

NEW HOPE ACADEMY - Tentative SCHOOL YEAR 2025/26 CALENDAR updated 7.7.25

		Day	Event/Activity
August			
	14	Thurs	HS Graduates Picture Day @ 10am
	18-29	Mon-Fri	Mandatory Teacher Training/Orientation for ALL Staff
	21	Thurs	Staff Picture Day
	26	Tues	Virtual Mandatory Orientation for NEW Parents (7:00 pm - 9:00 pm)
	28	Thurs	Sneak-a-Peek Night for Students in PreK-7th: 6:00 pm -7:00 pm
September			
	1	Mon	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Labor Day
	2	Tues	First Day of School for PK-12th grades Senior/Graduating Junior Sunrise @ the Wharf
	9	Tues	First Virtual PTO Meeting @ 7 pm
	18	Thur	Back to School Night Grades 8 - 12th: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
	23	Tues	Back to School Night Grades PK - 7th: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
October			
	2	Thur	<i>Mid-quarter (23 days)</i>
	3	Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STUDENTS PK- 12 :Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences for K-12 Only
	13	Mon	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Indigenous Peoples' Day
	14	Tues	Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm
	17	Fri	Picture Day
	25	Sat	PTO sponsored Harvest Festival: 12 pm - 4 pm
	31	Fri	<i>End of First Qtr. (42 days)</i>
November			
	7	Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STUDENTS PreK-12: <i>Virtual Staff meeting at 9 am and Report card prep for K-12</i> <i>*Inclement weather make up day: Virtual sessions Grades K-7 w/ 11:30 am dismissal & Grades 8-12 w/ 12:40 pm dismissal, if needed*</i>
	11	Tues	Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm
	13	Thurs	K-12 Report Cards go home
	20	Thurs	EARLY DISMISSAL DAY for Students: Children's Day (non-academic) **NO AFTER CARE PK-12** <i>First Quarter Award Assembly for Grades K-5 in Gym (9 to 10 am)</i> PK - 7th: Dismissal at 12:30 pm Grades 8-12: Dismissal at 12:40 pm STAFF Development Afternoon
	24-28	Mon-Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Fall Break
December			
	1	Mon	School Resumes from Break; <i>**No PTO meeting this month**</i> Reregistration period for 2026 begins
	11	Thurs	<i>Mid-quarter (23 days)</i>
	12	Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STUDENTS PK- 12 :Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences for K-12
	15	Mon	Technical Rehearsals for Winter Performance
	16	Tues	Dress Rehearsals for Winter Performance
	18	Thurs	Winter Performance for Grades PreK-5th at 3:30 pm
			Winter Performance for Grades 6th-12th at 5:00 pm
	19	Fri	Full-School Day: Afternoon activities/parties in homeroom classes
	22-1/2	Mon-Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Winter Break
January 2026			
	1	Thur	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Winter Break/ New Year's Day
	2	Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Winter Break
			<i>*Inclement weather make up day: Virtual sessions Grades K-7 w/ 11:30 am dismissal & Grades 8-12 w/ 12:40 pm dismissal, if needed*</i>
	5	Mon	School Resumes from Winter Break
	13	Tues	Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm
	16	Fri	Special EARLY DISMISSAL DAY for Students <i>*Grades K-7 attend ONLINE until 11:30 am</i> <i>*Grades 8-12 attend ONLINE until 12:40 pm</i> <i>Preschool attend IN-PERSON - Dismissal at 12:30 pm **NO AFTER CARE FOR PREK **</i> <i>STAFF are expected to report in person. Staff Development Afternoon 1 pm - 4 pm</i>
	19	Mon	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Martin Luther King Day
	23	Fri	<i>End of second Qtr 42 days (Semester 1)</i>
	30	Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL STUDENTS PK-12th: Report Card Prep & Virtual Staff mtg (9am)
February			
	5	Thur	PreK-12 Report cards go home
	10	Tues	Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm
	13	Fri	EARLY DISMISSAL DAY for Students: ** NO AFTER CARE PK-12** <i>Second Quarter Award Assembly for Grades K-5 in Gym (9 to 10 am)</i> PK - 7th: Dismissal at 12:30 pm Grades 8-12: Dismissal at 12:40 pm STAFF Development Afternoon
	16	Mon	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: President's Day

	23	Mon	Black History Month program 10 am - 11 am				
	26	Thur	<i>Mid-quarter (22 days)</i>				
	27	Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STUDENTS PK-12: Staff Development and Administrative requested Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences only PRESCHOOL Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences				
			Inclement weather make up day: Virtual sessions Grades K-7 w/ 11:30 am dismissal & Grades 8-12 w/ 12:40 pm dismissal, if needed				
March							
	10	Tues	Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm				
	20	Fri	PTO sponsored Career Day				
	27	Fri	EARLY DISMISSAL DAY for Students: K-12 Report Card Prep **NO AFTER CARE PK-12** PK - 7th: Dismissal at 12:30 pm Grades 8-12: Dismissal at 12:40 pm <i>End of Third Qtr 42 days</i>				
	30-31	Mon-Tues	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Spring Break				
April							
	1-3	Wed-Fri	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Spring Break				
	6	Mon	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Easter Monday				
			Inclement weather make up day: Virtual sessions Grades K-7 w/ 11:30 am dismissal & Grades 8-12 w/ 12:40 pm dismissal, if needed				
	7	Tues	<i>School Resumes</i>				
	8	Wed	PreK Graduates and make-up picture day				
	14	Tues	Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm				
	16	Thurs	K-12 Report cards go home				
	17	Fri	<i>Third Quarter Award Assembly for Grades K-5 in Gym (9 to 10 am)</i>				
?	20-23	Mon-Thurs	Terra Nova Testing Grades K-7th (No Fieldtrips)				
	21	Tues	PSAT (grades 8 -10) & SAT TESTING (grades 11 & 12)				
	23	Thurs	<i>"Take your child to work day"</i>				
	24	Fri	HS Graduates Senior Trip to Grad Bash, Florida (4/24-26)				
			Planting Day (Arbor Day) - Parents welcomed to join (PEH hours)				
	25	Sat	Community Clean Up Day - Parents and Students 12 and older				
May							
	1		National Senior College/Career decision Day				
	4-8	Mon-Fri	Teacher Appreciation Week - Events Sponsored by PTO				
	4	Mon	EARLY DISMISSAL for Students: Teacher/Staff Appreciation luncheon **NO AFTER CARE PK-12** PK - 7th: Dismissal at 12:30 pm Grades 8-12: Dismissal at 12:40 pm				
	8	Fri	<i>Mid-quarter 24 days</i>				
	4-8;11-15		Rehearsal for Spring Recital 4pm - 8 pm				
	11	Mon	AP Calculus Test (morning)				
	12	Tues	Final Virtual PTO Meeting 7:00 pm (Final Meeting)				
	14	Thurs	AP Computer Science Principles Test (afternoon)				
	15	Fri	AP Computer Science A Test (afternoon)				
	15	Fri	HS Graduates Senior Prom				
	16	Sat	Spring Recital @ NHA				
	22	Fri	Snow Day in May Day (School Closed if Snow Days are Unused)				
	25	Mon	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR ALL: Memorial Day				
	29	Fri	Last day of school for Seniors and Graduating Juniors/ Graduate material return day				
			<i>(Graduating students who have a "B" average or higher in a subject for the 4th quarter AND Semester II have the choice to opt out of their final exams)</i>				
			SGA Sponsored Field Day for K-7th grades				
June							
	5	Fri	Awards Assemblies & Promotional Ceremonies				
			Awards assembly for Grades K -5 followed by the 5th grade Promotion ceremony at 9:00 am				
			Awards assembly for Grades 6-12 followed by the 8th grade Promotion ceremony at 11:15 am				
			Specialty Classes continue through June 9th with the exception of Foreign Language				
	8	Mon	**Finals Schedule Grades 8-12** (NO FOREIGN LANGUAGE classes in the Afternoon Grades K-7)				
		Monday 6/8	8	A	B	C/D	
		8:30 - 9:30	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom	
		9:40 - 11:10	Cumulative Math Finals				
		11:15 - 12:40	Regularly Scheduled Electives (Last Day of Electives)				
		12:45 - 1:15	L	U	N	C	H
		1:20 - 2:50	PHYSICS FINAL	USH FINAL	KOR/SP FINAL	ENG FINAL	
		2:55 - 3:45	STUDENTS WITH HOMEROOM TEACHERS (LOCK TURN-IN/LOCKER CLEAN UP/STUDY HALL) Textbook return (schedule TBD)				
	9	Tues	All day Finals/Testing for Grades 8-12				
			Grades K-7th: Regular schedule including specialty classes (exception: NO FOREIGN LANGUAGE)				
			PRACTICE for PreK Graduation in GYM 10 am - 11 am				
			Finals Schedule Grades 8-12				
			Tuesday 6/9	8	A	B	C/D

			TUESDAY 6/9	W	TH	FR	S/SD						
			8:30 - 9:20	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom						
			9:25 - 10:55	KOR/SP FINAL	ENG FINAL	BIO FINAL	WD HIS FINAL						
			10:55 - 11:10		snack/break/bathroom								
			11:10 - 12:40	ENG FINAL	KOR/SP FINAL	CIV/GOV FINAL	CHEM FINAL						
			12:45 - 1:15	L	U	N	C	H					
			1:20 - 2:50	GEO FINAL	ENV SC FINAL	ENG FINAL	KOR/SP FINAL						
			2:55 - 3:45	STUDENTS WITH HOMEROOM TEACHERS (LOCK TURN-IN/Locker Clean Up) Chromebook return (schedule TBD)									
10	Wed		**LAST DAY FOR Preschool Students** (REGULAR FULL DAY)										
			K - 12 Class End of Year Trips (Mandatory Date for 8th-12th to Kings Dominion ~ Soak City)										
			** NO AFTERCARE for grades K-12**										
11	Thu		**LAST DAY FOR Students GRADES K-11** 11:30 Dismissal For ALL Students **NO AFTERCARE**										
			No Elem/Middle School Specialty Classes										
			Upper School Schedule										
			Thurs 6/11	8	A	B	C/D						
			8:30 - 8:45	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom						
			8:50 - 10:20	End of Year Check-Off for Students (Books/Chromebooks/Lockers/Locks)									
			10:25 - 11:25	Tiger Den Gym Hangout No elem/middle school specialty classes									
			11:30 dismissal for all students										
12	Fri		Graduation Day										
			PRESCHOOL: 9:00 am - **Please arrive by 8:30 am**										
			High School 11:00 am - **Please arrive by 10:30 am**										
			End of Fourth Qtr 48 days (Semester 2) *174 days for the school YEAR including May Day plus 4 inclement weather make up days										
			Last Day of School for Staff										
		Sat	International Students return home										
22	Mon		Summer Program starts										
			As of 07/25. Please note that this calendar is subject to change.										