGIVING BREAK
DECEMBER 20	CHRISTMAS BREAK BEGINS
JANUARY 3	SCHOOL RESUMES
JANUARY 12	END OF SECOND NINE WEEKS
JANUARY 15	MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY – NO SCHOOL – TEACHER INSERVICE
JANUARY 16	START OF THIRD NINE WEEKS AND SECOND SEMESTER K – 12
FEBRUARY 19	PRESIDENT’S DAY – NO SCHOOL
MARCH 15	K – 12 PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE (Thursday 5:30 – 8:30 PM)
MARCH 20	K – 12 PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCE (Tuesday 3:00 – 5:00 PM)
MARCH 23	END OF THIRD NINE WEEKS
MARCH 26	START OF FOURTH NINE WEEKS
MARCH 29 – APRIL 2	EASTER VACATION
MAY 8	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & ELECTION DAY – STUDENTS EXCUSED
MAY 24	LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS & END OF FOURTH NINE WEEKS
MAY 25	TEACHER WORK DAY
MAY 27	COMMENCEMENT – 2:00 PM SUNDAY

GRADING PERIODS:

STUDENT DAYS

1st Nine Weeks – 43 days
 2nd Nine Weeks – 48 days
 3rd Nine Weeks – 49 days
 4th Nine Weeks – 41 days
 Total 181 days including 2 P/T Conferences & 2 PD days

TEACHER DAYS:

1st Nine Weeks – 44 days (1 Teacher Inservice)
 2nd Nine Weeks – 48 days
 3rd Nine Weeks – 50 days (1 Teacher Inservice)
 4th Nine Weeks – 42 days (1 Teacher Workday)
 Total 184 days including 2 P/T Conferences

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT: November 7, 2017 & May 8, 2018

DAYS TO HOURS CONVERSION:

Elementary School: 181 student days = 993.5 academic hours
 Middle School: 181 student days = 1084 academic hours
 High School: 181 student days = 1084 academic hours (subject to change)

There are no longer calamity days. Students must be in session the minimum hours: 910 hours grades K-6 & 1001 hours grades 7-12. If needed, the following days will be used as initial makeup hours/days. Three (3) online makeup (blizzard bag) days TBA, March 29, 2018, May 25, 2018, May 29, 2018, May 30, 2018 & May 31, 2018. (Online makeup days will only be used if approved by the board and teachers’ union. The online makeup, by state law, can only be used for makeup time equivalent to 3 days and must be approved and submitted to the state by July 31, 2017.)