

# Madera South High School

## 2017- 2018 Important Dates

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### FALL 2017

#### AUGUST

- 4 Freshmen Orientation A-L 8:00am-11:30am,  
M-Z 12:30pm-4:00pm
- 4 Senior Registration 8:00am-11:00am
- 4 Junior Registration 12:30pm-3:30pm
- 7 Sophomore Registration 8:00am-11:00am
- 11 Staff pictures 10:30-2pm Media Center
- 11 Freshmen Registration A-G 8:00-10:00am,  
H-O 10:00am-12:00pm, P-Z 1:00-3:00pm
- 14 First Day of School
- 18 Senior Sunrise 6:15am-7:15am
- 23 West Fresno Madera Sectional FFA Meeting
- 24 School/Yearbook/ID card pictures in all PE Classes  
& at break and lunch- West Gym
- 29 Class Meetings @ lunch advisor's room
- 29 Back to School Night 6-8pm
- 31 NAACP Rally w/K-8 schools-9am-10:30 W.Gym

#### SEPTEMBER

- 1 Grub Down
- 2 Madera Fair Small Animal Show
- 4 No School, Holiday
- 4-10 Madera Fair
- 5 Teen Truth Program, 3 assemblies 9-12pm
- 5-14 Sadie Hawkins Ticket Sales from Bookkeeper
- 6 Student Council Meeting during 4<sup>th</sup> in P2
- 8 POWER OF PURPLE- 4<sup>th</sup> period classes
- 7 Class Officer Election Packet due to Activities – P3
- 11-12 Community College Presentations in Civic/ Econ
- 14-15 Community College Presentations in Civic/ Econ
- 12 West Fresno Madera FFA Sectional Activity
- 12 Club Fair during 4<sup>th</sup> and lunch East Gym
- 13 School/ID card pic retakes break & lunch W. Gym
- 13-15 Class Officer Elections & Voting @ lunch
- 14 CTE Fall Conference
- 15 Greenhand Leadership Conference- Fresno State
- 15 Real Men Sing! – Choir at Fresno State
- 15 Club Homecoming King and Queen Nominees due
- 16 Sadie Hawkins Dance 7pm-11pm Location: TBA
- 18 Underclassmen Homecoming Court announced
- 18-22 Community College Applications- Media Center
- 22 Homecoming Float Applications due
- 23 FBLA Officer Adviser Training Day
- 23 FCCLA Officer Adviser Training Day - Modesto
- 23 Madera Cotton Contest

- 26-27 Civics & Econ narrow down to Top 4 K&Q Hoco
- 30 Fresno State Ag Fest
- 30 Band at Old Timers Day Parade Madera 9am
- 30 MUSD Bands Showcase @ Stadium 6:30pm

#### OCTOBER

- 1 Financial Aid Application opens
- 4 Champions for Tomorrow Assembly (optional) W. Gym
- 6 Homecoming Parade and Rally, FB game with  
Spirit Walk, Crowning & Honorary Teachers ½ time
- 6 END of 1<sup>st</sup> quarter
- 7 WBA Madera Field Show 6pm @ Stadium
- 11 PSAT
- 11 Financial Aid Night 6-8pm
- 12 CSU Application Assistance in Media Center
- 12 Fall Choir Concert- Cafeteria 7pm
- 13-15 FBLA Leadership Development Santa Clara
- 14 Corcoran Cotton Contest
- 18 CTE Career Tech Expo 4:30-7:30 Fresno
- 20 Senior Photo Deadline to Submit to Yearbook
- 20 Stallions Bleed PINK FB game & Senior Night
- 21 Band & Colorguard compete at Fresno State
- 23 Seniors-Cap & Gown Info in Civics/Econ
- 26 Choir Festival at Fresno State
- 27 Grub Down @ lunch
- 27-29 Band & Colorguard compete in Vegas
- 28 FCCLA Fall Regional Meeting in Lodi
- 31 Stallion Boo Fest- (4<sup>th</sup>, lunch & 5<sup>th</sup>) East Gym

#### NOVEMBER

- 1 Senior Cap and Gown orders collected
- 2 Choir Pyramid Showcase in West Gym 6 pm
- 2-11 MSTC Fall Production
- 3 ABC30 5:30am filming & Fall Sports Rally (W Gym)
- 3 Stadium Road Showdown
- 3 COS Freshman Field Day- Tulare
- 4 West Hills College Fall Field Day- Coalinga
- 4 State Cotton Judging Finals- Fresno State
- 4 Band & Colorguard compete at WBA Clovis
- 8 West Fresno Madera FFA Opening & Closing
- 11 Band & Colorguard compete at WBA Kingsburg
- 10 Veteran's Day, No School
- 13-17 Give Thanks Week
- 16 CSU Application Assistance in Media Center
- 18 Band & Colorguard @ Buchanan
- 19 Band & Colorguard @ CSU Fresno
- 20-24 Thanksgiving Holiday, No School
- 30 Parade of Lights, Downtown Madera 6pm

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### DECEMBER

- 1 Community College Online Orientation Opens
- 1 Winter Wonderland Dance in Cafeteria 7:30-10:30pm
- 6-7 Community College Web Advisor Workshops
- 8 Holiday Concert in Cafeteria 7pm
- 9 Holiday Concert in Cafeteria 2pm
- 14-15 Band in Disneyland Parade/Studio Workshop
- 13 Fall Semester FINALS, Early Release at 1pm
- 14 Fall Semester FINALS, Early Release at 1pm
- 15 Fall Semester FINALS, Early Release at 1pm
- 18-31 Winter Break, No School

### SPRING 2018

### JANUARY

- 1-8 Winter Break, No School for students on Jan 8
- 6 St. Helena Vine Pruning Contest- St. Helena
- 13 Dinuba Vine Pruning Contest
- 15 Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday, No School
- 17 West Fresno Madera FFA Sectional Contest
- 19 Blood Drive 7:30am-2pm – East Gym
- 26 Academic Decathlon Competition at MCOE
- TBA** Scholarship Applications Due

### FEBRUARY

- 1-2 8<sup>th</sup> grade Stallion Preview
- 3 CELDT
- 3 FBLA Central Section Leadership Conference
- 3 Winter Formal 7-11pm
- 3 Academic Decathlon Competition @ MSHS
- 5 4.0 Awards Night- Cafeteria 6pm
- 7 Stallions Take The Challenge 10-2:45 W Gym
- 8 African American Student Leadership Conference
- 10 FCCLA Regional Mtg, CRE Competition-Merced
- 10 San Joaquin Region FFA Officer Screening
- 12 Lincoln's Day, No School
- 13 Powder Puff Info Meeting @ lunch, W. Gym
- 16 Winter Sports Rally
- 19 Washington's Day, No School
- 20 FBLA Sacramento Leadership Experience
- 20-23 Community College Placement testing

### MARCH

- 2 UC Davis Parli-Pro Contest-Davis
- 3 UC Davis Field Day
- 8-9 Community College Advising
- 9 Powder Puff Game @ Stadium 6:30pm
- 10 CSU Chico Field Day- Chico
- 12-6 Grad Nite Tickets on sale from Bookkeeper
- 14 West Fresno Madera Section FFA Parli-Pro
- 15 Grub Down @ lunch (Thursday)
- 15-24 MSTC SPRING MUSICAL Once on this Island
- 16 San Joaquin Regional Speaking Contest
- 17 Merced College Field Day
- 17 Dinuba Vet Science Science Contest
- 20 West Fresno Madera FFA Sectional Activity
- 22 Elementary Choir Festival in cafeteria 8 AM - 3 PM
- 22 Stallions Take On The Challenge Follow-up- East Gym
- 23 End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter
- 23 San Joaquin Regional FFA Parli-Pro Contest
- 24 MJC Field Day- Modesto
- 26-30 Spring Recess, No School
- 31 Reedley College Field Day
- TBA** Senior Yearbook Photo, Dodgeball Tournament

### APRIL

- 2-6 Grad Nite ticket sales (if not sold out)
- 5-7 HOSA State Leadership Conference in Anaheim
- 5 Choir Dress rehearsal in cafeteria 6 PM
- 5 West Fresno Madera State Degree Ceremony-
- 6 Choir Performance in cafeteria 7 PM
- 7 Choir Performance in cafeteria 7 PM
- 7 Clovis Vet Contest- Clovis
- 12-15 FBLA State Leadership Conference (Ontario, CA)
- 13 Black Light Rally after 4<sup>th</sup> and Dance 5pm-8pm
- 16-25 Prom Tickets on sale from Bookkeeper
- 18 Cap and Gown distribution to seniors during 4<sup>th</sup>
- 21 CSU Fresno FFA Field Day
- 22-26 California State FFA Convention in Anaheim
- 23-27 CAASPP Math Testing Schedule
- 24 Every 15 Minutes Program- Seniors Only
- 25 Every 15 Minutes Assembly- 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade
- 25-27 Community College Registration
- 26 Scholarship Night 6 pm- Cafeteria (5 pm Donors)
- 28- 5/1 FCCLA State Leadership Mtg Competition, Fresno
- 28 Prom @ The Grand
- 28 Madera Floral Contest
- 30-4 CAASPP English Testing Schedule

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### **MAY**

- 4 Choir Concert in cafeteria 7 pm
- 4-5 FFA State Finals @ Cal Poly
- 5 Choir Concert in cafeteria 2 pm
- 7 C.S.F. Life Member Night
- 7-11 A.S.B. Officer Elections
- 7-18 AP Testing
- 10 West Fresno Madera FFA Sectional Officer Elections
- 14-20 Chowchilla Fair
- 17 College Signing Day
- 22 MSTC Awards Night & Actor's Showcase,
- 23 FFA Spring Awards Banquet
- 24 Grad Nite Bag Check in 7:40am- East Gym
- 24 Grad Nite at Magic Mountain
- 25 Grub Down
- 28 Memorial Day, No School
- 29 Senior Sunset
- 30 SENIOR FINALS (tentative)
- 31 SENIOR FINALS (tentative)

**TBA** Student Recognition Night, Military Signing Day,  
Symphonic Band Concert

### **JUNE**

- 5 FINALS (9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>) Periods 1 & 2
- 6 FINALS (9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>) Periods 3 & 4
- 7 Last Day of School FINALS Periods 5 & 6
- 7 Graduation Practice 8-10am
- 7 Class of 2018 Graduation 7:30pm
- 7 Sober Grad 10pm-5am