



Board Agenda Item #	Agenda # II C
Date:	March 9, 2017
To:	Magnolia Board of Directors
From:	Caprice Young, Ed.D., CEO & Superintendent
Staff Lead:	David Yilmaz, Chief Accountability Officer
RE:	Approval of 2017-18 School Calendars for all Magnolia Science Academies

Proposed Board Recommendation

I move that the board approve the School Calendars for all Magnolia Science Academies.

Background

This is the proposed academic calendar for our schools for 2017-18. Feedback has been received from schools. LAUSD, SDUSD, and SAUSD calendars have been considered during planning. MSA-1 through 8 will follow the LAUSD calendar very closely in terms of start and end dates and holidays and breaks, with the exception of our traditional two MPS-wide staff development days, one in the fall and one in the spring. MSA-1 through 8 will be offering 180 days of instruction as usual. Due to moving and facilities construction, MSA-San Diego will start relatively late, but follow MPS calendar to the best extent possible. The school will offer 175 days for 2017-18, which is still compliant, but the school switch back to our usual 180-day calendar in the following school year. MSA-Santa Ana closely follows the MPS calendar with the exception of a shorter winter break. SAUSD offers two weeks of winter break as opposed to LAUSD. MSA-Santa Ana will offer 183 instructional days to ensure the high school has additional instructional minutes.

Budget Implications

N/A

How Does This Action Relate/Affect/Benefit All MSAs?

This action allows MSAs to share 2017-18 school calendar with our stakeholders.

Name of Staff Originator:

David Yilmaz, Chief Accountability Officer

Attachments

- 2017-18 MPS Academic Calendar

2017-18 MPS ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
	MSA-1 thru 8	MSA-San Diego	MSA-Santa Ana
Independence Day	7/4	7/4	7/4
First Day of Instruction	8/15	9/5	8/15
Labor Day	9/4	9/4	9/4
Staff P.D. Day (Pupil Free Day) [1]	10/20	10/20	9/22, 10/20
Veterans Day	11/10	11/10	11/10
Thanksgiving Break	11/20-11/24	11/20-11/24	11/20-11/24
Last Day of First Semester	12/15	2/2	12/22
Winter Break	12/18-1/5	12/18-1/2	12/25-1/5
First Day of Second Semester	1/8	2/5	1/8
M. L. King Day	1/15	1/15	1/15
Presidents' Day	2/19	2/19	2/19
Staff P.D. Day (Pupil Free Day) [2]	3/9	3/9	2/9, 3/9
Spring Break	3/26-3/30	3/26-3/30	3/26-3/30
Cesar Chavez Day	4/2	N/A	4/2
Memorial Day	5/28	5/28	5/28
Last Day of Instruction	6/7	6/15	6/7
# of Instructional Days:	180	175	183

Holidays & Breaks

Important Dates