

St. Ambrose Catholic School
2008-09 School Calendar
Updated August 2, 2008

AUGUST			
Monday	August 18, 2008	Teachers return to school	
Monday	August 25, 2008	<i>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL 11:30 Dismissal(See special Kdg. Schedule)</i>	
Monday	August 25, 2008	Ice Cream Social for all Staff & Families 6:30-7:30pm	
Tuesday	August 26, 2008	<i>11:30 Dismissal (See special Kdg. Schedule)</i>	
Wednesday	August 27, 2008	Full day; Dismissal at 3:00 for gr. 1-8; 11:30 for Kindergarten	
Thursday	August 28, 2008	Full day; Dismissal at 3:00 for gr. 1-8; 11:30 for Kindergarten	
Friday	August 29, 2008	11:30 Dismissal for all students – Curriculum Mapping in-service	
SEPTEMBER			
Monday	September 1, 2008	Labor Day Holiday – <i>No school</i>	
Tuesday	September 2, 2008	Band demonstrations for students during school day	
Tuesday	September 2, 2008	Ice cream party for Sally Foster on-line winner- class TBD	
Thursday	September 4, 2008	Band parent night 7:00 pm. in gym	
Tuesday	September 9, 2008	7:00 Back to School Night for K-5	
Thursday	September 11, 2008	7:00 Back to School Night for 6-8	
Monday	September 15, 2008	Band lessons begin during school day	
Wednesday	September 17, 2008	2:00 Dismissal for Faculty Meeting	
Monday	September 22, 2008	After-school Band begins	
Friday	September 26, 2008	7th grade to Hemlock Overlook	
OCTOBER			
Saturday	October 4, 2008	CYO Track Meet	
Wednesday	October 8, 2008	Human Sexuality Program Parent Info Meeting 7pm (Gr. 6-8)	
Friday	October 10, 2008	11:30 dismissal – Curriculum Mapping in-service	
Monday	October 13, 2008	Columbus Day Holiday – <i>No school</i>	
Thursday	October 16, 2008	Fall Picture Day - all students will be photographed	
Wednesday	October 22, 2008	Human Sexuality classes 8:30-11:30 (Gr. 6-8)	
Thursday	October 23, 2008	END OF 1 ST QUARTER	
Friday	October 24, 2008	Diocesan Institute – <i>No school</i>	
Thursday	October 30, 2008	Human Sexuality classes 8:30-11:30 (Gr. 6-8)	
NOVEMBER			
Monday	Nov. 3-12	Entertainment Book Sales	
Wednesday	November 5, 2008	Human Sexuality classes 8:30-11:30 (Gr. 6-8)	
Wednesday	November 5, 2008	Shakespeare meeting	
Thursday	November 6, 2008	Confirmation 7:00 PM	
Friday	November 7, 2008	11:30 dismissal – Curriculum Mapping in-service	
Mon – Tues	November 10 – 11	Parent/Teacher conferences --No School	
Thursday	November 20, 2008	Makeup/retake day for fall school pictures	
Wednesday	Nov. 26, 2008	11:30 Dismissal for Thanksgiving Holiday	
Thur – Fri	November 27 – 28	Thanksgiving Holiday – <i>No school</i>	
DECEMBER			
Monday - Friday	Dec. 1-5	Catholic Schools Care About Catholic Charities Week	
Wednesday	December 3, 2008	2:00 Dismissal for Faculty Meeting	
Thursday	December 4, 2008	HS Placemenet Test (Diocesan Catholic Schools)	
Thursday	December 11, 2008	HSAPT (Diocesan Catholic Schools - Snow Date)	
Monday	December 15, 2008	Christmas program	
Friday	December 19, 2008	Christmas parties in classrooms	
Monday	December 22, 2008	Christmas Holiday begins – No school	

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JANUARY 2009				
Monday	January 5, 2009	CLASSES RESUME		
Wednesday	January 7, 2009	2:00 Dismissal for Faculty Meeting		
Friday	January 16, 2009	END OF 2 ND QUARTER		
Monday	January 19, 2009	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday - <i>No school</i>		
Thursday	January 22, 2009	11:30 Dismissal March for Life; Report card workday		
Friday	January 23, 2009	Application deadline to Diocesan Catholic Schools		
Sun - Sat	January 25 - 31	Catholic Schools Week Catholic Schools Celebrate Service		
Tuesday	January 27, 2008	Candid photos taken for yearbook		
Wednesday	January 28, 2008	11:30 Dismissal - Teacher Spirituality Day		
FEBRUARY				
Wednesday	February 11, 2009	2:00 Dismissal for Faculty Meeting		
Monday	February 16, 2009	Presidents' Day Holiday - <i>No school</i>		
Saturday	February 21, 2009	Diocesan Parenting Conference		
Friday	February 27, 2009	High School decisions mailed to students		
Saturday	February 28, 2009	Parent-Teen Conference		
MARCH				
Saturday	March 7, 2009	Diocesan Spelling Bee		
Friday	March 13, 2009	Diocesan In-Service for Curriculum Mapping - <i>No school</i>		
Friday	March 27, 2009	END OF 3 RD QUARTER		
Saturday	March 28, 2009	Diocesan Band Festival		
APRIL				
Wednesday	April 1, 2009	2:00 Dismissal for Faculty Meeting		
Thursday	April 2, 2008	Spring Individual Photographs taken (dress up clothing)		
Thursday	April 9, 2009	Holy Thursday - Dismissal at 11:30 Easter Holiday Begins		
Friday	April 10, 2009	Good Friday - No school		
Monday	April 20, 2009	CLASSES RESUME		
Mon - Fri	April 20 - May 1	ACRE testing (takes place on one day during this time period)		
Wed - Tues	April 22 - 28	TerraNova testing		
Thursday	April 23, 2009	Foreign Language Committee meeting		
Saturday	April 25, 2009	Diocesan Science Fair		
Wed - Thurs	April 29 - 30	TerraNova testing make up days		
Sunday	May 3, 2009	CBN Dinner		
Wednesday	May 6, 2009	2:00 Dismissal for Faculty Meeting		
Wednesday	May 6, 2009	Science Fair Committee meeting		
Tuesday	May 12, 2009	Foreign Language exam		
Thursday	May 14, 2009	Technology Coordinators' meeting		
Friday	May 15, 2009	Field Day - 1:00 dismissal		
Friday	May 15, 2009	Foreign Language in-service		
Mon - Fri	May 18 - 22	Shakespeare Festival		
Thursday	May 21, 2009	Librarians meeting		
Friday	May 22, 2009	11:30 Dismissal for Memorial Day weekend		
Monday	May 25, 2009	Memorial Day Holiday - <i>No school</i>		
Wednesday	May 27, 2009	Shakespeare Dinner Theatre (8th gr., parents & faculty)??		
Thursday	May 28, 2009	Foreign Language Committee meeting		
Saturday	May 30, 2009	Algebra exam		
Sunday	May 31, 2009	Paul VI High School Graduation		

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JUNE				
Tuesday	June 2, 2009	Bishop Ireton High School Graduation		
Wednesday	June 3, 2009	Kindergarten Graduation 9:30am		
Thursday	June 4, 2009	8th Grade Graduation 7:00pm		
Friday	June 5, 2009	End of Year Celebrations		
Monday	June 8, 2009	11:30 Dismissal -- work on report cards		
Tuesday	June 9, 2009	11:30 Dismissal Last Day of classes <i>(if no inclement weather days)</i>		
Friday	June 12, 2009	Absolute Last Day of Classes 11:30 Dismissal		

* Kindergarten Schedule

Aug. 25 Group1 8:15-9:45;
 Group 2 10:00-11:30

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Aug. 27-29 11:30 Dismissal