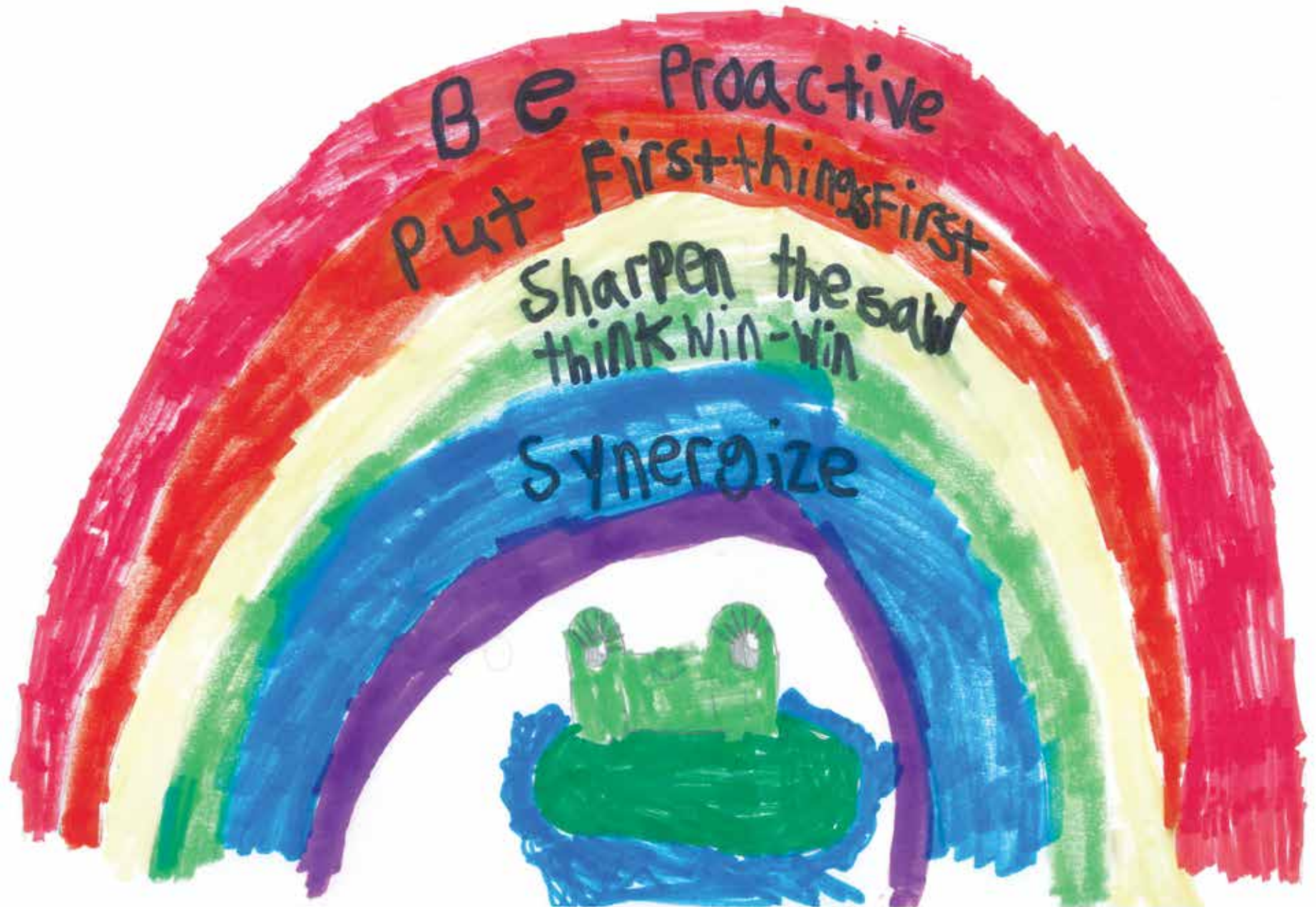


CARLE PLACE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2024-2025 Calendar & School Guide



CARLE PLACE UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Greetings from the Superintendent of Schools

Dear Carle Place Families,

Welcome to the 2024-2025 school year!

We once again have the chance to help students learn and grow as critical thinkers, athletes, and artists. Building systems for learning is our whole reason for being. We relish the chance to support our students along their K-12 journeys.



This year's calendar is a wealth of information on learning events, sporting contests, and moments for students to shine artistically. The featured community events are a huge part of what makes Carle Place a wonderful place to live, learn, and grow. I look forward to seeing you at events in school and around town. Thank you for being so supportive of Carle Place Schools.

Sincerely,
Ted Cannone, Ed.D.
Superintendent

Reading this Calendar

ACT	American College Testing Assessment
CL	Cherry Lane School
CPCA	Carle Place Civic Association
CPEF	Carle Place Educational Foundation
CPPLFD	Carle Place Public Library Funding District
MS/HS	Middle School/High School
PSAT	Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test
PTA	Parent Teacher Association
PTSA	Parent Teacher Student Association
RU	Rushmore Avenue School
SAT	Scholastic Aptitude Test
SEPTA	Special Education Parent Teacher Student Association



On the Cover ...

Congratulations to Maya Altan, a second grader, whose artwork was selected as part of the district's **Leader in Me Program**.

Carle Place School District Board of Education

The Carle Place Board of Education consists of five members. Each trustee is elected by the residents of the Carle Place School District and serves without salary for a term of three years.

The Board establishes policies that govern the school system. Meetings of the Board of Education are held in the Barry M. Dennis Conference Room of the High School at 8PM. Residents of the district are invited to attend Board of Education meetings and are offered the opportunity to address the Board, if they so desire.



Lawrence F. Zaino, Jr.
President



Vanessa Dong-Monaco
1st Vice President



Kathleen Reardon
2nd Vice President



Jacqueline DaTorre
Trustee



Dr. Patrick Dunphy, Jr.
Trustee

District Clerk: Kelly Grodotzke
Treasurer: Zachary Thaler

Tax Code: 088
School District No. 11

CARLE PLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL INFORMATION

Absences

Please read the summary version of the Carle Place School District Comprehensive Student Attendance Policy in the back of this calendar. The complete version is available in all central and building administration offices.

Admission and Registration

Children residing with parents or a legal guardian within the district are eligible to attend the Carle Place Schools. Children must be 5 years of age on or before December 1, 2024, to apply for kindergarten. Registration for kindergarten is held each winter for the following year. When applying for admission to school, parents/guardians must present the child's proof of residency, original birth certificate and immunization record.

For more information, contact the District Registrar at (516) 622-6449.

Lunch Programs

Complete meals, following the meal patterns and regulations of the National School Lunch Program, are available daily in all four of the district cafeterias for grades K-12. Applications for the free and reduced-price meals, grades K-12, are either sent home the first day of school or sent electronically over the summer. They are also available on the district website.

An a la carte lunch program is also available daily in the Middle School and High School. There is an a la carte breakfast program for students of the Middle School/High School in the South Cafeteria daily from 6:45-8AM.

Transportation

Bus transportation is provided at Cherry Lane for students living more than 3/8 of a mile and at Rushmore Avenue for students living more than 1/2 mile from the designated measuring point on Roslyn Avenue. Pierce Coach provides this in-district transportation and can be reached at (516) 621-2210. Transportation to out-of-district schools up to a 15-mile limit is provided. This transportation must be requested, in writing, by **April 1, 2025**, as per State Education Law. Out-of-district transportation requests are filed with the School Business Office.

For more information, contact the Transportation Department at (516) 622-6452.

Closing and Early Dismissals

Due to weather conditions, it sometimes becomes necessary to close or delay the opening of school. The delayed opening schedule will delay the opening of school by one or two hours. The time delay will be included in the broadcast announcement. The district uses an automated phone system to relay emergency closing information. In addition, the following radio and TV stations are notified: WBAB, WBLI, WCBS, KJOY, 1010 WINS and News 12. Information is also available on the District's website at www.cps.k12.ny.us.

Emergencies

For the safety of your child, you are required to submit the telephone number of an authorized person who can be reached during the day in the event that a child becomes ill or injured at school. Emergency contact forms are provided by the school nurse each September. It is vital that this information be kept up to date.

Immunizations

Immunization laws were established in New York State to protect children from dangerous communicable diseases. Parents are required to provide the school with written proof of a child's immunization against polio, measles, mumps, rubella, diphtheria, varicella (chicken pox) and hepatitis "B" series. For more information, contact the School Nurse's Office:

Cherry Lane School:	Christianne Lennon	(516) 622-6403
Rushmore Avenue School:	Kathy Viscardi	(516) 622-6423
Middle School/High School:	Margaret McGovern	(516) 622-6496

Medication

Parents are asked to inform the school nurse when their child is to receive any medication during school hours. All medication must be dispensed in the school health office. Written requests from both parent and physician are required under New York State Public Health Laws.

Physical Examinations

The State Education Department requires medical examinations for all new entrants and children in kindergarten, first, third, fifth, seventh, ninth and 11th grades. In September, parents are required to submit proof that their child has received a physical examination. Children who do not provide documented proof will be scheduled for an examination by the school physician after **October 8, 2024**.

CARLE PLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL INFORMATION

PSAT/SAT

PSAT/SAT review classes are offered to all students seeking a desired edge when planning for higher education.

For more information, contact District Director of Humanities, Ms. Leslie Rubenstein at (516) 622-6408 or the District Director of STEM, Ms. Jamianna Pullan at (516) 622-6446.

Records

This is to advise you of your rights with respect to school records pursuant to the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974. Any student 18 years or older and the parent(s) or legal guardian of any student under the age of 18 years of age has a right to inspect and review any and all official records, files and data directly related to pupils, including all material that is incorporated into each student's cumulative record folder and intended for school use or to be available to parties outside the school or school system.

Such parent(s) or legal guardian and students are entitled to an opportunity for a hearing to challenge the contents of such records, to ensure that they are not inaccurate, misleading or otherwise in violation of the privacy or other rights of the student, and to provide an opportunity for the correction or deletion of any such inaccurate, misleading or otherwise inappropriate data contained therein. Any questions concerning the procedure to be followed in requesting such a hearing should be directed to the Superintendent of Schools.

Student records and any material therein, which is personally identifiable, are confidential and may not be released or made available to persons other than the parent or student without the written consent of such parent or student. There are a number of exceptions to this rule, such as other school employees and officials, and certain state and federal officials, who have legitimate educational need for access to such records in the course of their employment.

Student Evaluation

The Board of Education endorses and supports the use of ability, achievement, diagnostic, readiness, interest and guidance tests as part of the total educational process to the degree to which tests help the District to serve its students. The District is prohibited from making any student placement or promotion decisions based solely or primarily on student performance on State ELA and/or math assessments in grades 3-8. Student performance on such assessments may be given consideration as part of grade promotion and/or placement decisions; however, the assessments may not constitute the major factor in such determinations and must be considered in combination with multiple measures such as performance in class, past records, parent/guardian and teacher recommendations, diagnostic test scores, and any other appropriate sources of information.

Accident Insurance

Insurance is provided for students to cover all school-sponsored activities, including interscholastic sports, but excluding accidents resulting from fighting or rough play. This insurance is supplemental to the family's health insurance and pays on a schedule. Injuries occurring during a school activity must be reported to the school nurse. Insurance claim forms are available at each school's health office.

Pupil Personnel Services

Pupil Personnel Services (PPS) is an integral part of educational services in the Carle Place School District. PPS provides districtwide health services, psychological and social work services, speech and language services, home instruction, Section 504 accommodations and special education programs and services. The Board of Education appoints the Committee on Special Education (CSE), the Committee on Preschool Special Education (CPSE) and the Subcommittees on Special Education (SCSE), all of which are under the auspices of PPS. These committees make recommendations to the Board of Education for specialized programs and services for children with special needs who attend school in the Carle Place School District. In each building, there is a Section 504 Committee in place to develop accommodation plans providing all students equal access to educational programs and activities.

Services in Non-Public Schools

Parents of students who have an IEP and enroll their child in a non-public school (both private and parochial) where they are paying tuition, must in writing, notify the school district where the non-public school is located, that they are requesting special education services. This request must be received by the district of location no later than **June 1st** before the start of the school year in which services are to be provided. This request must be done each year.

Child Find Procedures/Parental Rights

Any parent that suspects his or her child, ages 3-21, has a disability may refer the child for an evaluation by the Committee on Special Education or the Committee on Preschool Special Education. For more detailed information regarding your rights regarding the referral and evaluation of your child for special education services, access *Special Education in New York State for Children Ages 3-21 A Parent's Guide*, located on the Pupil Personnel Services page of the district website or contact the Pupil Personnel Services office at (516) 622-6502.

School-Age Children (ages 5 to 21): If you suspect that your school-age child has a disability, contact the school psychologist in your child's school.

School Psychologists:

Cherry Lane School:	Dr. Michele Pakula	(516) 622-6401
Rushmore Avenue School:	Ms. MaryJo Dellino	(516) 622-6532
Carle Place MS/HS:	Dr. Melissa Furino	(516) 622-6419
Carle Place MS/HS:	Ms. Lindsay Waskowitz	(516) 622-6415

or

Dr. Philip Molnar: Chairperson of the Committee on Special Education (516) 622-6502

Preschool Children (ages 3 to 5): If you suspect that your preschool child has a disability, contact the Pupil Personnel Services office (516) 622-6502

or

Dr. Michele Pakula: Chairperson of the Committee on Preschool Special Education (516) 622-6401.

Equal Access and Opportunity for All

Section 504/Title IX

The Carle Place School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following persons have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies as the District's Title IX Compliance Officers:

Dr. Philip Molnar:

Assistant Superintendent for Special Education and Pupil Personnel Services
(516) 622-6502 • 168 Cherry Lane, Carle Place, NY 11514

CARLE PLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT GENERAL INFORMATION

Photos

From time to time, the school district takes photos, digital images or video of students at work or play for use in local newspapers, school publications, media productions and the website. If you do not want photos, digital images or video of your child to be used for this purpose, please notify the school principal in writing by **September 10, 2024**.

Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) protects the use and disclosure of an individual's protected health information. Protected health information is defined under the HIPAA Privacy Rule as individually identifiable health information that relates to the past, present or future physical or mental health or condition of an individual that either identifies or potentially identifies an individual. Education records as defined under FERPA are excluded from the Privacy Rule.

Protected health information of students not covered by FERPA may be covered by the HIPAA Privacy Rule.

Student Directory

The primary purpose of directory information is to allow the Carle Place Union Free School District to include information from a student's education record in certain school publications, such as: a playbill showing the student's role in a drama production, the annual yearbook, honor roll or recognition lists, graduation programs and sports activity sheets (such as wrestling, showing weight and height of team members).

Directory information, which is information that is generally not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy, if released, can also be disclosed to outside organizations, such as companies that manufacture class rings or publish yearbooks.

The district will publish an annual public notice informing parents or eligible students of their right to refuse the release of student directory information and indicating a time period for their response. Following such a public notice and a reasonable response period, the district may release such information to an outside group without individual consent.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974
20 United States Code (U.S.C.) 1232 (g)
34 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) Part 99
20 United States Code (U.S.C.) 7908

10 United States Code (U.S.C.) 503

Vision Statement

CARLE PLACE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Honoring Tradition ♦ Inspiring Excellence
Shaping Our Future
...Together

This vision is supported by our guiding principles:

- Our community is built upon a foundation of values including respect for ourselves, others, and the Earth; responsibility for the development of a moral culture; and recognition of the need to serve others.
- We support the evolution of a relevant, rigorous, and articulated course of study that supports the physical, social, emotional, and academic welfare of our students and prepares them for success as contributing members of our democratic society.
- We are dedicated to finding, developing, and retaining faculty, staff and administrators who model our values and guiding principles.
- Our schools are the center of our community; as such, all members are important and have experience and expertise to offer.
- We recognize our obligation to be responsible stewards of public resources.

JULY 2024

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August

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28	29	30	31	1 Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)	9	10

<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>New Teacher Academy</p>						
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> <p>HS Grades 9-12 JV/Varsity Football Begins</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p> <p>SAT EXAM 8AM</p>
<p>NYS Regents Exams</p>						
<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p>HS Grades 9-12 JV/Varsity Fall Sports Begin</p> <p>CL PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>27</p> <p>HS Grade 9 Student Orientation 1PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p>

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September

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<p>1</p>	<p>2</p> <p>LABOR DAY SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>3</p> <p>SUPERINTENDENT'S CONFERENCE DAY</p> <p>ALL STAFF REPORTS</p> <p>MS Grades 7-8 Modified Fall Sports Begin</p>	<p>4</p> <p>SUPERINTENDENT'S CONFERENCE DAY</p> <p>ALL STAFF REPORTS</p> <p>CL PTA Chalk the Walk 11AM</p>	<p>5</p> <p>FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL</p> <p>MS Grade 7 Student Orientation 3PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>6</p> <p>CL Kindergarten & New Parent Breakfast 9AM</p> <p>HS Senior Class Photo</p> <p>Student-Directed Musical 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>7</p>
<p>8</p>	<p>9</p> <p>PSAT Review Classes Begin</p>	<p>10</p> <p>HS Theatre Auditions 3:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>11</p> <p>CL Patriotic Day</p>	<p>12</p> <p>RU Back to School Night</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)</p>	<p>13</p> <p>HOMECOMING WEEKEND</p> <p>MS/HS Fall Pep Rally</p> <p>HS Varsity Football Homecoming vs. Cold Spring Harbor 6:30PM</p>	<p>14</p> <p>ACT EXAM 8AM</p> <p>HS Homecoming Dance</p>
Districtwide Spirit Week						

<p>15</p>	<p>16 ²_B</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 7-12 Summer Reading Assessment</p> <p>RU PTA Class Parent Sign-Up Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (RU Cafe)</p>	<p>17 ³_A</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 7-12 Back to School Night 7PM</p>	<p>18 ⁴_B</p> <p>HS Grade 12 Parent Mtg College Application Process 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>CL PTA Ice Cream Social 5:30PM (CL Playground)</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 7-11 Picture Day</p>	<p>19 ⁵_A</p> <p>CL Back to School Night & PTA Bake Sale</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>20 ⁶_B</p> <p>RU Summer Reading Assignment Due</p> <p>HS College Mini Fair 9AM-10:30AM</p>	<p>21</p>
<p>22</p>	<p>23 ¹_A</p> <p>CL PTA Class Parent Sign-Up Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>24 ²_B</p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt. Office)</p> <p>RU Grades 5 & 6 Musical Auditions 2:30PM (RU Auditorium)</p>	<p>25 ³_A</p> <p>HS Financial Aid Night 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>26 ⁴_B</p> <p>CL Picture Day</p> <p>RU Grade 3 Welcome to RU Games 2:30PM (RU Gym)</p> <p>CL PTA Ice Cream Social Rain Date 5:30PM (CL Playground)</p> <p>SEPTA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>27 ⁵_A</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>RU Picture Day</p> <p>HS College Mini Fair 11AM-12:30PM</p> <p>RU PTA Back to School Social 5:30PM-7PM (RU Playground)</p>	<p>28</p>
<p>29</p>	<p>30 ⁶_B</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p>	<p>5</p>

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October

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29	30	1 ¹ A RU PTA Back to School Social Rain Date 5:30-7PM (RU Playground) MS/HS PTSA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)	2 ² B	3 SCHOOLS CLOSED	4 SCHOOLS CLOSED	5 SAT EXAM 8AM
6	7 ³ A SAT Review Classes Begin	8 ⁴ B	9 ⁵ A HS Grade 9 Parent Mtg Transition to HS 7PM (HS Auditorium)	10 ⁶ B CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library) Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	11 ¹ A HS College Mini Fair 9-10:30AM	12
RU Fall Book Fair						

<p>13</p>	<p>14</p> <p>COLUMBUS DAY SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>15</p> <p>2 B</p>	<p>16</p> <p>3 A</p> <p>Districtwide Unity Day–Wear Orange</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>17</p> <p>4 B</p>	<p>18</p> <p>5 A</p> <p>CL Friendship Garden Planting</p> <p>HS College Mini Fair 11AM-12:30PM</p> <p>MS Grades 7-8 Activity Night 7PM</p>	<p>19</p>
<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>6 B</p> <p>CL PTA General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>22</p> <p>1 A</p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt. Office)</p>	<p>23</p> <p>2 B</p> <p>HS Grade 11 Parent Mtg College Exploration 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>24</p> <p>3 A</p> <p>MS/HS Dancing with the Frogs</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>25</p> <p>4 B</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>CL Harvest Festival</p> <p>PSAT/NMSQT EXAM</p>	<p>26</p> <p>ACT EXAM 8AM</p> <p>CPCA Trunk or Treat 10:30AM-12PM (HS Faculty Parking Lot)</p> <p>CP Arts & Ed Foundation Halloween Hoot 2-5PM (RU Gym)</p>
<p>27</p>	<p>28</p> <p>5 A</p> <p>K-12 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY STUDENTS REPORT 1/2 DAY</p> <p>RU Dismissal: 11AM CL Dismissal: 11:45AM MS/HS Dismissal: 12:02PM</p>	<p>29</p> <p>6 B</p>	<p>30</p> <p>1 A</p> <p>CPEF “Hicks Nite” Fundraiser 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>31</p> <p>2 B</p> <p>CL Story Book Character Dress-Up Day</p> <p>MS/HS Grim Reaper Day (SADD)</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p>
<p>MS/HS Red Ribbon Week (SADD)</p>						

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November

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27	28	29	30	31	1 ³ A	2 SAT EXAM 8AM
3	4 ⁴ B MS Grades 7-8 Modified Winter I Sports Begin	5 ELECTION DAY SUPERINTENDENT'S CONFERENCE DAY ALL STAFF REPORTS	6 ⁵ A	7 ⁶ B MS/HS Grades 7-12 First Marking Period Ends MS/HS Grades 7-11 Picture Retake Day Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	8 ¹ A CL/RU K-6 First Marking Period Ends CL Walk for JDRF	9

<p>10</p>	<p>11</p> <p>VETERANS DAY SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>12</p> <p><small>2 B</small></p> <p>MS/HS PTSA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>13</p> <p><small>3 A</small></p> <p>SEPTA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>14</p> <p><small>4 B</small></p> <p>CL Picture Retake Day</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)</p>	<p>15</p> <p><small>5 A</small></p> <p>Parent Portal Report Card Access MS/HS Grades 7-12 CL/RU Grades K-6</p> <p>RU Picture Retake Day</p>	<p>16</p>
<p>17</p>	<p>18</p> <p><small>6 B</small></p> <p>HS Grades 9-12 JV/Varsity Winter Sports Begin</p> <p>RU PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (RU Cafe)</p>	<p>19</p> <p><small>1 A</small></p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt Office)</p>	<p>20</p> <p><small>2 B</small></p> <p>EARLY DISMISSAL FOR: RU 11AM CL 11:45AM</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Afternoon/ Evening Parent-Teacher Conferences</p> <p>HS Key Club Blood Drive 7:45AM-1:15PM (MPR)</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>21</p> <p><small>3 A</small></p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>22</p> <p><small>4 B</small></p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>CL Kindergarten Thanksgiving Show 9:30AM</p> <p>HS Theatre Company Fall Production 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>23</p> <p>HS Theatre Company Fall Production 2PM & 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>25</p> <p><small>5 A</small></p> <p>EARLY DISMISSAL FOR: RU 11AM CL 11:45AM</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Afternoon Parent-Teacher Conf</p> <p>HS Varsity Fall Sports Awards 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>26</p> <p><small>6 B</small></p> <p>Districtwide Emergency Early Release Drill</p>	<p>27</p> <p>THANKSGIVING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>28</p> <p>THANKSGIVING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>29</p> <p>THANKSGIVING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p> <p>CPCA Holiday Window Painting</p>	<p>30</p>

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December

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<p>1</p> <p>CPCA Tree Lighting 5PM</p>	<p>2 1 A</p> <p>EARLY DISMISSAL FOR: MS 12:20PM HS 1:20PM</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 7-12 Parent-Teacher Conferences: MS 12:45-4PM HS 1:45-4PM MS/HS 7-9PM</p> <p>MS/HS Principal's Roundtable 9AM (HS Library)</p> <p>CL PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>3 2 B</p>	<p>4 3 A</p> <p>Intergenerational Concert 1PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>5 4 B</p>	<p>6 5 A</p>	<p>7</p> <p>SAT EXAM 8AM</p> <p>CL PTA Morning with Santa</p>
HS Theatre Auditions 3:30PM (HS Auditorium)				CL/RU Holiday Boutique		
<p>8</p>	<p>9 6 B</p>	<p>10 1 A</p> <p>MS Grades 7-8 Winter Concert 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg & Annual Elections 4PM-9PM (CL Cafe)</p>	<p>11 2 B</p> <p>RU Grades 3 & 4 Winter Concert & PTA Bake Sale Grade 3: 7PM Grade 4: 7:45PM (RU Auditorium)</p>	<p>12 3 A</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>13 4 B</p> <p>CL Grade 2 Winter Concert & Art Show 9:30AM (CL Gym)</p>	<p>14</p> <p>ACT EXAM 8AM</p>

<p>15</p>	<p>16 ⁵ A</p>	<p>17 ⁶ B</p> <p>HS Grades 9-12 Winter Concert 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>18 ¹ A</p> <p>RU Grades 5 & 6 Winter Concert & PTA Bake Sale 7PM (RU Auditorium)</p>	<p>19 ² B</p>	<p>20 ³ A</p>	<p>21</p>
<p>CL Spirit Week</p>						
<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>24</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>25</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>26</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>27</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>28</p>
<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>31</p> <p>HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p>

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January

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29	30	31	1 NEW YEARS DAY HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	2 HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (TBD)	3 HOLIDAY RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	4
5	6 4 B	7 5 A	8 6 B	9 1 A CPSE Parent Mtg 9AM (CL Cafe) Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	10 2 B HS Alumni Day Assemblies (HS Conf Rm)	11

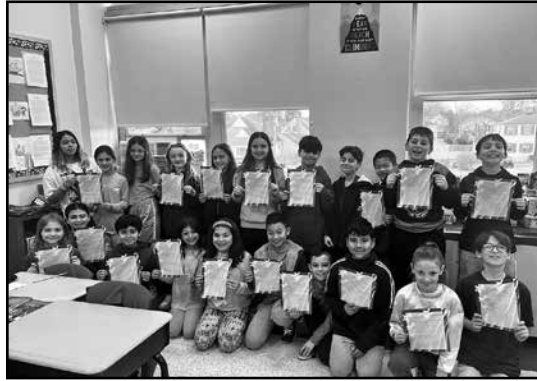
<p>12</p>	<p>13 ³ A</p> <p>RU PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (RU Cafe)</p>	<p>14 ⁴ B</p> <p>MS/HS PTSA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>15 ⁵ A</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 8-11 Parent Orientation 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>16 ⁶ B</p> <p>SEPTA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>17 ¹ A</p> <p>RU Grades 5 & 6 Musical 7PM (RU Auditorium)</p>	<p>18</p> <p>RU Grades 5 & 6 Musical 2:30PM (RU Auditorium)</p>
<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> <p>MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>21 ² B</p> <p>MS Grades 7-8 Modified Winter II Sports Begin</p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt. Office)</p>	<p>22 ³ A</p> <p>RU Grade 6 Boys VIP Night 7-8:30PM (RU Gym)</p>	<p>23 ⁴ B</p> <p>CL Kindergarten 2025 Parent Orientation 6PM (CL Library)</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>24 ⁵ A</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 7-12 Second Marking Period Ends</p> <p>MS Grades 7-8 Activity Night</p>	<p>25</p>
MS/HS Midterms & Regents						
<p>26</p>	<p>27 ⁶ B</p> <p>MS/HS Grades 7-12 Second Semester Begins</p> <p>CL PTA General Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>28 ¹ A</p>	<p>29</p> <p>LUNAR NEW YEAR SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>30 ² B</p> <p>Carle Place Parent University</p>	<p>31 ³ A</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Second Marking Period Ends</p>	<p>1</p>

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	<p>MS/HS Grades 7-12 Parent Portal Report Card Access</p> <p>PSAT Review Classes Begin</p>		<p>CL/RU Global Play Day</p> <p>HS Art Show 6PM (HS Conf Rm)</p> <p>HS Grade 10 Parent Mtg College Exploration 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>CL VIP Night 6PM</p> <p>RU PTA Blood Drive 3:30-7:30PM (RU Gym)</p> <p>Board of Education Budget/Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>CL/RU K-6 Parent Portal Report Card Access</p>	<p>ACT EXAM 8AM</p>
CL K2025 Student Registration						

<p>9</p>	<p>10 ³ A</p>	<p>11 ⁴ B</p>	<p>12 ⁵ A</p> <p>HS National Honor Society Induction Ceremony</p>	<p>13 ⁶ B</p> <p>MS/HS Principal's Roundtable 9AM (HS Library)</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)</p>	<p>14 ¹ A</p> <p>Districtwide P.S. I Love You Day- Wear Purple</p> <p>CL Elegant Dining Day</p>	<p>15</p>
<p>16</p>	<p>17</p> <p>WINTER RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>18</p> <p>WINTER RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>19</p> <p>WINTER RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>20</p> <p>WINTER RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>21</p> <p>WINTER RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>22</p>
<p>23</p>	<p>24 ² B</p>	<p>25 ³ A</p>	<p>26 ⁴ B</p> <p>CL 100th Day of School</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p> <p>CPSE Kindergarten Screening</p>	<p>27 ⁵ A</p> <p>Board of Education Budget/Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p> <p>MS Musical Auditions 3:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>28 ⁶ B</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p>	<p>1</p>

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Cherry Lane
Pick a
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Partner
Month

March

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
23	24	25	26	27	28	1
2	3 1 A K-12 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY STUDENTS REPORT 1/2 DAY RU Dismissal: 11AM CL Dismissal: 11:45AM MS/HS Dismissal 12:02PM	4 2 B	5 3 A RU Grade 6 Girls VIP Night 7-8:30PM (RU Gym)	6 4 B Board of Education Budget/Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	7 5 A CL Characters of Carle Place	8 SAT EXAM 8AM
CL Read Across America Spirit Week						

<p>9</p>	<p>10 ⁶_B</p> <p>SAT Review Classes Begin</p> <p>RU Grade 6 Parent Mtg 6:30PM (RU Auditorium)</p> <p>RU PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (RU Cafe)</p>	<p>11 ¹_A</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Third Marking Period Ends</p> <p>MS/HS PTSA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>12 ²_B</p> <p>HS Key Club Blood Drive 7:45AM-1:15PM (MP Room)</p> <p>CL K-2 Read-In Night 7PM</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)</p>	<p>13 ³_A</p> <p>SEPTA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>14 ⁴_B</p> <p>RU PTA BINGO Night</p>	<p>15</p>
CL/RU Spring Book Fair						
<p>16</p>	<p>17 ⁵_A</p> <p>HS JV/Varsity Spring Sports Begin</p> <p>CL PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>18 ⁶_B</p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt. Office)</p>	<p>19 ¹_A</p> <p>CL Book Swap</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>20 ²_B</p> <p>HS Theatre Company Musical-Senior Citizen Matinee 1PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>Board of Education Budget/Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>21 ³_A</p> <p>HS Theatre Company Musical 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>22</p> <p>HS Theatre Company Musical 2PM & 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>
<p>23</p>	<p>24 ⁴_B</p> <p>HS Varsity Boys Tennis Begins</p>	<p>25 ⁵_A</p>	<p>26 ⁶_B</p>	<p>27 ¹_A</p>	<p>28 ²_B</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>RU Spring Picture Day</p> <p>CL Grade 1 Spring Concert & Art Show 9:30AM (CL Gym)</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Junior Class Ring Dance 7:30PM (HS Girls Gym)</p>
<p>30</p>	<p>31 ³_A</p> <p>HS Varsity & Unified Sports Awards 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p>					

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April

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

<p>30</p>	<p>31</p>	<p>1 4 B</p> <p>NYS 2025-2026 TRANSPORTATION DEADLINE FOR PRIVATE/ PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS & CHILD CARE LOCATION</p> <p>MS Grades 7-8 Modified Spring Sports Begin</p>	<p>2 5 A</p> <p>CL Spring Picture Day</p>	<p>3 6 B</p> <p>MS/HS Third Marking Period Ends</p> <p>Board of Education Budget Adoption/Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>4 1 A</p>	<p>5</p> <p>ACT Exam 8AM</p> <p>CPCA Family Fun Run Registration 10AM-12PM (HS Lobby)</p> <p>Annual Little League Clinic</p>
<p>6</p> <p>CPCA Family Fun Run Registration 10AM-12PM (HS Lobby)</p> <p>CPCA Family Fun Run/Walk 1PM (CPHS)</p>	<p>7 2 B</p>	<p>8 3 A</p> <p>MS/HS Honors Concert 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>9 4 B</p> <p>RU/MS Grades 6-8 STEM Fair 3:15-9PM (HS Boys Gym)</p>	<p>10 5 A</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)</p>	<p>11 6 B</p> <p>Third Marking Period Ends CL/RU Grades K-6</p> <p>MS/HS Parent Portal Report Card Access</p>	<p>12</p>
<p>RU/MS Grades 3-8 New York State ELA Assessments</p>						

13	14 SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	15 SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	16 SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	17 SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	18 SPRING RECESS SCHOOLS CLOSED	19
20	21 1 A	22 2 B CL Earth Day MS/HS Principal's Roundtable 7PM (HS Library)	23 3 A CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Library) Board of Education BOCES Budget Vote 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	24 4 B	25 5 A Parent Portal Record Card Access CL/RU Grades K-6 CL Spirit Day CL Spring Festival	26
27	28 6 B EARLY DISMISSAL FOR: RU 11AM CL 11:45AM CL/RU Afternoon Parent-Teacher Conf CL PTA General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)	29 1 A	30 2 B	1	2	3
RU/MS Grades 3-8 NYS Math Assessments						

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May

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27	28	29	30	1 ^{3 A}	2 ^{4 B}	3
				CL Grade 2 Parent Orientation to RU 7PM (RU Auditorium)	CL Grade 2 Photo Day CL Kindergarten 2025 New Student Orientation 1:15PM	SAT EXAM 8AM
MS Musical 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)						
RU/MS Grades 3-8 NYS Math Assessments						
4	5 ^{5 A}	6 ^{6 B}	7 ^{1 A}	8 ^{2 B}	9 ^{3 A}	10
	RU PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (RU Cafe) RU Grade 5 NYS Science Assessment	MS/HS PTSA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)	RU Grade 6 Parent Orientation to MS 7PM (HS Auditorium)	CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library) Board of Education Budget Hearing & Meet the Candidates 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	CL/RU/MS/HS PTA Staff Appreciation Day MS Grades 7-8 Battle of the Classes Junior 12PM-3PM	
CL Kindergarten 2025 Student Screening						
AP Exams						

<p>11</p>	<p>12 ⁴_B</p>	<p>13 ⁵_A</p> <p>MS Spring Concert 7:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>14 ⁶_B</p> <p>MS Academic Awards 9:30AM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>15 ¹_A</p> <p>Fine & Performing Arts Wall of Fame Inaugural Induction Ceremony 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>SEPTA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>16 ²_B</p> <p>CL Kindergarten Concert & Art Show 9:30AM (CL Gym)</p> <p>HS Senior Signing Day-Athletics 3:15PM (HS MPR)</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>AP EXAMS</p>						
<p>18</p>	<p>19 ³_A</p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt. Office)</p>	<p>20 ⁴_B</p> <p>Board of Education Annual Mtg, Budget Vote & BOE Election 6AM-9PM (HS MPR)</p> <p>HS Art Show 6-8PM (HS Conf Room)</p> <p>HS Spring Concert 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>21 ⁵_A</p> <p>CL STEAM Night 6:15PM</p> <p>MS/HS Honor Societies Induction Ceremony 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>CPCA General Mtg 7PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>22 ⁶_B</p> <p>CL Grade 2 Student Orientation to RU 9AM (RU Auditorium)</p> <p>HS Grades 9-12 Battle of the Classes</p>	<p>23</p> <p style="text-align: center;">EMERGENCY CLOSURE MAKE-UP DAY</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p style="text-align: center;">MEMORIAL DAY SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>27 ¹_A</p> <p>Tri-M Music Mixer 2:45-3:45PM @ RU</p>	<p>28 ²_B</p> <p>HS Academic Awards 1:50PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>HS Senior Scholarship Awards Night Dinner 6PM Ceremony 7PM</p>	<p>29 ³_A</p> <p>HS Battle of the Classes Rain Date</p> <p>HS DECA Business Olympics 6PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>30 ⁴_B</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>CL Grades K-2 Field Day</p>	<p>31</p>
<p>Class of 2026 Senior Portraits</p>						

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June

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<p>1</p>	<p>2 ^{5 A}</p> <p>RU PTA General Member Mtg 7:30PM (RU Cafe)</p>	<p>3 ^{6 B}</p> <p>RU Grades 3 & 6 Field Day</p> <p>MS/HS PTSA Mtg 7:30PM (HS Conf Rm)</p>	<p>4 ^{1 A}</p> <p>RU Grades 5 & 6 Spring Concert & PTA Bake Sale 7PM (RU Auditorium)</p>	<p>5 ^{2 B}</p> <p>RU Grades 3 & 6 Field Day Rain Date</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>6 ^{3 A}</p> <p>CL K-2 Field Day Rain Date</p>	<p>7</p> <p>SAT EXAM 8AM</p>
<p>8</p>	<p>9 ^{4 B}</p> <p>CL PTA Executive Board Mtg 7PM & General Member Mtg 7:30PM (CL Library)</p>	<p>10 ^{5 A}</p> <p>HS Geometry Regents Exam 8AM</p> <p>PTA Council Mtg 8PM (Supt. Office)</p>	<p>11 ^{6 B}</p> <p>RU Grades 3 & 4 Spring Concert & PTA Bake Sale Grade 3: 7PM Grade 4: 7:45PM (RU Auditorium)</p>	<p>12 ^{1 A}</p> <p>RU Grades 4 & 5 Field Day</p> <p>HS Fine Arts Awards 7PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>CPPLFD Mtg 7PM (HS Library)</p>	<p>13 ^{2 B}</p> <p>CL Flag Day Celebration</p> <p>CL Grade 1 Spring Celebration 1:15PM</p> <p>RU Grades 4 & 5 Field Day Rain Date</p>	<p>14</p> <p>ACT EXAM 8AM</p>

RU Grade 6 Outdoor Education

<p>15</p>	<p>16 ³ A</p> <p>MS/HS Fourth Marking Period Ends/Last Day of Classes</p>	<p>17 ⁴ B</p>	<p>18 ⁵ A</p> <p>Board of Education Business Mtg 8PM (HS Bary Dennis Conf Rm)</p>	<p>19</p> <p>JUNETEENTH SCHOOLS CLOSED</p>	<p>20 ⁶ B</p> <p>CL Spirit Day</p> <p>MS Grade 8 Activity</p> <p>HS Varsity Spring Sports Awards 6PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>21</p>	
<p>22</p>		<p>23 ¹ A</p>	<p>24 ² B</p> <p>RU Grade 6 Party 7-9PM (RU Gym)</p>	<p>25 ³ A</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Early Dismissal</p> <p>CL Grade 2 Moving Up Day & Art Show 9:30AM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>RU End-of-Year Social 6:30PM (RU Playground)</p> <p>HS Grade 12 Senior Prom 6:30PM</p>	<p>26 ⁴ B</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Early Dismissal</p> <p>RU Grade 6 Moving Up Day 9AM (RU Auditorium)</p> <p>CL PTA End-of-Year Social 11:45AM (CL Playground)</p> <p>HS Grade 12 Graduation Rehearsal 12:30PM (HS Auditorium)</p> <p>MS Grade 8 Moving Up Day 2PM (HS Auditorium)</p>	<p>27 ⁵ A</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Early Dismissal</p> <p>LAST DAY OF SCHOOL</p> <p>CL/RU K-6 Parent Portal Report Card Access</p> <p>HS Graduation 6:30PM</p>	<p>28</p>
<p>MS/HS Final Exams & Regents</p>							
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July

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29	30	1 MS/HS Parent Portal Report Card Access	2	3 Board of Education Reorganization & Business Mtg 8PM (HS Barry Dennis Conf Rm)	4	5
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AUGUST

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NYS Regents Exams

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CARLE PLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT PARENT AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Back-to-School Nights

Each fall, parents get to meet teachers, see classrooms and hear an overview of programs at our schools.

Cherry Lane School	September 19, 2024
Rushmore Avenue School	September 12, 2024
Middle School and High School	September 17, 2024

Middle/High School Principal's Roundtable

Parents at the Middle School/High School can meet informally with the principal to discuss issues and concerns on the days listed below.

December 2, 2024	9AM
February 13, 2025	9AM
April 22, 2025	7PM

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-Teacher Conferences help parents and teachers to set goals and work out problems. Conferences for the 2024-2025 school year are as follows:

First Semester

**Cherry Lane and Rushmore Avenue
Middle and High School** **November 20 and November 25, 2024
December 2, 2024**

Second Semester

Cherry Lane and Rushmore Avenue **April 28, 2025**

Shared Decision Making

The Carle Place School District participates in the Shared Decision Making model mandated by Commissioner's Regulation 100.1. The District operates within the parameters of its Plan for Collaborative Planning and Shared Decision Making, which was recertified on June 26, 2006. Toward that end, each school has a Building Planning Team comprised of parents, teachers, community members, administrators and, in some cases, students. All Building Team meetings are open to the public.

For more information, contact the Superintendent's Office at (516) 622-6575.

Title I/AIS Complaints and Appeals Procedures

Written complaints and appeals for Title I, Parts A, C, and D or Section 100.2(ee) of Commissioner's Regulations Regarding Academic Intervention Services for the Carle Place School District should be sent to:

New York State Education Department
Title I School & Community Services Office Room 365 EBA
89 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12234
<http://nysed.gov/essa/new-york-state-essa-funded-programs-complaint-procedures>

Parent Teacher Associations

There are four Parent Teacher Associations (PTA) within the Carle Place Schools: Cherry Lane PTA, Rushmore PTA, Middle School/High School PTSA (Parent, Teacher/Student) and SEPTA (Special Education PTA). Check monthly calendars for meeting schedules.

Each of the four PTA units belongs to the Carle Place PTA Council, whose members meet monthly to discuss districtwide issues. All parents are encouraged to be involved in their child's education by joining their school PTA. All PTA and PTA Council meetings, including executive board meetings, are open to the public. Please check meeting dates in this calendar.

For more information, contact:

PTA Council President	Kim Ribarich	516-690-3088
Cherry Lane PTA President	Alexis Chemnitz	516-527-9607
Rushmore Avenue PTA President	Jackie Groger	917-568-1053
Middle School/High School PTSA President	Kim Ribarich	516-690-3088
SEPTA President	Anna Moruzzi	516-417-1001

Volunteering

Are you interested in volunteering? The Carle Place Schools can always use volunteers in the libraries and classrooms. If you are interested, please contact one of the building principals.

School and Business Partnerships

The Carle Place Schools will be working with local companies to enhance the education of students, broaden the expertise and knowledge of faculty and company employees and to enrich the school district.

For more information, contact the Superintendent's Office at (516) 622-6575.

Before- and After-School Program

A quality before- and after-school program is available to parents with children in grades K-6. SCOPE, in cooperation with the Carle Place School District, operates the program at Cherry Lane School and Rushmore Avenue School.

Applications and rate schedules are available at Cherry Lane School and Rushmore Avenue School.

Dignity for All Students Act (DASA)

District Dignity Act Coordinator, Dr. Philip Molnar, 516-622-6502.
Cherry Lane School Dignity Act Coordinator, Mr. Nick Michael, 516-622-6461.
Rushmore Avenue School Dignity Act Coordinator, Mr. Nick Michael, 516-622-6461.
Carle Place MS/HS Dignity Act Coordinator, Ms. Lindsay Waskowitz, 516-622-6415.

CARLE PLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMUNITY SERVICE

Communication

The Carle Place School District helps to keep the community informed in a variety of ways. The district newsletter, Carle Place Pride, is mailed to residents during the year. Weekly school events are posted on the sign outside the High School and on the district's website at www.cps.k12.ny.us.

All our schools and PTAs send home newsletters and bulletins containing school information.

Press releases are sent to local newspapers. The calendar, the district budget brochure and student handbooks include information useful to parents.

A senior citizens newsletter is also available to interested seniors. Parents and teachers are always encouraged to submit photos and write-ups of special events in the school to the district's Public Relations Consultant at gpetrocelli@syntaxny.com.

Use of School Buildings

School facilities and grounds may be used by non-profit, nonsectarian community organizations during times they are not in use by the schools.

For more information, applications and inquiries, visit www.schooldude.com or contact the Facilities Office at (516) 622-6425.

Pre-K Connection

The Cherry Lane PTA offers special memberships in the PTA to parents with children under five years of age.

For more information, contact the CL PTA president.

Private and Parochial Books

Under the New York State Textbook Law, textbooks are provided, upon individual request, to all children residing in the School District (K-12) who are attending any private or non-public school.

Application forms are available in the Parochial Book Center in the High School or at the individual schools.

Summer Programs

Depending upon budgetary considerations, varied programs are conducted during the summer months for all school-aged children residing in the Carle Place School District. Children who attend private and parochial schools are eligible as well.

Watch for details during the end of school or call the building principals for more information.

Integrated Pest Management Program

The Carle Place Union Free School District adheres to the Integrated Pest Management Program as recommended by the New York State Attorney General. Pesticides are used only as a last resort in the control of pests, and then only the least toxic pesticide is used as necessary. As part of the notification process, signs will be posted in the building's main office each time it is necessary to apply a pesticide. The notice will be posted at least 24 hours before application and will remain posted up to 48 hours after application. Warning notices will also be posted in the immediate area where any chemicals are applied. Written notification will be provided to parents, guardians and staff at appropriate intervals.

For more information about this program, contact the Facilities Office at (516) 622-6425.

Annual Asbestos Notification

The Carle Place Union Free School District's regular building maintenance program includes asbestos inspections of all facilities. In compliance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act, the school district reinspects all buildings and spaces every three years for all asbestos-containing materials. The school district also samples previously untested building materials suspected of containing asbestos and updates its asbestos management plan accordingly. The school district utilizes trained staff as well as available consultants certified in the handling and removal of asbestos-containing material.

The asbestos management plans and records are available for review at the office of the Director of Facilities.

For more information about this program, contact the Facilities Office at (516) 622-6425.

• NOTICE •

Child Abuse or Neglect Reporting Toll-Free Hotline Telephone Number & Website

Please note that the New York State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) operates a toll-free hotline telephone number to receive reports of child abuse and neglect at 1-800-342-3720. The hotline receives calls 24 hours a day, seven days a week. More information on child abuse or neglect reporting is available on the OCFS website at: <http://ocfs.ny.gov/main/cps/>

• AVISO •

Para reportar informes sobre abuso o negligencia infantil llame al número de teléfono de la línea telefónica gratuita o visite el sitio web. Tenga en cuenta que la Oficina de Servicios para niños y familias del Estado de Nueva York (OCFS) opera un número telefónico de línea directa gratuita para recibir reportes de abuso y negligencia infantil al 1-800-342-3720. La línea directa recibe llamadas 24 horas al día, siete días a la semana. Para más información sobre el abuso infantil o el informe de negligencia visite el sitio web de la OCFS en: <http://ocfs.ny.gov/main/cps/>.

CARLE PLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT COMPREHENSIVE STUDENT ATTENDANCE POLICY

The following is a summary of the district's attendance policy, which is designed to promote your awareness and understanding of the policy. Students and staff remain responsible for complying with all aspects of the district's full attendance policy. The district's attendance policy is available in the district's Central and Building Administrators' Offices.

Statement of Overall Objectives

The Carle Place School District recognizes that consistent school attendance, academic success and school completion have a positive correlation. The school district has developed a Comprehensive Student Attendance Policy to facilitate student achievement and ensure accurate record keeping and accountability with respect to student attendance.

Student Attendance Record-Keeping and Data Collection

Attendance shall be taken and recorded:

- a) For students in grades K-6, the student's presence or absence shall be recorded once per school day. Where students are dismissed for lunch, their presence or absence shall also be recorded after the taking of attendance a second time upon the student's return from lunch.
- b) For students in grades 7-12, each student's presence or absence shall be recorded after the taking of attendance in each period of scheduled instruction.
- c) Any absence for a school day or portion thereof shall be recorded as excused or unexcused in accordance with this policy.
- d) In the event that a student at any instructional level from grades K-12 arrives late for or departs early from scheduled instruction, such tardiness or early departure shall be recorded as excused or unexcused in accordance with this policy.

Students with Disabilities

For students with disabilities, the district will consider whether the student's absence is related to his or her disability or medical condition. The district will not apply its attendance policy to a student with a disability for purposes of student retention or class participation grades, where the student's absences are related to the student's disability/medical condition.

Attendance Incentives

- a) At commencement, students who have maintained perfect attendance for each year in grades 3-6, 7-12 and/or 9-12 will receive a perfect attendance award.
- b) By maintaining good attendance, students will be eligible for all school field trips and extracurricular activities.

Determination of Excused and Unexcused Absences, Tardiness and Early Departures

The Carle Place School District has determined that absences, tardiness and early departures will be considered excused or unexcused according to the following standards.

Excused

An absence, tardiness or early departure may be excused if the reason for the absence is appropriately documented to the district and the reason for the absence is due to personal illness, illness or death in the family, impassable roads due to inclement weather, religious observance, quarantine, required court appearances, disciplinary suspensions, pre-arranged and approved appointments with members of the District's staff, attendance at health clinics, approved college visits, approved cooperative work programs, obtaining a learner's permit, road test, all approved school field trips and assemblies, military obligations or other such reasons as may be approved by the Board of Education or its designees.

Every effort should be made to schedule non-emergency medical and/or dental appointments outside of school hours.

Unexcused

An absence, tardiness or early departure is considered unexcused if the reason for the lack of attendance does not fall into the above excused categories (examples of unexcused absences could include but are not limited to family vacation, hunting, babysitting, hair cut, oversleeping, leaving school without permission, excessive and continual lateness to class, cutting, employment).

Notice of Students Who are Absent, Late or Depart Early Without Proper Excuse

A designated staff member shall notify the parent(s)/person(s) in parental relation to a student who is absent, late or departs early without proper excuse. A conference may be requested between school officials and parents.

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Student Attendance/Grading Policy

The Carle Place School District believes that classroom participation is integral to a student's successful performance and grasp of the subject matter, and, as such, is properly factored into a student's final grade. Students are expected to attend all scheduled classes. Since attendance is a substantial factor in classroom participation, any unexcused absence from class will impact the student's class grade for the marking period. The district shall employ intervention strategies toward students who are demonstrating patterns of unexcused absences or excused absences that appear to be affecting the child's academic performance. However, it is district policy that a student's grade shall not be penalized in cases of properly excused absence, tardiness and early departures for which the student has adequately performed any assigned make-up work, assignments and/or tests.

For grades K-6, any student absence without excuse for 10% of the school year shall be deemed at risk for retention, and the parent shall be informed of such. Students at risk shall be provided with early intervention strategies. At the discretion of the district and in accordance with this policy, students who are absent without an excuse for 20% of the school year will be retained.

Parent(s)/person(s) in parental relation to students who are at risk of being retained or who are at risk of receiving a significant grade reduction due to deficiencies in class participation as it relates to attendance, shall receive notice of their child's possible retention or significant grade reduction.

Students will be considered in attendance if the student is:

- a) Physically present in the classroom or working under the direction of the classroom teacher during the class scheduled meeting time; or
- b) Working pursuant to an approved independent study program; or
- c) Receiving and adequately engaging in approved alternative instruction.

This may include but not be limited to alternative home instruction provided by the district or alternative instruction provided at school-sponsored events. Students who are absent from class due to their participation in a school-sponsored activity are to arrange with their teachers to make up any work missed in a timely manner as determined by the student's teacher.

Upon returning to school following a properly excused absence, tardiness or early departure, it shall be the responsibility of the student to consult with his or her teacher(s) regarding arrangements to make up any missed work, assignments and/or tests in accordance with the time schedule specified by the teacher.

Disciplinary Consequences

Unexcused absences, tardiness and early departures will result in disciplinary sanctions as described in and in accordance with the District's Code of Conduct.

Consequences may include, but not be limited to, student warning, parent meeting, detention, in-school suspension and denial of participation in interscholastic and extracurricular activities and field trips.

Intervention Strategy Process

In order to effectively intervene when an identified pattern of unexcused absences, tardiness or early departures occurs, the Board of Education and designated District personnel will review, discuss and develop interventions regarding patterns of student non-attendance.

Appeals Process

Parent(s)/person(s) in parental relation may request a building level review of their child's attendance record with the Principal or his or her designee. Appeals from the Principal's decision on the building level review may be sought, in writing, to the Superintendent, within five school days of the Principal's decision. Appeals from the Superintendent's decision may be sought, in writing, to the Board of Education, within five days of the Superintendent's decision.

To Report an Absence, Late Arrival or Early Departure

It is the expected responsibility of the parent or guardian to call the school nurse/attendance office if their child will be absent.

Cherry Lane School	Christianne Lennon	(516) 622-6403
Rushmore Avenue School	Kathy Viscardi	(516) 622-6423
Middle School/High School	Attendance Office	(516) 622-6414 and (516) 622-6417

Upon returning to school, each student must bring a written excuse:

- Signed by the parent or guardian
- Stating the date
- Length of absence time
- Reason for absence

If the notice is not received within two school days of the student's return, the absence will be determined to be an unexcused absence.

Carle Place District Schools

Cherry Lane School *Grades K-2 • 475 Roslyn Avenue*

Principal Ms. Lauren Moriarty
 Main Office (516) 622-6402
 School Hours 8:30 AM-3:00 PM

Rushmore Avenue School *Grades 3-6 • 251 Rushmore Avenue*

Principal Ms. Catherine Silletti
 Main Office (516) 622-6421
 School Hours 7:55 AM-2:25 PM

High School and Middle School *Grades 7-12 • 168 Cherry Lane*

Principal Mr. Allen Foraker
 Assistant Principal Mr. Gerald Baratta
 Assistant Principal Ms. Samantha Kantor
 Main Office (516) 622-6432
 School Hours 8:00 AM-2:57 PM

Questions concerning your child can best be answered by the principal of the building where your child attends school. The principal has knowledge of your child, the program, staff members and special services and will welcome your call.

Lunch Schedule

Cherry Lane School

Kindergarten 11:35 AM-12:30 PM
 Grade 2 11:00 AM-11:55 PM
 Grade 1 12:00 PM-12:55 PM

Rushmore Avenue School

Grades 3 and 4 11:05 AM-12:00 PM
 Grades 5 and 6 12:03 PM-12:56 PM

Middle School Grades 7 and 8

(M, F)
 Period 5 11:10 AM-11:53 AM
 Period 6 11:56 AM-12:39 PM

High School Grades 9-12

Period 4	10:24 AM-11:07 AM	10:12 AM - 10:53 AM
Period 5	11:10 AM-11:53 AM	10:56 AM - 11:37 AM
Period 6	11:56 AM-12:39 PM	11:40 AM - 12:21 PM
Period 7	12:42 PM-1:25 PM	12:24 AM - 1:05 PM

Extra Help Days

(T, W, TH)
 10:56 AM - 11:37 AM
 11:40 AM - 12:21 PM

Total Student Days: 179 • Total Teacher Days: 182

School Closings

For the 2024-2025 school year, schools will be closed on the following dates:

September 2, 2024	Labor Day
October 3-4, 2024	Rosh Hashanah
October 14, 2024	Columbus Day
November 5, 2024	Election Day/Superintendent's Conf. Day
November 11, 2024	Veterans Day
November 27-29, 2024	Thanksgiving Recess
December 23, 2024-January 3, 2025	Holiday Recess
January 20, 2025	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 29, 2025	Lunar New Year
February 17-21, 2025	Winter Recess
April 14-April 18, 2025	Spring Recess
May 23*-May 26, 2025	Memorial Day Recess
June 19, 2025	Juneteenth

* *Emergency Closure Make-up Day is May 23, 2025.*

Important School Days

September 5, 2024	First Day of School
June 27, 2025	Last Day of School
June 27, 2025	High School Graduation

Important Numbers

**Please see the full Chain of Command on the district's website under the Parents/Students tab.*

Superintendent of Schools	516-622-6575
Deputy Superintendent	516-622-6556
Assistant Superintendent for Business	516-622-6455
Assistant Superintendent for Special Education and Pupil Personnel Services	516-622-6522
Business Administrator	516-622-6453
Transportation	516-622-6452
Principal of Middle School/High School (7-12)	516-622-6431
Principal of Rushmore Avenue School (3 - 6)	516-622-6421
Principal of Cherry Lane School (K - 2)	516-622-6402
District Director of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics	516-622-6446
Director of Health, Physical Education, Family & Consumer Sciences & Athletics	516-622-6465
Chairperson of Special Education	516-622-6517
District Director of Guidance	516-622-6578
District Director of Humanities	516-622-6408
District Director of Visual and Performing Arts	516-622-6458
Nurse - Cherry Lane School	516-622-6403
Nurse - Rushmore Avenue School	516-622-6423
Nurse - Middle School/High School	516-622-6496
School Counselor - K through Grade 6	516-622-6520
School Counselor - Grade 7 and Grade 8	516-622-6411
School Counselor - 9 - 12 - Students A through F	516-622-6463
School Counselor - 9 - 12 - Students G through O	516-622-6479
School Counselor - 9 - 12 - Students P through Z	516-622-6474
District Registrar	516-622-6449

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