

**Bright Water Montessori School  
Schedule for the 2007-08 School Year**

**August**

Friday August 17	Last day of Summer School
Wednesday August 22	Beginning of year staff meeting
Saturday August 25	Parent Work Morning 9am-noon
Wednesday August 29	Orientation for new students/ parent education 9:30 to 11:00am
Thursday August 30	Orientation for new students / parent education 9:30 to 11:00 am
Thursday August 30	All School Parent Education and Orientation 6:30 PM
Friday August 31	Orientation for new and returning students 9 to noon

**September**

Monday September 3	Labor Day holiday
Tuesday September 4	First full day for all students
Thursday September 20	Welcome to School Ice Cream Social 4:15 to 5:45

**October**

Wednesday October 3	Book Discussion Parent Education Evening 6:30 to 8:00
Friday October 19	Staff In-service Day/ No school for students
October 19-21	NAMTA Montessori Conference in St. Paul
Thursday October 25	Admissions and Family Open House 5 to 7pm

**November**

Wednesday November 7	Montessori Kindergarten Presentation
November 6 to 17	Parent Teacher Conferences (before and after school)
November 23-24	Thanksgiving holiday, no school

**December**

Friday December 21 <sup>st</sup>	Grandparent's or special friend visitation morning
Saturday December 22 to Tuesday January 1	Winter holiday, no school.

**January**

Wednesday January 2	School resumes
Monday January 21	Martin Luther King holiday, no school
Friday January 18	School MLK celebration

**February**

Wednesday February 7	Parent Education Evening
Friday February 15	Beginning of Montessori Refresher Course, some staff gone
Monday February 19	Teacher In-service Day, President's day, no school
Wednesday February 20	Birthday Celebration at Bright Water

**March**

Friday March 7	Parent Visitation Morning
March 12 to 29	Parent Teacher Conferences (before and after school)
Friday March 21	Teacher In-service Day, No School

**April**

March 30 to April 4	MPLS Spring Break, some staff gone
Friday April 18	Earth Day Assembly and Celebration
Sometime in April	Presentation on Elementary Montessori Charter School program
Saturday April 19	Parent work morning/ garden clean up

**May**

Sometime in early May	Farm Animal Day
Monday May 26	Memorial Day holiday, no school
Thursday May 29	End of the school year Ice Cream Social 4:30 to 6:00
Friday May 30	Last day of the regular school year / Fly Up Ceremony

**June**

Monday June 2	No School—Teacher Preparation for Summer Session
Tuesday June 5	First Day of Summer program (June through mid August)

\*Dates are subject to change. We will notify in advance