

# AACMS ORIENTATION

## 5TH GRADE:

1:00 PM–1:30 PM

## 6TH GRADE:

LAST NAME A–I 1:00 PM–1:30 PM

LAST NAME J–R 1:30 PM–2:00 PM

LAST NAME S–Z 2:00 PM–2:30 PM

WEDNESDAY,  
AUGUST 20TH



THURSDAY,  
AUGUST 21ST



## 7TH GRADE:

LAST NAME A–I 10:00 AM–10:30 AM

LAST NAME J–R 10:30 AM–11:00 AM

LAST NAME S–Z 11:00 AM–11:30 AM

## 8TH GRADE:

LAST NAME A–I 1:00 PM–1:30 PM

LAST NAME J–R 1:30 PM–2:00 PM

LAST NAME S–Z 2:00 PM–2:30 PM

**Arts Academy Charter Middle School**  
**2025-2026 Academic School Year**

| AUGUST |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|--------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su     | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|        |    |    |    |    | 1  | 2  |
| 3      | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 10     | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17     | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24     | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 31     |    |    |    |    |    |    |

5/5 student 9/9 teacher

| FEBRUARY |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su       | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
| 1        | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 8        | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15       | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22       | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
|          |    |    |    |    |    |    |

18/116 student 19/126 teacher

| SEPTEMBER |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su        | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|           | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 7         | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14        | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21        | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28        | 29 | 30 |    |    |    |    |

21/26 student 22/31 teacher

| MARCH |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su    | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
| 1     | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 8     | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15    | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22    | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29    | 30 | 31 |    |    |    |    |

21/137 student 22/148 teacher

| OCTOBER |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su      | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|         |    |    | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
| 5       | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 12      | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19      | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26      | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |

21/47 student 22/53 teacher

| APRIL |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su    | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|       |    |    | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
| 5     | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 |
| 12    | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19    | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26    | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |    |    |

19/156 student 18/164 teacher

| NOVEMBER |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su       | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|          |    |    |    |    |    | 1  |
| 2        | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |
| 9        | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16       | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 23       | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30       |    |    |    |    |    |    |

16/63 student 17/70 teacher

| MAY |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su  | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|     |    |    |    |    | 1  | 2  |
| 3   | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  |
| 10  | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17  | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24  | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 31  |    |    |    |    |    |    |

20/176 student 20/184 teacher

| DECEMBER |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su       | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|          | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 7        | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14       | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21       | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28       | 29 | 30 | 31 |    |    |    |

16/79 student 18/88 teacher

| JUNE |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su   | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|      | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 7    | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14   | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21   | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28   | 29 | 30 |    |    |    |    |

5/181 student 5/189 teachers

| JANUARY |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Su      | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
|         |    |    |    | 1  | 2  | 3  |
| 4       | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 |
| 11      | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18      | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25      | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

19/98 student 19/107 teacher

August 18th  
 August 19th - August 22nd  
 August 25th  
 September 1st  
 September 17th  
 October 2nd  
 October 13th  
 November 11th  
 November 24th - November 25th  
 November 26th - December 1st  
 December 24th - January 2nd  
 January 19th  
 February 13th  
 February 16th  
 March 11th  
 April 2nd - April 6th  
 May 6th  
 May 25th  
 June 5rd  
 June 9th

New Teacher Orientation  
 All staff report  
 First Day of School  
 Labor Day (school's closed)  
 11:30am dismissal (teacher inservice)  
 Yom Kippur (school's closed)  
 School's closed (teacher inservice day)  
 Veterans Day (school's closed - teacher inservice)  
 11:30am dismissal (conferences)  
 Thanksgiving Break (school's closed)  
 Christmas Break (school's closed)  
 Martin Luther King Day (school's closed)  
 School's closed (teacher inservice day)  
 President's Day (school's closed)  
 School's closed (teacher inservice day)  
 Easter Break (school's closed)  
 11:30am dismissal (teacher inservice)  
 Memorial Day (school's closed)  
 Last day of school  
 Last day for teachers

**Grading period**

Marking Period 1  
 Marking Period 2  
 Marking Period 3  
 Marking Period 4

**Tentative closing date:**

Friday, October 31st  
 Wednesday, January 21st  
 Friday, March 27th  
 Friday, June 5th

**State Testing**

April 20th-April 24th  
 April 27th-May 1st  
 April 27th-May 1st  
 May 4th-May 8th

PSSA ELA testing window - grades 5-8  
 PSSA Math testing window - grades 5-8  
 PSSA science testing window - grade 8  
 PSSA makeups

Arts Academy has 181 student days built into the 2025-2026 school calendar. The following scheduled holidays may be used as make-up days, if needed, and will be converted to regular days of instruction according to the following order:  
 (1) Monday, February 16; (2) Thursday, April 2; (3) Monday, April 6.

# Arts Academy Charter Middle School

## Daily Bell Schedule

### SY 2025 - 2026



|                          | 5th grade<br>schedule | 6th grade<br>schedule              | 7th grade<br>schedule              | 8th grade<br>schedule                |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 7:45-7:50                | Homeroom              | Homeroom                           | Homeroom                           | Homeroom                             |
| <b>1</b><br>7:50-8:34    | ARTS                  | Academics                          | Academics                          | ARTS                                 |
| <b>2</b><br>8:36-9:20    | Academics             | Academics                          | Academics                          | ARTS                                 |
| <b>3</b><br>9:22-10:06   | Academics             | Academics<br>(locker break at end) | Academics<br>(locker break at end) | ARTS                                 |
| <b>4A</b><br>10:08-10:30 | Academics             | 6th Grade<br>Lunch                 | Academics                          | Seminar Arts                         |
| <b>4B</b><br>10:30-10:52 |                       | ARTS                               |                                    | 8th Grade<br>Lunch<br>(locker break) |
| <b>5A</b><br>10:54-11:16 | 5th Grade<br>Lunch    | ARTS                               | Academics                          | Academics                            |
| <b>5B</b><br>11:16-11:38 | Recess                |                                    |                                    |                                      |
| <b>6A</b><br>11:40-12:02 | Academics             | ARTS                               | 7th Grade<br>Lunch                 | Academics                            |
| <b>6B</b><br>12:02-12:24 |                       | Seminar Acad.<br>(locker break)    | Seminar Arts<br>(locker break)     |                                      |
| <b>7</b><br>12:26-1:10   | Academics             | Academics                          | ARTS                               | Academics                            |
| <b>8</b><br>1:12-2:00    | ARTS                  | Academics                          | ARTS                               | Academics                            |

|                |            |
|----------------|------------|
| Primary Days   | 1, 2, 4, 5 |
| Secondary Days | 3, 6       |

Breakfast is  
available daily from  
7:30am-7:45am

| Lunch Schedule           |                     |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>4A</b><br>10:07-10:29 | 6th Grade           |
| <b>4B</b><br>10:31-10:53 | 8th Grade           |
| <b>5A</b><br>10:55-11:17 | 5th Grade           |
| <b>5B</b><br>11:17-11:39 | 5th Grade<br>Recess |
| <b>6A</b><br>11:41-12:03 | 7th Grade           |

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Please check both your student's **ACADEMIC** supply list and **ART** supply list!

**ALL Meals are FREE** regardless of income!  
View our menus at [aacms.org/meals](https://aacms.org/meals)  
View all meal times on our daily schedule.

**ALL STUDENTS will receive**

**Free  
Breakfast &  
Lunch**

**for the  
2025-26  
School Year!**

Visit [aacms.org/meals](https://aacms.org/meals) for details & menus.



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**AACMS.ORG**

Use our site to stay up-to-date on all school announcements & info!

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Public Page: **AACMS**

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