

# HOLLAND PATENT

*Committed To Excellence*



**CENTRAL  
2017**



**SCHOOL  
2018**

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# EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSING

Emergency closing of school within the district may be necessary during the year particularly due to ice or snow storms. Such information will be announced over the radio and television stations and websites listed below, in most cases prior to 7:00 a.m.

KISS FM - 97.7 / 105.5

WBCK / WBUG - 99.7 / 101.1

WUTQ - 100.7 FM

WTLB - 107.9 FM

WVTL - 104.7 FM / 1570 AM

WIBZ - 950 AM / 98.7 FM

[cnyhomepage.com](http://cnyhomepage.com)

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# SEPTEMBER 2017 - BUS SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	Labor Day <b>4</b>	Superintendent's Conference Day GWF Kindergarten Open House <b>5</b>	Superintendent's Conference Day <b>6</b>	First Day for Students <b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	Middle School Open House <b>12</b>	6:30 p.m. - Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>13</b>	5:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE High School Open House <b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	Gen. Wm Floyd Elementary Open House Grades 1 & 2 <b>19</b>	6:00 p.m. Instrumental Rental Night @ High School Cafeteria <b>20</b>	7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School <b>21</b>	Picture Day Middle School/ High School <b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	Holland Patent Elementary Open House <b>26</b>	6:30 p.m. - Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>

# HOLLAND PATENT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Description of District.** The Holland Patent Central School District, with an enrollment of approximately 1,500 students, serves all or portions of the Townships of

Trenton  
Steuben

Floyd  
Russia

Deerfield  
Marcy

Remsen  
Western

The students of the district are served by two elementary school buildings located in Holland Patent and Stittville. These buildings cover grades Pre-K – 5.

The Middle School, serving grades 6, 7, and 8, is located in Holland Patent, and the High School, serving grades 9-12, is located just outside the Village of Holland Patent.

The school district is organized under the control of the Board of Education, whose offices are located in the Annex. Their Chief Executive Officer is known as the Superintendent of the district. His office, as well as the Business Office, is located in the Annex.

**Board of Education Meetings.** These meetings are open to the public and you are encouraged to attend. Please refer to the calendar for those specific dates. You are invited to call the district office if you have a particular topic which you feel should be brought to the attention of the Board of Education.

**Annual District Meeting.** The annual district meeting is normally held on the first Tuesday in May in the high school building. The election of members to the Board of Education, the vote on the budget and voting on other properly introduced resolutions shall take place two weeks later. Polls are open until 8:00 p.m.

**Parent Teacher Organizations.** At the present time these are carried on at Elementary level only. They usually meet at specific times as listed on the School Calendar. School curriculum and programs are usually the main topics and this is an opportunity for parents to become better acquainted with their child's school and faculty.

**Transportation.** The responsibility for administering the transportation program in this district shall rest with the school administration and they shall adhere to all applicable laws and regulations of the Commissioner of Education, Motor Vehicle Bureau, and Public Service Commission.

The School will provide transportation for lesser distances if an unusual situation exists, which in the judgement of the Board of Education creates unusual hardship upon the child. Such cases will be considered as isolated cases and decisions rendered on the basis of particular circumstances.

Parents planning to send their children to parochial school or private school are hereby notified that they must file their request for transportation with the Superintendent of Schools, prior to April 1, in accordance with current state law. This, of course, enables the district to plan for and budget the money necessary to provide such transportation.

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# OCTOBER 2017 - FIRE SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	5 Week Interim	6
7						
8	Columbus Day (Observed)	9	10	11	12	13
			1:30 p.m. National Honor Society Induction Rehearsal 8:00 a.m. PSAT	Picture Day HPE/GWF 7:00 p.m. National Honor Society Induction 7:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE	Homecoming Weekend Powder Puff Football @ Pop Warner	Homecoming Weekend RFA 2:00 p.m.
FIRE SAFETY WEEK						
PURPLE AND GOLD WEEK						
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	First Session, Winter Modified Sports Begin			7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School	Football Playoffs Begin Cross Country Meet (Grades 3-5)	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	End of Fall Modified Sports		6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room			
29	30	31				
		Halloween				

# TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

As school transportation continues to be rated by the National Highway Safety Administration as one of the safest forms of transportation in the United States (8 times safer than the automobile), we encourage everyone to take the safer way to school by riding the school bus.

The opportunity to ride a bus is available to all students eligible for bus transportation, but is accompanied by a responsibility to make each trip as safe as possible. In order to maintain a high level of safety while efficiently transporting students, our drivers must have the cooperation of both the students and parents. If the rules listed are followed, the driver can concentrate on their primary job - **safe driving**.

For further information and answers to your concerns please contact the transportation department by calling (315) 315-865-4103.

## BUS RULES

1. The bus driver is in charge. Respect your bus driver and fellow students.
2. Go directly to your seat and remain there while the bus is in motion. It is appropriate for three to sit in each seat being careful not to block the aisle. Keep body parts inside the bus.
3. No fighting, tripping, shoving, use of profanity, loud talking, horseplay, or behavior which might divert the driver's attention is permitted.
4. No bullying on the school bus.
5. Keep the bus clean and care for bus equipment. Emergency doors and windows as well as other bus equipment are to be used only when appropriate.
6. Hold back-packs, bookbags and instrument cases while on the bus. Do not leave them in the front of the bus or in the aisle.
7. Food and beverages are not to be consumed on the bus.
8. Glass containers are strictly prohibited.
9. You may not use or possess tobacco, alcohol, illegal drugs. Use of cell phones, or pagers on the bus is prohibited. These products will be dealt with according to school district policy.

Note: Videotaping is conducted on the buses, at our discretion, to insure the safety of our students.

# SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

NutriKids Point-of Sale (POS) is a computerized program which makes free, reduced and paid meals accounting more efficient.

For the program to run efficiently, we suggest the student prepay for their meals. This can be done at the registers or by going to [myschoolbucks.com](http://myschoolbucks.com) and creating an account. This account will enable you to make payments, set up low balance alerts, view all transactions and much more.

All students will use the same PIN number that they had the previous year. New students will be assigned a PIN number upon enrollment. After meals and/or snack items are selected, the student inputs a PIN number in the PIN pad and the amount due comes up on the screen. This amount is either paid in cash or subtracted from the account balance.

Charging is allowed because we feel it is important to never turn a student away from a meal. School messenger phone system will make automated calls weekly to the accounts that owe \$10.00 or more. If students owe more than \$10.00 they will only be allowed to charge a PB&J sandwich and a milk until the account is paid in full.

Reduced price for breakfast or lunch is 25 cents. Full paid prices are \$1.00 for breakfast (elementary schools only) and \$2.25 for lunch (all schools). Students that qualified for free or reduced meals last year will continue to qualify for the first thirty (30) operational days of the 2017-18 school year (SY). A new application must be submitted and approved prior to October 18, 2017 to continue receiving benefits.

If you have any questions, please contact Cliff Casab at 315-315-865-7242 or [ccasab@hpschools.org](mailto:ccasab@hpschools.org)

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# NOVEMBER 2017 - INTERNET & CELL PHONE SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<b>1</b>	5:00 p.m. National Junior Honor Society Induction @ Middle School <b>2</b>	11:30 a.m. Dismissal - Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences <b>3</b> MS/HS Picture Retakes	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b>	Winter Sports Begin <b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	5:00 p.m. PTA Meeting at HPE <b>9</b> 7:00 p.m. Veterans Concert @ HS Auditorium End of Marking Period 1	Veteran's Day (Observed) <b>10</b>	Veteran's Day <b>11</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	7:30 a.m. Middle School Character Ed Breakfast <b>14</b> 11:30 a.m. Dismissal - Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences	<b>15</b>	7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School <b>16</b> HPE/GWF Picture Retake Day	Area All State - Dolgeville <b>17</b>	Area All State - Dolgeville <b>18</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	7:45 a.m. High School Character Ed Breakfast <b>21</b> Go Home Early Drill - Dismissal 15 Minutes Early	<b>22</b>	Thanksgiving <b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	End of Fall Sports <b>28</b> 11:30 a.m. Dismissal - Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	THANKSGIVING RECESS	

# OVERVIEW OF DISTRICT STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

**Attendance** Regular attendance at school is necessary for two reasons: First, parents of children of compulsory school age may be prosecuted by law if their child is not in regular attendance for causes other than legal. Second, and more important to the student, the value of your education can be seriously threatened by frequent loss of class time.

Students are expected to attend school on a regular and consistent basis. The insistence on good attendance serves as a clear and constant reminder of the strong correlation between attendance and student achievement. Under New York State Education Law Section 3205, parents are responsible for the regular attendance of their children for instruction. All absences from school must be noted as part of a student's record. Absences from school fall into two broad categories; excused and unexcused. Unexcused absences fall into two general categories; unlawful detention and truancy. Examples and explanations of each can be found in student/parent handbooks distributed annually during the opening of school each September.

The Holland Patent Central School District will monitor student attendance on a regular and consistent basis. Instances of extensive absence will initiate a review under the auspices of the building principal. This review will trigger appropriate interventions such as parent contact, counseling of students, disciplinary action, or referral to community services.

**Dress Code** Students' appearance should be neat and clean. Dress and appearance which causes disruption of the educational process or present health or safety problems shall not be permitted. Otherwise, dress and appearance are the responsibility of the parent.

**Smoking** Smoking will not be permitted on school property or at school functions either during or after school hours.

**Drinking** Drinking, evidence of drinking, or the possession of alcoholic beverages on school premises or at school activities is prohibited by Board of Education policy.

**Policy on Use of Drugs** Use, possession or sale of drugs other than those obtained by legal prescription, on school premises or at school activities, will not be tolerated by the board of education. Students violating this provision will be suspended from school and prior to re-entering school, will be accompanied by their parents for an informal hearing.

In addition, the superintendent shall have the authority to refer cases of alleged possession of dangerous drugs to appropriate law enforcement officials.

After appropriate investigation by school officials, complaints about the alleged sale of dangerous drugs shall be referred to appropriate law enforcement officials. Action of law enforcement officials shall supersede actions of school officials in cases of this nature.

**Suspension** The superintendent or other designated administrators may suspend from required attendance a student who is 1) insubordinate or disorderly, 2) whose physical or mental condition endangers the health, safety or morals of himself or of other students.

**Driving to School** Students driving to school, whether regularly or occasionally, must register their car model, license number and color at the high school office. In addition, students will need a permit and attend a safety meeting. All unlicensed vehicles including mini-bikes, dirt bikes, tractors, lawn mowers and ATV's are prohibited on school premises. Snowmobiles are also prohibited except in areas approved for The Penn Mountain Club.

Students riding bicycles or driving cars are responsible for the safety of pedestrians at all times. The speed limit on school grounds is 15 miles per hour.

No students are to be in their vehicles or in the parking lot area during school hours. There is to be no spinning of tires, stopping or turning abruptly. Any violation of the above rules will mean student loss of parking lot privileges.

A summary of the BOE approved Code of Conduct is provided to each student annually. The entire code is available upon request in each building's main office.



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# DECEMBER 2017 - BUS SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					<b>1</b>	7:00 p.m. High School Snow Ball <b>2</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	7:00 p.m. Knights Players @ High School Auditorium <b>8</b>	7:00 p.m. Knights Players @ High School Auditorium <b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	7:00 p.m. Middle School Winter Concert @ High School Auditorium <b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	6:30 p.m. Elementary Winter Concert @ High School Auditorium <b>14</b>  7:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE	15 Week Interim <b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	7:00 p.m. High School Winter Concert @ High School Auditorium <b>19</b>	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>20</b>	7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School <b>21</b>  Concert Snow Date	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	Christmas Day <b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>31</b>	WINTER RECESS					

# SPECIAL SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

**Health Services.** Health services are offered to the students in the schools by the school physician and the R.N.'s. First aid is rendered to students according to the instructions provided by the school physician. Yearly physicals are given to students in Kindergarten, Grades 1, 3, 7, and 10 unless they have already had a physical. All students entering school for the first time are required to have been immunized against polio, measles, German measles, mumps, diphtheria, and Hepatitis B. Each year a new and updated Emergency Form is required by the health offices.

**Speech & Language Program.** This program consists of one full time and one part time speech therapists for the district. The program consists of identification of those students who have functional or organic speech, language, voice, and hearing problems. Services are provided based on student needs.

**Occupational and Physical Therapy.** This program consists of occupational and physical therapists who address students whose fine/gross motor needs impact their education.

**Counseling.** This program consists of 3.5 school counselors and one social worker. The school counseling department at HPCSD empowers students to utilize their individual strengths to achieve personal excellence academically and socially in a safe and nurturing environment with the ultimate goal of preparing students to be responsible, lifelong learners.

**Psychological Services.** Psychologist serving the needs of pupils K - 12 performs a number of functions, including consultations with parents and teachers, counseling and evaluations to determine the presence of educational disabilities. All CSE referrals must have parent notification and permission before formal testing takes place.

**Kindergarten Screening.** Each spring students who are entering Kindergarten are screened at General William Floyd Elementary using the Brigance III. The Kindergarten teachers along with the Reading teacher and Speech Therapist screen each student. The results are shared with each child's parents. The school nurse is also available to meet with parents to complete school forms and to provide guidance regarding incoming health records.

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# JANUARY 2018 - WINTER SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	New Year's Day <b>1</b>	School Re-opens – Students Return <b>2</b>	Kindergarten Registration Begins <b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>WINTER RECESS</b>					
<b>7</b>	Session II Modified Winter Sports Begin <b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>10</b>  Jr. High All County Auditions @ Whitesboro CSD	5:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE <b>11</b>  Snow Date – Jr. High All County @ Whitesboro CSD	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day <b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting, High School <b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	National Reading Day <b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	End of Marking Period 2 <b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
	<b>REGENTS DAYS</b>					
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	7:30 a.m. Middle School Character Ed Breakfast <b>30</b>	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>31</b>			

# ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

## GENERAL WILLIAM FLOYD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (PRE-K – 2)

## HOLLAND PATENT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (3 – 5)

General William Floyd Elementary serves students in grades Pre-k through 2, and Holland Patent Elementary serves students in grade 3 through 5. The faculty and staff of General William Floyd and Holland Patent Elementary Schools welcome students to the 2017-2018 school year. A close relationship has developed over time among students, faculty, staff, and parents. This partnership, founded on effective communication, enables us to work together for the academic, social, and emotional growth of the children.

The elementary schools offer programs that support the development of the whole child. School-wide programs and activities provide opportunities for students to grow academically and socially. Programs like "Bully-Proofing Our Schools," Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), and "Caught Purple Handed" foster positive school and peer relationships, and help all students learn to treat one another with dignity and respect.

The elementary curriculum is based on the New York State Common Core Learning Standards, as well as district standards. Our focus on providing high quality curriculum and instruction for all of our students will prepare them for college and career readiness. To learn more about the Common Core Standards and parent resources, visit [www.engageny.org](http://www.engageny.org).

We are using a variety of resources to create a balanced literacy program. We will be piloting the Journey's Reading Series that incorporates skill development, the acquisition of phonic skills, and comprehension development. All classrooms K - 5 will continue to utilize the Olivia Wahl Units of Writing. The Common Core Literacy Standards will be integrated along with the use of the BOCES Science Kits and the Social Studies standards and curriculum. We are taking a similar approach to math this year, blending high quality online sources, and additional support materials. EnVisions math program allows students to build their mathematical skills and thinking ability through a combination of practice with computation, work with manipulatives, and word problems to build fluency, conceptual knowledge, and the ability to apply those concepts in new ways.

No child's education is complete without quality special programming. Our students gain broad experiences in the arts, technology, and athletics through our art, music, technology, and physical education programs, which prepare them for success in the 21st century.

The success of our schools rests also on partnerships with our Golden Knights Parent Teacher Association, Building Leadership Teams, community members, parents, and a supportive Board of Education. We look forward to another year of success built upon the strong relationships we have developed.

Sarah Vergis, HP Elementary Principal  
Kristin Casab, GWF Elementary Principal

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# FEBRUARY 2018 - HEALTH & WELLNESS

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4	5 7:45 a.m. High School Character Ed Breakfast High School Cafeteria	6	7	8 7:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE	9	10
11	12	13	14 1:15 p.m. GWF Friendship Concert (Gr. 1)  6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room  Valentine's Day	15 7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School	16	17
18	19 President's Day	20	21	22	23	24
MID-WINTER RECESS						
25	26	27	28			

# MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Essentially, the Middle School Program is designed for those students who are no longer elementary students and not yet high school students. This program is designed to teach students how to use skills acquired in the elementary school so that they may learn more independently. During their journey through the "middle years," students are changing physically, intellectually, emotionally and socially. Middle School philosophy strives to address academic needs as well as attending to personal needs. Holland Patent Middle School has high expectations and offers quality learning opportunities for all.

Middle Schools are faced with many challenges. At Holland Patent Middle School we continue to align to the New York State standards with our curriculum. We encourage the use of consistent and pervasive instructional and learning strategies, as well as assessments and evaluations that promote learning within the Middle School. In addition, the integration of technology is emphasized in order to provide students with a tool that will be naturally integrated across the curricular areas. These efforts will allow the Middle School to continue to be a strong link between the elementary and high school programs and articulate a clear vision based on research-based practices.

For information on the Middle School discipline policies or specific programs, please refer to the Student Handbook.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADING SYSTEM

The school year is divided into four 10-week marking periods. Computerized report cards are sent home at the completion of each period with grades ranging from A+ to F. The minimum passing grade for all subjects is a D. The following is the grading scale for the Middle School.

A formula based on the 12-point rating scale is used to determine averages and for HONOR ROLL (8 points), HIGH HONOR ROLL (9 points) and PRINCIPAL'S LIST (11 points). This is based upon how often the course meets during the marking period and also over the course of the school year. Math A, Math 7H, French I and Spanish I are weighted as 1.05. Grade 6 Language Arts is weighted at 2 because it meets for 80 minutes per day. An everyday subject is weighted at 1. An every other day subject is weighted at .5. Band, Wind Ensemble and Orchestra lessons are weighted at .17.

**A+ = 97 - 100 (12 points)**

**A = 93 - 96 (11 points)**

**A- = 90 - 92 (10 points)**

**B+ = 87 - 89 ( 9 points)**

**B = 83 - 86 (8 points)**

**B- = 80 - 82 (7 points)**

**C+ = 77 - 79 (6 points)**

**C = 73- 76 (5 points)**

**C- = 70 - 72 (4 points)**

**D = 65 - 69 (2 points)**

**F = below 65 (0 points)**

## MIDDLE SCHOOL GROUPING SYSTEM

Students in grades 6, 7 and 8 will be grouped heterogeneously (mixed ability) for most classes. Specific criteria in the form of a student profile rating is used to determine placement in the accelerated instructional program (math, science and foreign language). Student performance will be monitored & evaluated on a regular basis throughout the year.

Students in Grade Six are taught the following subjects: Reading, Writing, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Physical Education, Art, Music, Foreign Language, Computer Applications and Home & Careers.

Students in Grade Seven are taught the following subjects: English Language Arts, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, Physical Education; Art, Health, Home & Career Skills, Music and Foreign Language.

Students and core teachers in grade 8 will function as a STEAM team working both in small and large groups to develop inter-curricular, inquiry based projects. The students will have the unique opportunity to both engage with the Common Core and to work interdependently with others, gaining the skills required to be successful in college and beyond. They will continue to have Art, PE, Foreign Language, Technology and Fine Arts.

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# MARCH 2018 - PLAYGROUND SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				6:30 p.m. HPE Gr. 3 Concert @ Middle School Auditorium <b>1</b>	1:15 p.m. Spring Concert, Grade 2 <b>2</b>  National Honor Society Blood Drive @ High School	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	Spring Sports Begin <b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	6:30 p.m. - Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>7</b>	5:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE <b>8</b>	25 Week Interim <b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	UPK Open Enrollment Begins <b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School <b>15</b>	Jr. High All County @ Whitesboro CSD <b>16</b>  No School For Students  Superintendent's Conference Day	Jr. High All County @ Whitesboro CSD <b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	End of Winter Sports <b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	7:00 p.m. Cabaret @ High School Auditorium <b>23</b>	7:00 p.m. Cabaret @ High School Auditorium <b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	UPK Open Enrollment Ends <b>26</b>	9:30 a.m. HPE, Young People's Concert @ Middle School Auditorium <b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	9:30 a.m. GWF, Young People's Concert @ High School Auditorium <b>29</b>	Good Friday <b>30</b>	<b>31</b>

# HOLLAND PATENT HIGH SCHOOL

The faculty and staff at Holland Patent High School are committed to providing a comprehensive experience so that all students can be productive members of society.

The high school program adopted the slogan "Success is the only option." Over the course of the past eight years, the high school has seen their Regents results consistently amongst the best in the Mohawk Valley. In addition to their academic excellence, our Music, Arts and Athletic programs perform at a high level across the board and have won many different awards and championships during the past few years.

The high school has worked diligently incorporating Learner Focused Strategies into their lesson plans and daily lessons. In addition, many classrooms are equipped with advanced technology such as Smart Boards and projectors which help facilitate student learning. Students are encouraged to take the many varied course offerings, including Advanced Placement (AP) and Dual Credit MVCC courses. We currently offer the following AP and MVCC Courses:

AP Biology

AP World History

AP US History and Government

AP Literature and Composition

AP Language and Composition

AP Government

AP Mandarin

AP Music Theory

MVCC

SUPA English

EN 101 - English 1

EN 102 - English 2

EN 110 - Oral and Written Communications

BM 101 - Survey of Economics

BM 108 - Personal Finance

MA 050 - Introductory Mathematics

MA 108 - Technical Mathematics

MA 110 - Elementary Statistics

MA 115 - Intermediate Mathematics

MA 125 - College Algebra and Trig

MA 150 - Pre-Calculus

MA 151 - Analytical Geometry and Calculus 1

IS 101 - Computer Applications and Concepts 1

IS 102 - Computer Applications and Concepts 2

FR 201/202 - Intermediate French

SP 201/202 - Intermediate Spanish

FR 191/192 - Review French 1 & 2

SP 191/192 - Review Spanish 1 & 2

MT 240 - Auto CAD

MT 251 - Advanced Auto CAD

PY 101 - Introduction to Psychology (Distance Learning)

SO 101 - Introduction to Sociology (Distance Learning)

FA 101/105 - General Drawing (2 dimensional Design)

HI 111/112 - American History

PS 101 - American National Government

AC 115 - Financial Accounting

CD 110 - Digital Design

We strongly encourage your child to enroll in these various college level courses. For more information on these courses, or anything else, please contact your child's guidance counselor or the main office.

We look forward to an exciting and prosperous 2017-2018 school year.

Russel Stevener, High School Principal



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# APRIL 2018 - BUS SAFETY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Easter <b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting, Annex Conference Room <b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	Universal Pre-K Registration Appointments <b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	7:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE <b>12</b>	Elementary All County @ Adirondack <b>13</b> End of Marking Period 3	Elementary All County @ Adirondack <b>14</b>
GRADE 3-8 ELA ASSESSMENT						
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	7:30 a.m. Middle School Character Ed Breakfast <b>17</b> 6:00 p.m. GWF Kindergarten Parent Night	6:30 p.m. BOE Meeting, Annex UPK Lottery Draw <b>18</b> HPE Science Fair / Book Fair 5:30 p.m.	11:30 a.m. Elementary Dismissal, Parent/Teacher Conferences <b>19</b> 7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
HPE BOOK FAIR						
Earth Day <b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
SPRING RECESS						
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>					

## REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

Graduation requirements, as determined by part 100 regulations of the Commissioner of Education, require each student complete 22 units of credit and at least meet a minimum grade of 55 on Regents exams in ELA, Global History, US History, Int. Algebra/Algebra I and one area of science. Starting with the class of 2009 at least one grade must be a 65. Each succeeding class will have a 65 added until the class of 2014, which will be required to pass all five basic Regents exams with a 65 to graduate.

## REQUIRED COURSES & CREDIT

4 units of English and the ELA Regents.

4 units of credit in Social Studies. One unit must be in the United States history and government. Must also pass the United States history and government exam and Global History exam.

3 units of credit in mathematics. Algebra I.

3 units of science and one of the Regent exams in science. In order to qualify to take any Regents examination in a science, a student must complete 1200 minutes of hands-on lab experience.

1 unit of credit in the arts. This includes music, visual arts, or theatre.

1 unit of credit in language other than English. (Spanish, French, Chinese or American Sign Language)

2 units of credit in Physical Education.

1/2 credit in health.

Additional units in English, mathematics, social studies, science, the arts, languages other than English, career and technical education.

## TYPES OF DIPLOMAS

Please access the following website for an in depth description of each diploma type: <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/ciai/gradreq/diploma-credential-summary.pdf>

1. Regents
2. Regents (through appeal)
3. Regents with **Honors**
4. Regents with **Advanced Designation**
5. Regents with **Advanced Designation** with an annotation that denotes **Mastery in Math**
6. Regents with **Advanced Designation** with an annotation that denotes **Science**
7. Regents with **Advanced Designation** with Honors
8. Local (through appeal)
9. Local, Regents, Regents with Advanced Designation (with or without Honors), with a **Career and Technical Education Endorsement**.

## SELECTING COURSES

Students are advised to register for five subjects in grades 9, 10, 11 and at least four subjects in grade 12. Special permission must be obtained from the Guidance Department to vary this rule. Actual selection of a high school program begins in grade 8. An individual meeting with the student and his parents or guardian is held to review graduation requirements and select coursework. The student's achievement and results of various tests help in making this decision.

## CHANGES IN SUBJECTS

Guidance counselors have worked with each pupil and set up a program suitable to the individual student. Changes to a student's schedule are a very big decision and may affect their graduation status or date. If you need to request a schedule change, please consult with your child's guidance counselor. All course changes must be made by September 1, 2017

Please note that any subject dropped after the first marking period will be marked as follows: WF is failing. WP is passing.

## WITHDRAWAL FROM SCHOOL

Any student who plans to withdraw from school, for whatever reason should follow this procedure: Obtain a withdrawal slip from his/her guidance counselor and then have the slip signed by:

- a. Guidance Counselor
- b. All teachers to whom you are assigned every period
- c. Library Media Specialist
- d. High School Principal
- e. High School Nurse

After all these signatures have been obtained, return the slip to the Guidance Office. All books and fees must be accounted for before leaving. This is taken care of by the Main Office secretary.

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# MAY 2018

WEATHER DRILLS, STRANGER DANGER, RIDE FOR MISSING CHILDREN

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		7:45 a.m. High School Character Ed Breakfast <b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	5:00 p.m. Jr. Prom Grand March @ High School 7:00 p.m. - Jr. Prom <b>5</b>
GRADE 3-8 MATH NYS ASSESSMENT						
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	5:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE <b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
KINDERGARTEN SCREENING @ GWF						
Mother's Day <b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	6:00 p.m. - Elementary Spring Concert @ HS Auditorium <b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting, High School <b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>
PRE-KINDERGARTEN SCREENING @ GWF						
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	6:30 p.m. BOE Meeting, HS Library Budget Vote/Taste of the Arts <b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>
GRADES 4 & 8 SCIENCE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT						
<b>27</b>	Memorial Day <b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	Middle School Camping Trip 5/31 - 6/2 <b>31</b>		

# HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

**Open House** - Will be held September 14. At this event, parents will be able to meet the teachers. Teachers will present an overview of the course and provide other pertinent information.

**Senior Awards Night** - Will be held June 7. Awards will be presented to our graduating seniors. Members of the community and parents are invited to attend this event.

**Library Media Center Hours** - The High School Library is open at 7:45 a.m. through 3:00 p.m. during regular school sessions.

**College Admissions** - All students planning to attend college are urged to take the SAT or the ACT. These tests can be taken in the junior year and repeated in the senior year, depending on the requirements of the particular school. Students are urged to check with the Guidance Office for additional information. Fee waivers are available for families who qualify.

Students should visit prospective schools during their junior and senior years. All seniors are given a Senior Handbook with important information for college admissions.

**BOCES - Area Occupational Center** - Holland Patent High School participates in the program at the Career and Technical Education Center in New Hartford. The design of this program is to prepare the student for specific trades at the "job entry level" or to "further their technical education by attending a 2-year technical program."

Attendance at the center is for a half day, either morning or afternoon. During the other half of the day, participants will attend Holland Patent High School as a regular student, taking English, social studies, math, science, and other required subjects.

# JUNE 2018

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					8th Grade Camping Trip <b>1</b>	8th Grade Camping Trip <b>2</b> End of Modified Spring Sports
<b>3</b>	NYS Science Written Assessment (Gr. 4,8) <b>4</b> 6:00 p.m. Athletic Awards Night	7:45 a.m. Senior Breakfast <b>5</b> 9:00 a.m. Senior March @ Elementary Buildings & Middle School <b>REGENTS DAY</b>	6:00 p.m. Elementary Instrumental Night @ HPE LGI Room <b>6</b> <b>HIGH SCHOOL LOCAL FINAL EXAMS</b>	5:00 p.m. National Honor Society Banquet @ HS Cafeteria <b>7</b> 7:00 p.m. Senior Awards	11:30 a.m. Early Dismissal - Middle School & Elementary, Parent/Teacher Conferences <b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	High School Student Awards <b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	7:00 p.m. PTA Meeting @ HPE <b>14</b> 7:30 p.m. Boosters Meeting @ High School	Regents Rating Day <b>15</b> 11:30 a.m. Early Dismissal - MS & Elementary, Parent/Teacher Conferences 1 p.m. Kindergarten Grad.	End of Spring Sports <b>16</b>
Father's Day <b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	6:30 p.m. Board of Education Meeting @ Annex <b>20</b> HPE Grade 5 Moving Up @ High School	7:00 p.m. Senior Ball <b>21</b> 9:30 a.m. Graduation Rehearsal	End of 4th Marking Period <b>22</b> Regents Rating Day Superintendent's Conf. Day	10:00 a.m. High School Graduation <b>23</b>
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# ART EDUCATION CURRICULUM AND PROGRAMS

Art in the school is both a body of knowledge and a series of activities which the art instructor organizes to provide experiences related to specific goals. The sequence and depth of these experiences are determined by the nature of the art discipline, the objectives desired, and by the interests, abilities, and needs of children at different levels of growth. As a result of the art program, each pupil should demonstrate to the extent possible, their capacity to: (1) have intense involvement in and response to personal visual experiences; (2) perceive and understand visual relationships in the environment; (3) think, feel, and act creatively with visual art materials; (4) increase manipulative and organizational skills in art performance, (5) acquire a knowledge of visual art heritage; (6) use art knowledge and skills in his personal and community life; (7) make intelligent visual judgements suited to his experience and maturity; and (8) understand the nature of art and the creative process.

**Grades 1-5** Have Art Instruction once a week for 40 minutes (all year)

**Grade 6** Have Art Instruction every day for 40 minutes (10 weeks)

**Grade 7-8** Have Art Instruction every other day for 40 minutes (all year)

**Grades 9-12** Regents or non-regents program courses - design, ceramics, photography, sculpture, drawing, painting, art history, and computer graphics.

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# JULY 2018

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# MUSIC CURRICULUM AND PROGRAMS

The Holland Patent Central School Music Department assumes the responsibility to: Offer as many opportunities for participation in music activities as is practical for as many students as time will permit; make every effort to assume that students with special music talent be given every opportunity to develop that talent; encourage all students to participate in music through a variety of activities in general music classes and participation in an organization if willing to put forth the needed effort.

## CURRICULUM OFFERINGS

### Elementary (Grs. K – 5):

- Classroom music (1 period per week)
- Grades K, 1, 2 (13 weeks violin)
- Grade 4 - District Beginning Band, and District Beginning String Ensemble
- Grade 5 - District Elementary Band, District Elementary Orchestra and District Chorus
- Grade 4 & 5 - Winds, percussion and string lessons
- \* Both vocal and instrumental music programs have special concerts in the winter and spring

**Middle School:** General music classes performing organizations: 5 & 6 Grade Chorus, 7 & 8 Grades Chorus, Wind Ensemble (Grades 7 – 8), Concert Band (Grades 5-6), Jazz Ensemble, Orchestra, Jazz Lab Band, and Vocal Ensemble, Instrumental Music Instruction, and Music Concerts.

**High School:** Vocal Ensemble (Grades 9 – 12) by audition, Jazz Ensemble (Grades 9 – 12) by audition, Wind Ensemble & Orchestra (Grades 9 – 12) by selection, Select Choir (Grades 9 – 12) by selection, Chorus, Instrumental and Vocal Music Instruction, Music Theory, Music Concerts, Cabaret and Special Programs.

Selection of students for beginning instrumental classes is based upon the following criteria:

1. Interest displayed by parent and student in instrumental study.
2. Attendance by parents and students at Instrumental Beginner's Parents Night in September.
3. Regular attendance at/in school lessons.
4. Daily rehearsal time outside of school.

Instrumental rental for beginners is available for students through a commercial music dealer purchase plan.

Student participation in performing organizations is encouraged with standardized requirements demonstrated in rehearsals, lessons, at home practice records and performance

1. Based upon successful work by the student and follows a sequential advancement.

Students who are regular members of performing organizations must meet all requirements of the organization:

1. Attendance at all rehearsals.
2. Attendance at all scheduled lessons with satisfactory preparation.
3. Attendance at all performances.
4. Out of school individual rehearsal recorded on practice log.

Failure to meet these requirements could mean a loss of credit and reduction in grade.



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# AUGUST 2018

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# PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETIC PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

**Philosophy Statement.** Physical Education helps students to develop personal attributes, health and fitness knowledge and skills, feelings of self worth, and a personal value system, all of which act as necessary catalysts in the development of individual lifestyles. Such development is essential for each student to become an informed, healthy, productive, and responsible citizen.

**Mission.** The mission of physical education is to encourage all students to sustain regular, lifelong physical activity as a foundation for a healthy, productive, and fulfilling life.

## **Goals and Objectives:**

- Help student's understand that physical activity provides opportunities for enjoyment, challenge, self expression, and social interaction.
- Make each student aware of the effect of physical activity upon the body.
- Encourage students to achieve and maintain a health-enhancing level of physical fitness.
- Ongoing professional development of teachers.

**Interscholastic Sports.** Interscholastic Sports Program is available to students in grades 7-12. Competitively, HPCS is a member of the Center State Conference. Practice and games are held during the after school hours. Holland Patent also competes in the Frontier League for Boy's and Girl's Swimming, the Central New York Wrestling League, and the Tri-Valley League for Lacrosse and Girl's Golf.

**Insurance.** The student must report any injury to the PE Teacher/Coach immediately. The students must also report to the nurse as soon as possible to fill out a report if medical treatment is necessary. If this report is not made out, no claims may be filed with the insurance company. The insurance company must receive this report within 30 days of injury.

The school insurance policy pays after the family's insurance is exhausted (including Major Medical). IT WILL NOT NECESSARILY TAKE CARE OF ALL REMAINING BILLS as there is a set schedule of maximum payment for each type of injury.

Families without health insurance may incur substantial debt for medical care due to injuries sustained while participating in school activities. The school insurance program provides minimal reimbursement for medical expenses in these situations. THE BALANCE BETWEEN SCHOOL INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENT AND THE ACTUAL BILL BECOMES THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FAMILY.

**Interscholastic Sports Physicals.** Student's planning on participating on a sports team during the school year are required to have an annual physical in order to participate. The district does provide and schedule sports physicals for students in May for the upcoming school year. Parents do have the option to take their son/daughter to their own physician and provide the district with verification prior to tryouts and/or participation. The Athletic Department encourages all parents to take advantage of the sports physical provided by the district.

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# SEPTEMBER 2018

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## ALMA MATER

*Though we're but a country high school  
Of name unknown to fame,  
To our colors we are loyal  
Our heritage we claim;  
We defend the gold and purple  
Wherever we may be,  
Our hearts forever faithful  
To the old school in H.P.*

*Oh the purple hue is royal  
The gold is pure and fine,  
And both the king's apparel  
Ordained by word divine;  
Therefore royal are our colors  
To them we true must be,  
To show we love and honor  
The old high school in H.P.*