



## 2023-2024 SCHOOL CALENDAR

August 22 - School begins for Kindergarten Prep - Grade 8

August 28/29 - Preschool begins

**\*Aug. 22-25 - No bus service; Grand Blanc Schools begin Aug. 28.**  
**\*Aug. 28 - No PM buses**

September 1-4 - Labor Day weekend  
 September 15 - ½ day; Grand Blanc Homecoming

**\*Sept. 29 - No PM buses**

**October 20 - End of 1st Quarter**  
 October 23 - Record's day

**\*Oct. 19 - No PM buses**  
**\*Oct. 20 - No bus service**

November 1-3 - ½ days  
 November 1 - P/T Conferences, 4-7pm  
 November 2 - P/T Conferences, 12-7pm (4-5pm break)  
 November 16-17 - DOL PD - ICLE

**\*Nov. 7 - No bus service**  
**\*Nov. 1-3, and 15 - No PM buses**

December 21 - Jan. 2 - Christmas break

**\*Dec. 8 - No PM buses**  
**\*Dec. 20 - No bus service**

**January 12 - End of 2nd Quarter**  
 January 15 - MLK Day  
 January 16 - HF Staff Retreat

**\*Jan. 22 - No bus service**

AUGUST 2023						
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27	28	29	30	31		

FEBRUARY 2024						
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25	26	27	28	29		

February 16-19 - Presidents' Weekend  
 February 21 - P/T Conferences, 4-7pm  
 February 22 - P/T Conferences, 4-7pm  
 February 22-23 - ½ days

**\*Feb. 22-23 - No PM buses**

SEPTEMBER 2023						
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MARCH 2024						
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March 8 - DOL PD - ICLE  
 March 10 - Daylight Savings  
**March 22 - End of 3rd Quarter; ½ day**  
 March 25 - April 1 - Spring break

**\*March 6-7 and 15 - No PM buses**

OCTOBER 2023						
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APRIL 2024						
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April 1 - Easter Monday

**\*April 26 - No PM buses**

NOVEMBER 2023						
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MAY 2024						
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May 24-27 - Memorial Weekend

DECEMBER 2023						
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JUNE 2024						
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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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June 5 - Last Day K-7, ½ day  
 8th Grade Graduation  
 Mass @ 6pm

**\*June 5 - No PM buses**

JANUARY 2024						
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School begins  
 ½ day  
 No school

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Attached is our 2023-2024 School Calendar. Regular student attendance, an essential cornerstone of learning, is based upon a partnership between home and school. Together, they can help to develop responsible habits for future schooling and employment. The attendance habits that are developed in elementary school will continue through middle school, high school, and college. Students who are encouraged to be in school are likely to value the importance of education. They have a better chance at success due to these values. Consistent, regular attendance is essential if a student is to achieve academic success. When a student is absent, it places that student behind what his/her classmates are learning. Not only does the student need to make up the material from the day that he/she was absent, but it also places him/her at a disadvantage for the current day's work because the student doesn't have the previous day's knowledge on which to build. In some subjects, such as math, this is crucial.

In order to count for a day of instruction, we must have 75% of our students in school on any given day per the State of Michigan. Unfortunately, this current year, the ½ day before Thanksgiving, we did not meet that requirement. Fortunately, our calendar was set with an extra day, so we were not mandated to add a day to our school year. However, if we had a similar case where on any given date we had less than 75% of our student body present, we would have to add a day back into our 2023-2024 school calendar because it does not include an extra day. This may mean a four day weekend becomes three days or instead of ending on June 5th, we would end on June 6th. **Every effort should be made to schedule family vacations on non-school days for this reason.** (Please refer to our school calendar when planning vacations.)

A more detailed calendar will be shared with all the special events/activities at a later date. We will work with the parish calendar to include all events and share the facilities.

Have a great evening!

Mrs. Theresa Purcell, Principal  
Holy Family School