

# HERMOSA MONTESSORI SCHOOL

## 2026 – 2027 School Calendar

*Updated 09/24/2026*

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| M    | <b>July 27</b>     | Welcome Back / Registration Event 1:00 - 4:00 P.M.<br><i>(required for all families)</i>  |
| W    | <b>July 29</b>     | Staff returns                                                                             |
| Th   | <b>July 30</b>     | Guiding Middle School Milestones: A Parent's Roadmap 5:00 P.M.                            |
| F    | <b>July 31</b>     | 7 <sup>th</sup> Year Conferences                                                          |
| S    | <b>Aug. 1</b>      | River Run Network Creek Walk 8:00 – 10:00 A.M.                                            |
| M    | <b>Aug. 3</b>      | Primary (Pre & K) Orientation 9:00 – 10:00 A.M.<br><i>Families new to the community</i>   |
| M    | <b>Aug. 3</b>      | Elementary II Orientation 10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.<br><i>Families new to the community</i> |
| T    | <b>Aug. 4</b>      | Middle School Orientation 8:30 – 9:30 A.M.<br><i>Families new to the community</i>        |
| T    | <b>Aug. 4</b>      | Elementary I Orientation 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.<br><i>Families new to the community</i>  |
| W    | <b>Aug. 5</b>      | First Day of School                                                                       |
| W- F | <b>Aug. 5-7</b>    | Primary Phase-In (for preschool and kindergarten only)                                    |
| M-W  | <b>Aug. 10 -12</b> | 8 <sup>th</sup> Year Conferences                                                          |
| T    | <b>Aug. 18</b>     | Primary Meet the Teacher <i>Sol Hall</i><br>Mary Beth's classroom 6:00 – 7:00 P.M.        |
| W    | <b>Aug. 19</b>     | Primary Meet the Teacher <i>Young Gallery</i><br>Ashley's classroom 6:00 – 7:00 P.M.      |
| Th   | <b>Aug. 20</b>     | Primary Meet the Teacher <i>Elder Way</i><br>Isabel's classroom 6:00 – 7:00 P.M.          |
| W-F  | <b>Aug. 26-28</b>  | Middle School Camping Trip                                                                |
| M    | <b>Aug. 31</b>     | Hearing/Vision Screenings begin                                                           |
| M    | <b>Aug. 31</b>     | Maria Montessori's Birthday                                                               |
| Th   | <b>Sept. 3</b>     | Planetarium field trip – Goose's class <i>Sol Hall I</i>                                  |
| F    | <b>Sept. 4</b>     | Kirk-Bear Canyon Library field trip for 4 <sup>th</sup> years                             |

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| M               | <b>Sept. 7</b>               | Labor Day                                                                                                                                     | <b>NO SCHOOL</b>                                       |
| Th              | <b>Sept. 10</b>              | Planetarium field trip – Carolina’s class                                                                                                     | <i>Young Gallery I</i>                                 |
| F               | <b>Sept. 11</b>              | Patriot Day for 9/11 Education                                                                                                                |                                                        |
| T               | <b>Sept. 15</b>              | Planetarium field trip – Don’s class                                                                                                          | <i>Elder Way I</i>                                     |
| Th              | <b>Sept. 17</b>              | Celebrate International Day of Peace                                                                                                          |                                                        |
| T               | <b>Sept. 22</b>              | Classroom Group Pictures                                                                                                                      |                                                        |
| W               | <b>Sept. 23</b>              | Individual Pictures                                                                                                                           | Elementary II & Primary                                |
| Th              | <b>Sept. 24</b>              | Individual Pictures                                                                                                                           | Middle School & Elementary I                           |
| F               | <b>Sept. 25</b>              | Sandra Day O’Connor Civics Celebration Day                                                                                                    |                                                        |
| <del>F</del>    | <del><b>Sept. 25</b></del>   | <del>Hermosa Bingo Night</del>                                                                                                                | <del>- rescheduled</del>                               |
| Th              | <b>Oct. 1</b>                | Tucson Symphony Orchestra 10:15 A.M. ( <i>Wind Quintet</i> )<br>( <i>On campus for Elementary I - Your extracurricular dollars at work!</i> ) |                                                        |
| <b>F</b>        | <b>Oct. 2</b>                | <b>Hermosa Bingo Night - new date!</b>                                                                                                        |                                                        |
| F               | <b>Oct. 9</b>                | Poetry Center field trip for 6 <sup>th</sup> year                                                                                             |                                                        |
| <del>W-Th</del> | <del><b>Oct. 14-15</b></del> | <del>Fall Plant Sale canceled!</del><br>( <i>to benefit Hermosa’s Gardening Program</i> )                                                     |                                                        |
| <b>T – T</b>    | <b>Oct. 13-20</b>            | <b>Book Sale in Middle School</b><br>( <i>details to come in Headlines</i> )                                                                  |                                                        |
| F               | <b>Oct. 16</b>               | Early Dismissal *                                                                                                                             |                                                        |
| M - T           | <b>Oct. 19-20</b>            | All Grades Conferences                                                                                                                        | <b>NO SCHOOL</b>                                       |
| W - F           | <b>Oct. 21-23</b>            | Fall Break                                                                                                                                    | <b>NO SCHOOL</b>                                       |
| M               | <b>Oct. 26</b>               | Hearing/Vision Screenings begin                                                                                                               |                                                        |
| T               | <b>Oct. 27</b>               | Agua Caliente field trip                                                                                                                      | <i>Young Gallery I</i><br>Carolina’s class             |
| F               | <b>Oct. 30</b>               | Hermosa Community Movie Night<br>( <i>details to come in Headlines</i> )                                                                      |                                                        |
| M               | <b>Nov. 2</b>                | Dia de los Muertos procession                                                                                                                 |                                                        |
| T               | <b>Nov 3</b>                 | Elementary I Open House                                                                                                                       | <i>Elder Way I</i><br>Don’s classroom 8:00 – 9:00 A.M. |

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| W     | <b>Nov 4</b>      | Elementary I Open House <i>Sol Hall I</i><br>Goose's classroom      8:00 – 9:00 A.M                                                                                                                     |
| Th    | <b>Nov 5</b>      | Elementary I Open House <i>Young Gallery I</i><br>Carolina's classroom      8:00 – 9:00 A.M                                                                                                             |
| Th    | <b>Nov. 5</b>     | History's Mysteries      Presented by Elementary II                                                                                                                                                     |
| T     | <b>Nov. 10</b>    | "Hermosa Salutes" On-Campus Tribute to Those in Service                                                                                                                                                 |
| W     | <b>Nov. 11</b>    | Veteran's Day <b>NO SCHOOL</b>                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Th    | <b>Nov. 12</b>    | Agua Caliente field trip <i>Sol Hall I</i><br>Goose's class                                                                                                                                             |
| F     | <b>Nov. 13</b>    | Babysitting Night - 4:00 to 9:00pm<br>Middle School student-led fundraiser                                                                                                                              |
| T     | <b>Nov. 17</b>    | Open House      Sol Hall Primary 5:30 - 6:15 P.M. & 6:30 – 7:15 P.M.<br>Mary Beth's classroom                                                                                                           |
| W     | <b>Nov. 18</b>    | Open House      Young Gallery Primary 5:30 - 6:15 P.M. & 6:30 – 7:15 P.M.<br>Ashley's classroom                                                                                                         |
| W     | <b>Nov. 18</b>    | Tucson Symphony Orchestra 10:15 A.M. ( <i>String Quintet</i> )<br>( <i>On campus for Elementary I - Your extracurricular dollars at work!</i> )                                                         |
| Th    | <b>Nov. 19</b>    | Open House for Elementary II      8:00 – 9:00 A.M.                                                                                                                                                      |
| Th    | <b>Nov. 19</b>    | Agua Caliente field trip <i>Elder Way I</i><br>Don's class                                                                                                                                              |
| Th    | <b>Nov. 19</b>    | Open House      Elder Way Primary 5:30 - 6:15 P.M. & 6:30 – 7:15 P.M.<br>Isabel's classroom                                                                                                             |
| F     | <b>Nov. 20</b>    | Hermosa Montessori's 5th Annual GILA MONSTER BOWL<br> .... brought to you by Kids Market      4:30 P.M. @ Udall Park |
| M     | <b>Nov. 23</b>    | World Children's Day - <i>Primary community</i><br>(celebration and potluck)                                                                                                                            |
| T     | <b>Nov. 24</b>    | Middle School Friendsgiving Potluck                                                                                                                                                                     |
| T     | <b>Nov. 24</b>    | Early Dismissal *                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| W - F | <b>Nov. 25-27</b> | Thanksgiving Break <b>NO SCHOOL</b>                                                                                                                                                                     |
| T     | <b>Dec. 1</b>     | Elementary II Science Fair Parent Meeting 5:00 – 6:00 P.M.                                                                                                                                              |
| M - T | <b>Dec. 7-15</b>  | Continuing Enrollment for '27 – '28                                                                                                                                                                     |
| M - T | <b>Dec. 7-15</b>  | Sibling Enrollment for '27 – '28<br>(Kindergarten only)                                                                                                                                                 |
| W     | <b>Dec. 9</b>     | Tucson Symphony Orchestra 10:15 A.M. ( <i>Brass/Percussion</i> )                                                                                                                                        |

*(On campus for Elementary I - Your extracurricular dollars at work!)*

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| Sat                                                                                                          | <b>Dec. 12</b>          | Winter Choir Concert (Location and time T.B.D.)                              |                  |
| T - Th                                                                                                       | <b>Dec. 15 - 17</b>     | Grandparents and Grand "Friends" Week                                        |                  |
| Th                                                                                                           | <b>Dec. 17</b>          | Page to Stage Middle School Presentation                                     |                  |
| F                                                                                                            | <b>Dec. 18</b>          | Early Dismissal *                                                            |                  |
| M-F                                                                                                          | <b>Dec. 21-Jan. 1</b>   | Winter Break                                                                 | <b>NO SCHOOL</b> |
| M                                                                                                            | <b>Jan. 4</b>           | Teacher Planning Day                                                         |                  |
| T                                                                                                            | <b>Jan. 5</b>           | School Resumes                                                               |                  |
| T-Th                                                                                                         | <b>Jan. 5 - 7</b>       | Kindergarten Open Enrollment for '27-'28                                     |                  |
| Th                                                                                                           | <b>Jan. 14</b>          | Journey of Discovery 4:00 – 5:30 P.M.                                        |                  |
| M                                                                                                            | <b>Jan. 18</b>          | Civil Rights Day                                                             | <b>NO SCHOOL</b> |
| M                                                                                                            | <b>Jan. 18</b>          | Hermosa Day of Service                                                       |                  |
| Th                                                                                                           | <b>Jan. 21</b>          | Hermosa 2026 Science Fair & STEM Celebration 5:00 P.M.                       |                  |
| T                                                                                                            | <b>Feb. 9</b>           | Lunar New Year Parade 10:00 A.M.                                             |                  |
| F                                                                                                            | <b>Feb. 12</b>          | Candy Gram Distribution<br><i>(fundraiser for middle school trip)</i>        |                  |
| M-F                                                                                                          | <b>Feb. 15-19</b>       | Middle School Internships                                                    |                  |
| F                                                                                                            | <b>Feb. 19</b>          | Moonlight Madness                                                            |                  |
| W                                                                                                            | <b>Feb. 24</b>          | Early Dismissal *                                                            |                  |
| Th, F                                                                                                        | <b>Feb. 25-26</b>       | Rodeo Break                                                                  | <b>NO SCHOOL</b> |
| M - F                                                                                                        | <b>March 1 - 5</b>      | Spring Break                                                                 | <b>NO SCHOOL</b> |
| S, Sun                                                                                                       | <b>March 13-14</b>      | Festival of Books                                                            |                  |
| W-F                                                                                                          | <b>March 31-April 2</b> | Spring Plant Sale to benefit Hermosa's garden program                        |                  |
| Sat.                                                                                                         | <b>March 20</b>         | Babysitting Night - 4:00 to 9:00pm<br>Middle School student-led fundraiser   |                  |
| T                                                                                                            | <b>March 23</b>         | 4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Wiffle Ball Tournament & Potluck 4:30 P.M. Udall Park |                  |
| M-F                                                                                                          | <b>April 12 - 23</b>    | AASA Testing (Grades 3-8)                                                    |                  |
| <i>State testing is mandatory. Do not schedule vacations or non-emergency appointments during this time.</i> |                         |                                                                              |                  |
| Th                                                                                                           | <b>April 22</b>         | Hermosa Celebrates Earth Day                                                 |                  |
| F                                                                                                            | <b>April 23</b>         | Early Dismissal *                                                            |                  |
| M                                                                                                            | <b>April 26</b>         | Teacher Planning Day                                                         | <b>NO SCHOOL</b> |
| W                                                                                                            | <b>April 28</b>         | AzSCI Science Testing (Grade 8)                                              |                  |

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**Th April 29 AzSCI Science Testing (Grade 5)**

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**W May 5 Early Dismissal \***

Th, F **May 6-7** All Grades Conferences **NO SCHOOL**

W-Th **May 12-13** Field Days (*details to come in Headlines*)

M-F **May 17-21** Middle School End-of-Year Trip

W-Th **May 19-20** Spring Choir Performances (on campus – details T.B.D.)

Sat **May 22** Hermosa Talent Show (Location and time T.B.D.)

W **May 26** Hermosa Graduation 6:00 P.M. (location T.B.D.)

F **May 28** Last Day of School - Early Dismissal \*

**\* Early Dismissal Schedule:**

Half day Primary (Pre & K) 11:30 A.M.

Full day Primary (Pre & K) 12:35 P.M.

Elementary I (1-3) 12:45 P.M.

Elementary II (4-6) 12:50 P.M.

Middle School (7-8) 1:00 P.M.

Full day students will still have lunch and recess on Early Dismissal Days.