



McKinley Classical Leadership Academy

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"The school of "The Ultimate Challenge!"

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Dear parents, students, and staff:

March tends to be the time when we realize that the end of the year is right around the corner. It's also the time when our calendars get very busy. For this reason, the newsletter this month will focus on all the important activities that will be happening at the end of this school year and even looking ahead to the future. Please bear in mind everything is subject to change. Please check the calendars on our webpage for periodic updates. (MS <https://www.slps.org/Page/10294#calendar12609/20180315/month> and HS <https://www.slps.org/Page/9872#calendar9582/20180315/month>).

Important Dates 2018

Date	Event
Saturday, March 17 th @ 7pm	Band Boosters Spring/St. Pat's Day Dance Event @ The Ethical Society
Wednesday, March 21 st 3-6:15 pm	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Thursday, March 22 nd 3-6:15 pm	
Friday, March 23 rd to Sunday, April 1 st	Spring Break. School Resumes Monday, April 2 nd
Monday, April 9 th @ 6:30 pm	MS & HS PTO meeting
Monday, April 9 th -May 11 th	HS EOC STATE TESTING WINDOW—A letter with more information will be sent home.
Tuesday, April 10 th @ 9am	National Junior Honor Society Ceremony in the Auditorium
Wednesday, April 11 th All Day	Blood Drive Sponsored by the HS Future Business Leaders Club
Wednesday, April 11 th @ 9 am	National Honor Society Ceremony
Saturday, April 14 th 6-10 pm	Jazzmatazz @Glazier's Hall
Friday, April 20 th @6:30 pm	Spring Dance Concert in the Auditorium
April 23-May 11 th	MS STATE MAP TESTING WINDOW—A letter with more information will be sent home.
Friday, April 20 th	Senior Prom
Wednesday, April 25 th -Sunday, April 29 th	Selected Students Kansas City Band Festival
Friday, April 27 th @ 11 am	Senior Luncheon @Maggiano's
Friday, April 27 th 7-10 pm	9-11 th Grade "A Night at the Movies" Social Event
Thursday, May 3 rd @ 6:30 pm	Choir Concert grades 6-12 McKinley Auditorium at 6:30pm
Saturday, May 5 th	McKinley Band and Choir @Six Flag/Midwest Music Festival
Monday, May 7 th @12 pm	AP Psychology Exam
Tuesday, May 8 @ 6:30 pm	McKinley/Webster CMS Recital @McKinley
Wednesday, May 9 th @8am	AP English Literature and Composition Exam
Wednesday, May 9 th @ 12:45 pm	High School Awards Assembly
Thursday, May 10 th @8am & 12 pm	AP Government Exam 8am AP Environmental Science Exam 12 pm
Friday, May 11 th 7:30am-approximately 1 pm	Mallinckrodt and select students "McKinley Here We Come!" Shadow Day

Friday, May 11 th @4pm	Class of 2018 High School Graduation @Central VPA
Monday, May 14 th @ 8am	AP Biology Exam
Monday, May 14 th 7:30 am-approximately 1pm	Kennard and select students “McKinley Here We Come!” Shadow Day
Tuesday, May 15 th @8 am	AP Calculus Exam
Tuesday, May 15 th @6:30 pm	McKinley Spring Band Concert, part 1
Wednesday, May 16 th @8 am	AP Language and Composition Exam
Wednesday, May 16 th @6:30 pm	McKinley Spring Band Concert, part 2
Thursday, May 17 th @12 pm	AP Statistics Exam
Friday, May 18 th 6-9 pm	8 th Grade Celebration Dance
Saturday, May 19 th @12 pm	Band Awards Ceremony @Tower Grove Park
Monday, May 21 st	MS Awards Assemblies (6 th grade—7:30 am; 7 th grade—8:45 am, 8 th grade 9:45 am)
Tuesday, May 22 nd 8:30-4:15 pm	8 th Grade Field Trip to City Museum and Epic 6
Tuesday, May 23 rd @6 pm	8 th Grade Promotion
Thursday, May 24 th	Last Day of School
Saturday, August 4 th	Tentative McKinley Beautification Day (Committee and Parent Volunteers Requested)
Friday, August 10 th	Tentative Orientation for incoming 6 th Grade students—9am Orientation for incoming 9 th Grade students—1 pm
Monday, August 13 th	Tentative Orientation for incoming 7 th & 8 th Grade students—9am Orientation for incoming 10 th -12 th Grade students—1 pm
Wednesday, September 12 th	Tentative Back to School Night—Follow your child’s schedule to meet his/her teachers.

Thank you for all the support you provide your child during this busy time of the year. As we enter state testing season, please make sure your child gets enough sleep, has healthy meals, and finds time for recreation. We will encourage teachers to lighten the homework load during the testing window.

Thank you and see you soon at parent conferences.

Stephen Warmack, Principal