# **HIGHLANDS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY**

# 2023-2024 CALENDAR

#### AUGUST

August 10-11	New Teacher Pre-Orientation
August 14-18	All Teacher In-Service
August 19	Orientation for New & Returning Families
August 20	Teacher Dedication Sunday @ Grace Church
August 21	VPK4-12 <sup>th</sup> – First Day of School – Half Day

## SEPTEMBER

September 4	No School – Labor Day
September 5	Picture Day – K5-5 <sup>th</sup>
September 6	Picture Day – VPK4 & 6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>
September 11-15	Map Testing I
September 18	Picture Retakes & Senior Pictures
September 20	Half Day - Parent Conferences/Workday
September 27	See You at the Pole

**OCTOBER** 

October 5	HCA Golf Tournament
October 11	SAT – 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
October 20	No School – Teacher Development Day
	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Ends
October 25	PSAT – 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade
October 27	Report Cards Posted – VPK4-12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
October 29	Trunk-or-Treat @ Grace Church

### NOVEMBER

November 2-4	High School One-Act or Musical
November 9	Middle School Parent Info Night
	(5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Included)
November 10	Half Day
November 13-17	Operation Christmas Child Collection Week
November 14	High School Parent Info Night
	(8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Included)
November 20-24	No School – Thanksgiving Break
Nov 30- Dec 2	HCA Basketball Holiday Classic

## DECEMBER

December 7	HCA Christmas Concert
December 13	K5 Christmas Program
December 18-21	High School Exams
December 21	Half Day – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Ends
Dec 22-Jan 5	No School – Christmas Break



#### JANUARY

Classes Resume – 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Begins January 8 January 12 Kindergarten Preview Day Report Cards Posted - VPK4-12th Grade January 12 No School – MLK Day January 15 January 19 Homecoming January 29-31 MAP Testing II Jan 30-Feb 2 Brain Bowl

#### **FEBRUARY**

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## MARCH

March 1	VPK4 & Lower School Projects Night
	Open House & Family Night
March 5	K5 Graduation Pictures
March 8	Half Day – Teacher Development Day
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Ends
March 12-16	HS Thespian State Competition
March 17	HCA Day at Grace Church
March 15	Report Cards Posted – VPK4-12th Grade
March 22	Lower School Field Day
March 25-29	No School – Spring Break

# APRIL

April 1	Classes Resume
April 3	PSAT – 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade
April 4	PSAT – 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade
April 5	PSAT – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
April 10	SAT – 11 <sup>th</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> Grades
April 10-12	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to D.C.
April 25-27	Spring Musical
April 29-May 1	MAP Testing III

## MAY

May 3	Teacher/Staff Appreciation Day & Luncheon
•	Half-Day Dismissal – No Aftercare
May 9	Upper School Band & Choir Concert/6:30 PM
May 10	VPK/Preschool Program/9 AM
May 17	JH Awards/8 AM & HS Awards/10 AM
	Junior/Senior Banquet – Half-Day
May 19	Baccalaureate @ Grace Church/10 AM
May 22	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Awards/8:30 AM
May 23	1st & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Awards/8:15 AM
	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Awards/9:30 AM
	K5 Graduation/7 PM
May 21-24	HS Exams
May 24	Half-Day / Class of 2024 Graduation/7 PM
May 27	Memorial Day
May 28-31	Teacher Work Week
May 31	Report Cards Posted – VPK4-12 <sup>th</sup> Grades
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