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Pontiac Academy for Excellence
District Calendar 2013-2014
196 Cesar E. Chavez Avenue
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K-12 Daily Start Time is 7:45 a.m.

Full Day Dismissal Times: 3:30 p.m. for Elementary/3:55 p.m. for Middle/3:45 p.m. for High School
Half Day Dismissal Times: 11:30 a.m. for Elementary/11:45 a.m. for Middle and High Schools

August

Aug 12 Staff Returns
Aug 12-Aug 30 Professional Development
Aug 20 School Board Meeting
Aug 26 Elementary School Orientation K-2
5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Aug 27 Elementary School Orientation 3-5
5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Aug 28 Middle School Orientation
5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Aug 28 High School Orientation 10th and 11th
5 p.m. to 6:15 p.m.
Aug 28 High School Orientation 9th and 12th
6:15 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

September

Sept 3 School Begins
Sept 12 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
8:00 a.m.
Sept 13 Student ID/Picture Day
Sept 17 Board Meeting
Sept 18 Open House/K-8
5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Sept 19 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
Sept 23 **No School for Students--**
Professional Development Day
Sept 24 Curriculum Night/High School
5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Sep 30 Count Week Begins

October

Oct 1-4 Count Week
Oct 2 Count Day
Oct 3 Parent Workshop
Oct 4 Progress Reports Distributed
Oct 8- Oct 25 MEAP Testing
Oct 9 PLAN testing for 10th Grade
Oct 15 School Board Meeting
Oct 15 Notre Dame College Fair
11th - 12th Grade
Oct 17 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
Oct 31 Elementary Fall Harvest Celebration

November

Nov 1 **No School for Students—**
Parent Empowerment Day: 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Nov 6-8 Marking Period Exams
Nov 8 End of the First Marking Period

Nov 14 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
5:00 p.m.
Nov 14 **No School for Students—**
Professional Development Day
Parent Teacher Conferences
4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Nov 15 **No School for Students—**
Parent Teacher Conferences
8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Nov 15 "Snow Coming" Dance
Nov 19 School Board Meeting
Nov 21 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
Nov 27 **Half Day for Students/Staff —**
Dismissal 11:30 for Elementary
Dismissal 11:45 for Middle and High School
Nov 28 **District Closed – District Holiday**
Thanksgiving Break
Nov 29 **District Closed – District Holiday**
Thanksgiving Break

December

Dec 2 District Re-opens
Dec 6 Progress Reports Distributed
Dec 11 Winter Concert K-5
5:30 p.m.
Dec 12 Parent Workshop
Dec 12 Winter Concert, Middle and High School
5:30 p.m.
Dec 13 **No School for Students—**
Professional Development Day
Dec 14 Breakfast with Santa
9 a.m. to 11 a.m. (Elementary Cafe)
Dec 17 School Board Meeting
Dec 19 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
Dec 23-Jan 1 **Schools Closed**
Winter Break
Dec 31 **District Closed – District Holiday**

January

Jan 1 **District Closed – District Holiday**
Jan 2 Schools Re-open
Jan 9 Parent Workshop
Jan 16 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
8 a.m.
Jan 20 **District Closed – District Holiday**
Martin Luther King's Birthday
Jan 21 School Board Meeting

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Jan 22 Math Night – 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
 Jan 23 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
 Jan 23 College/Financial Aid Night 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
 Jan 29-30 Mid-Term Exams
 Jan 31 End of the Second Marking Period
 Jan 31 **No School for Students—**
 Professional Development Day/Records Day

February

Feb 6 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
 5 p.m.
 Feb 6 Parent Teacher Conferences
 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
 Feb 7 **No School for Students—**
 Parent Teacher Conferences
 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
 Feb 10-14 Count Week
 Feb 12 **Count Day**
 Feb 13 Parent Workshop
 Feb 14-17 **Schools Closed**
 Mid-Winter Break
 Feb 18 Schools Re-open
 Feb 18 School Board Meeting
 Feb 27 Superintendent's Parent Coffee

March

Mar 4 **EXPLORE** testing for Middle School
 Mar 4-6 **No School for Students in**
 Grades 9, 10 & 12
 MME/ACT
 Mar 6 **No School for Students in**
 Grades K-8
 Professional Development Day for
 Elementary and Middle School
 Mar 7 Progress Reports Distributed
 Mar 13 Parent Workshop
 Mar 18 School Board Meeting
 Mar 18-20 MME/ACT Make-up
 Mar 20 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
 8 a.m.
 Mar 26 Literacy Fair - 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
 Mar 27 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

April

April 1-3 Marking Period Exams
 April 3 Parent Workshop
 April 4 End of the Third Marking Period
 April 7-11 **Schools Closed**
 Spring Break
 April 14 Schools Re-open
 April 15 School Board Meeting
 April 17 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
 April 18 **District Closed – District Holiday**
 April 22 Kindergarten Roundup (no school for
 Kindergarten students)
 April 24 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
 5 p.m.
 April 24 Parent/Teacher Conferences
 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

April 25 **No School for Students**
 Parent/Teacher Conferences
 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
 April 30 Science Fair/K-12
 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

May

May 2 Progress Reports Distributed
 May 5-9 Staff Appreciation Week
 May 7 Spring Concert, K-5
 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
 May 8 Spring Concert, Middle & High School
 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
 May 15 Title III Parent Advisory Council Meeting
 8:00 a.m.
 May 20 School Board Meeting
 May 20 5th Grade Transition Part I
 May 22 Superintendent's Parent Coffee
 May 23 Senior Prom
No School for Students
 Records A.M./ Half Day for Staff
 May 26 **District Closed – District Holiday**
 Memorial Day
 May 29 Athletic & Scholar Awards Banquet, K-12
 May 30 5th Grade Transition Part II

June

June 3-4 Senior – **FINAL EXAMS**
 June 5 Senior – **MAKEUP EXAMS**
 June 5 Parent Appreciation Day
 June 6 Last Day for Seniors
 Senior Walk Day
 June 9 8th Grade Transition Parent/Student Orientation
 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.
 June 11 School Board Meeting 5 p.m.
 June 11 Senior Commencement 6 p.m.
 June 12 In-school Awards Ceremonies for Grades 6-7
 June 13 In-school Awards Ceremonies for Grades 9-11
 June 13 In-school Awards Ceremonies for Grades 1-4
 June 17-19 **Middle School - FINAL EXAMS**
 June 17-19 **High School - FINAL EXAMS**
 June 19 K, 5th and 8th Promotion
 June 20 **Half Day for Students-Last Day of School**
 June 23 Professional Development Day
 June 27 Last Day for Staff

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