HCELC Calendar 2016-2017

**AUGUST**
Planning, Set-up days, Teacher-Family home visits, Staff meetings: Monday, Aug. 15 - Friday, Aug. 19

Director's Orientation Meeting for all Parents: Thursday, August 18th 7:15-8:45pm

First Day of School: Monday, Aug. 22. The first two weeks (Aug 22-Sept 2) will have staggered enrollment (see list in registration packet. During these two weeks, children will not attend on 1 of their scheduled days) and the day will end at 3:30pm for all children (no late day).

**SEPTEMBER**
School Closed- Labor Day Holiday: Monday, Sept. 5

Fall Parent-Teacher Night: Week of Sept. 12th-7:15-8:45pm Tues: Infants, Wed: Toddlers, Thurs: Preschool

**OCTOBER**
School Closed - Columbus Day Holiday: Monday, Oct. 10th (this is also 5-College October break)

School Closed- Curriculum Day- Staff Retreat: Tuesday, October 11th

Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences (required): Late October and Early November

**NOVEMBER**
School Closed- Curriculum Full Day: (Veteran’s Day observed)- Friday, November 11th.

School Closed- Thanksgiving Break: Closed Wednesday, November 23rd -Friday, November 25th.

**DECEMBER**
School Closed- Winter Break: Closed Thursday, December 22nd – Monday, January 2nd, re-open Tuesday, January 3rd

**JANUARY**
School Closed- Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday: Monday, January 16th

**FEBRUARY**
School Closed- Curriculum Full Day- Thursday, February 9th

**MARCH**
School Closed- Spring Break: Monday March 13 -Friday March 17

**APRIL**
School Closed- Curriculum Full Day- Friday, April 14th

Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences (optional): Late April and early May

**MAY**
Classroom Transition Meetings for Parents (w/ next year's teachers): week of May 8th 7:15-8:45 P.M.
Tuesday: Infant Group   Wednesday: Toddler Group   Thursday: Preschool Group

School Closed- Memorial Day Holiday: Monday, May 29th

**JUNE**
Closing Activities: Pre-School "Bridging": Tuesday, June 6th, 3:45 pm

Last Day of Academic Year Session: Tuesday, June 6th. The center will close at 3:30 for pre-school bridging. All families are invited to attend.

Clean-up Days and Summer Set-up: Wednesday 6/7 -Friday 6/9

**SUMMER 2017 PROGRAM:** Monday, June 12, 2017– Wednesday, August 9, 2017

*** Calendar is subject to change due to updates in the Hampshire College and Amherst public school calendars.***