

Helke Elementary Calendar

2007 – 2008

AUGUST

- Monday, 13 7:00 PTA Board Meeting
- Mon.-Fri., 20-24 - Kindergarten Passport to Safety Program
- Tues.-Thur., 21-23- Student Fees & Forms (9:00-11:00 a.m.)(1:00-3:00 p.m.)
- Monday, 27 - First Day For Staff
- 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.: Meet the Staff
- Tuesday, 28 - First Day of School for Grades 1-4 Students
- Tues.-Wed., 28-29- 12:30 Dismissal
- Tues.-Thur., 28-30 - 8:15 a.m.-3:00 p.m.: Pre-Kindergarten Screening
- Tuesday, 28 - 4:30-6:00 Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Tues.-Fri. 28-30 - KG Testing Dibels & KRA-L
- Thursday, 30 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Grade Four to Aullwood for Nature Explorations: *Rocks and Minerals (Hazen/Herbst)*
- 12:15-1:45 p.m.: Aullwood Nature Explorations: *Rocks and Minerals* for Grade Four (Brown/Pindroh)
- 3:00 Fundraiser Kick-Off (Entertainment Book)
- Friday, 31 - First Day for Kindergarten Students
- 9:15-2:15: Grade 4 to George Rogers Clark Park

SEPTEMBER

- Monday, 3 - Labor Day - No School
- Wednesday, 5 - School Picture Day
- Thursday, 6 - 11:45 a.m.: August and September Birthday Luncheon for grades K, 1 and 2
- Monday, 10 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Meeting and Program
- Mon.-Fri., 10-14 - Dibels Testing Grades 1-4
- Thursday, 13 - 9:15 a.m.-2:15 p.m.: Grade 4 to Sunwatch
- 9:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.: Mrs. Stapleton's and Mrs. Williams Second Graders to Aullwood for *Comparing Communities*
- 11:30-12:30: Kindergarten Star Luncheon
- Fundraiser Ends
- Friday, 14 - PTA Football Tailgate
- Thursday, 20 - 9:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.: Mrs. Smith's and Ms. Nardecchia's Second Graders to Aullwood for *Comparing Communities*
- 12:00 noon: August and September Birthday Luncheon for grades 3 and 4
- Friday, 21 - Interim Reports Home Today
- Tuesday, 25 - 4:30-6:00 p.m.: Market Day Pick-up in the Gym

OCTOBER

- Mon.-Fri., 1-5 - Grade Three Reading Achievement Test
- Tuesday, 2 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: AM Kindergarten to Aullwood for *Nature Explorations*
- 12:45-1:45 p.m.: PM Kindergarten *Nature Explorations* at Aullwood
- Friday, 5 - 6:00-9:00 p.m.: Helke Fall Festival

- Monday, 8 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Board Meeting
- Tues.-Thurs, 9-11 - Grade 4 Outdoor Education Program at Woodland Altars
- Thurs., 11 - 10:00-1:30: Grade 1 to Carriage Hill Farm (Kane, Borchers)
 - 11:30-12:30: Kindergarten Star Luncheon
 - Fundraiser Kick-Off
- Friday, 12 - No School – WOE A Day
- Thursday, 18 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Grade One Students to Aullwood for *Enchanted Forest*
 - 10:00-1:30: Grade One to Carriage Hill Farm (Sucher/Uhl)
 - 12:00: October and November Birthday Luncheon for grades 3 and 4
- Tuesday, 23 - 4:30-6:00 p.m.: Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Thursday, 25 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Grade 3 to Aullwood for *Birds of Prey* (Brandon/Mahl/Gearhart)
 - 11:45 October and November Birthday Luncheon for grades K, 1 and 2
 - Fundraiser Ends
- Friday, 26 - 10:00 a.m. Halloween Parade
 - 10:30 a.m. Halloween Party
 - 12:30 p.m.: Early Dismissal (No PM Kindergarten)
 - End of First Grading Period

NOVEMBER

- Thursday, 1 - 6:30-8:30 p.m.: Family Literacy Night
- Friday, 2 - Report Cards Sent Home.
- Thursday, 8 - Everybody Counts Program at Helke
- Friday, 9 - Veteran's Day Assembly
- Monday, 12 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Meeting and Program
- Mon.-Fri., 12-16 - Fall Conference Week
- Monday, 19 - Dress Rehearsal for Grandparents' Day Program
- Tuesday, 21 - 10:00 a.m.: Grandparents' Day Program for AM K, Third and Fourth Grades
 - 1:45 p.m.: Grandparents' Day Program for PM K, First and Second Grades
- Wednesday, 21 - No School
- Thurs.-Fri., 22-23 - Thanksgiving Holiday
- Tuesday, 27 - 4:30-6:00 p.m.: Market Day Pick-up in the Gym

DECEMBER

- Saturday, 1 - 9:00-11:00 a.m.: Breakfast with Santa
- Wednesday, 5 - 11:30-1:30p.m.: Grade 3 to Victoria Theatre(*The Christmas Carol*)
- Thursday, 6 - 12:00 noon: December and January Birthday Luncheon for grades 3 and 4
- Friday, 7 - Interim Reports Home Today
 - COSI On Wheels
- Monday, 10 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Board Meeting
- Wednesday, 12 - 11:30-1:30 p.m.: Grade 2 to Victoria Theatre (*Junie B. Jones*)
- Thursday, 13 - 11:30-12:30p.m.: Kindergarten Star Luncheon
- Mon.-Fri., 17-21 - Dibels Testing Grades K-4
- Thursday, 20 - 11:45: December and January Birthday Luncheon for grades K, 1 and 2
- Friday, 21 - 2:45: Winter Sing-a-long
- Monday, 24 - Winter Recess Begins

JANUARY

- Monday, 7 - School Resumes
- Tuesday, 8 - 4:30-6:00 Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Thursday, 10 - 11:30-12:30: Kindergarten Star Luncheon
- Monday, 14 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Meeting and Program
- Thursday, 17 - End of Second Grading Period
- Friday, 18 - No School – Report Day
- Monday, 21 - No School-Martin Luther King Day
- Wednesday, 23 - 11:30-2:30 p.m.: Grade 1 to Victoria Theatre (*Charlotte's Web*)
- Friday, 25 - Report Cards Sent Home

FEBRUARY

- Tuesday, 5 - 4:30-6:00 Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Thursday, 7 - 11:45 a.m.: February and July Birthday Luncheon for grades K, 1 and 2
- Monday, 11 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Board Meeting
- Thursday, 14 - 11:30-12:30: Kindergarten Star Luncheon
- 2:45 p.m. Valentine's Party
- Monday, 18 - No School – Presidents' Day
- Thursday, 21 - 12:00 noon: February and July Birthday Luncheon for grades 3 and 4
- Friday, 22 - Interim Reports Home Today
- Mon.-Fri., 25-29 - InView Testing for 2nd Grade

MARCH

- Mon.-Fri., 3-7 - TerraNova Testing Grades 2-4
- Tuesday, 4 - 4:30-6:00 Market Day Pick-up
- Thursday, 6 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Grade 1 to Aullwood for *Maple Syrup* (Kane/Borchers)
- 12:15-1:45 p.m.: Grade 1 to Aullwood for *Maple Syrup* (Sucher/Uhl)
- 12:00 noon: March and April Birthday Luncheon for grades 3 and 4
- Monday, 10 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Meeting and Program
- Tuesday, 11 - 6:00-8:00 p.m.: Grade 1 Family Literacy Night
- Thursday, 13 - 11:30-12:30 Kindergarten Star Luncheon
- Wednesday, 19 - 9:30-11:30 a.m.: Kindergarten to Victoria Theatre (*The Max and Ruby Show*)
- Thursday, 20 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Grade 4 to Aullwood (*As the Earth Turns*) Hazen, Herbst
- 11:45 a.m.: March and April Birthday Luncheon for K, 1 and 2
- 12:15-1:45 p.m.: Grade 4 to Aullwood (*As the Earth Turns*) Brown, Pindroh
- Friday, 21 - 12:30 p.m.: Early Dismissal (No PM Kindergarten)
- End of Third Grading Period
- Mon.-Fri., 24-28 - Spring Conferences
- Mon.-Fri., 24-28 - Dibels Testing Grades K-4
- Tuesday, 25 - Orchestra and You Program
- Thursday, 27 - 6:00-8:00 p.m.: Music In Our Schools Month and Youth Art Month Celebration
- Friday, 28 - Report Cards Home Today
- Monday, 31 - Spring Break

APRIL

- Tues.-Fri., 1-4 - Spring Break

- Monday, 7 - School Resumes
- Tuesday, 8 - 4:30-6:00 p.m.: Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Thursday, 10 - Cookie Sale Fundraiser Begins
- Thursday, 10 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Stapleton's Second Graders to Aullwood for *Feathers and Flight*
- Thursday, 10 - 12:15-1:45 p.m.: Mrs. Smith and Ms. Nardecchia's Second Graders to Aullwood for *Feathers and Flight*

- Monday, 14 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Meeting and Program
- Tuesday, 22 - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: AM Kindergarten Students to Aullwood for *Farmyard Adventures*
- Tuesday, 22 - 12:30-2:00 p.m.: Aullwood *Farmyard Adventures* for PM Kindergarten
- Thursday, 24 - Cookie Sale Fundraiser Ends
- Mon.-Fri., 28 - Grade Three Reading and Mathematics Achievement Testing
- Mon.-Fri., 28 - Grade Four Reading, Mathematics, and Writing Achievement Testing
- Monday, 28 - 7:00 PTA Board Meeting

MAY

- Thursday, 1 - 12:30-2:00 p.m.: Grade 2 to Smith Planetarium
- Friday, 2 - Interim Reports Home Today
- Tuesday, 6 - 4:30-6:00 Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Thursday, 8 - 11:45 May and June Birthday Luncheon for grades K, 1 and 2
- Thursday, 8 - 12:15-1:45 p.m.: Mrs. Brandon's/ Mrs. Gearhart's and Mrs. Mahl's Students to Aullwood for *Geology and Fossils*
- Monday, 12 - 7:00 p.m.: PTA Meeting and Program
- Wednesday, 14 - 9:30-10:30 a.m.: Smith/Morton Teachers Visit Fourth Graders
- Thursday, 15 - 11:30-12:30: Kindergarten Star Luncheon
- Thursday, 15 - 12:15-1:45 p.m.: Grade 3 to Aullwood (Geology)
- Friday, 16 - 9:30-10:45 a.m.: Fourth Graders Visit Morton/Smith M.S.
- Friday, 16 - 1:30-2:30 p.m.: May Day Celebration
- Thursday, 22 - 12:00 noon: May and June Birthday Luncheon for grades 3 and 4
- Monday, 26 - No School – Memorial Day
- Friday, 30 - 2:30 p.m.: Perfect Attendance Celebration

JUNE

- Tuesday, 3 - 4:30-6:00 p.m.: Market Day Pick-up in the Gym
- Tuesday, 3 - 2:00 Fourth Grade Farewell
- Wednesday, 4 - 9:30 a.m.: Variety Show in the Gym
- Wednesday, 4 - 12:00-2:00 p.m.: Grade 4 to Vandalia Recreation Center
- Thursday, 5 - Fun Day
- Thursday, 5 - Last Day for Students
- Thursday, 5 - End of Fourth Grading Period
- Friday, 6 - Summer Recess Begins
- Friday, 6 - Staff Report Day
- Wednesday, 11 - Report Cards Mailed Home
- Mon.-Fri., 9-13 - Possible Calamity Make-Up Days