

**2008-2009 School Calendar**  
**Board Approved 2-12-08**

<u>Day(s)</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>	
Mon.-Tues.	Aug. 4-5	*New Employee Orientation *US New Student Orientation/Freshman Day
Weds.-Fri.	Aug. 6-8	*Faculty & Staff Orientation *MS Orientation for New Students & Parents *LS Orientation for New Parents *LS Teachers contact students
Mon.	Aug. 11	*SCHOOL BEGINS (1/2 day)
Mon.	Sept. 1	*Labor Day Holiday
Mon.	Oct. 13	*Columbus Day Holiday
Fri.	Oct. 31	*Dismiss at Noon
Mon.	Nov. 3	*Brookstone hosts GISA Teachers Conf.)
Weds.-Fri.	Nov. 26-28	*Thanksgiving Break
Tues.-Thurs.	Dec. 16-19	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade & US Exams
Fri.	Dec. 19	*Dismiss for Winter Holidays @ 12:00 Noon
Mon.	Jan. 5	*Faculty In-service Day
Tues.	Jan. 6	*Resume School; End 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester (day #90)
Weds.	Jan. 7	*Begin 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester
Mon.	Jan. 19	*MLK Jr. Holiday
Fri., Mon.	Feb. 13-16	*Winter Break
Fri.	Mar. 20	*Grandparents Day
Mon.-Fri.	Apr. 6-10	*Spring Break
Sun.	May 17	*Baccalaureate & Commencement
Mon.	May 18	*Reading Day
Tues.-Thurs.	May 19-21	*Exams
Fri.	May 22	*Awards Day & Official Dismissal (day # 180)
Mon.	May 25	*Memorial Day Holiday
Tues.-Weds.	May 26-27	*Post-Planning