



# The Pharr Oratory Of St. Philip Neri School System

## 2017 – 2018 School Calendar (Tentative Calendar)

| Academy Grading Periods  |                                      |  |                      |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|----------------------|
|  | FROM                                 | THROUGH  | DAYS                 |
| 1st Quarter  | August 14, 2017                      | October 16, 2017   | 44                   |
| 2nd Quarter  | October 17, 2017                     | January 11, 2018   | 46                   |
| 3rd Quarter  | January 12, 2018                     | March 15, 2018   | 44                   |
| 4th Quarter  | March 16, 2018                       | June 1, 2018   | 46                   |
|  |                                      |  | Total 180            |
| Standardized Tests   |                                      | Religion Tests   |                      |
| September 18 - 22, 2017  | ITBS Tests Grades 1-8 (Diagnostic)   | TBA<br>NCEA IFG: ACRE<br>Tests Grades 5/8<br>March 20 and 21, 2018   |                      |
| October 11, 2017   | PSAT/NMSQT Grades 8                  |  |                      |
| April 16 - 20, 2018  | ITBS Tests Grades K-8 (Achievement)  |  |                      |
| Athenæum Grading Periods   |                                      |  |                      |
|  | FROM                                 | THROUGH  | DAYS                 |
| 1st Quarter  | August 14, 2017                      | October 16, 2017   | 44                   |
| 2nd Quarter  | October 17, 2017                     | January 11, 2018   | 46                   |
| 3rd Quarter  | January 12, 2018                     | March 15, 2018   | 44                   |
| 4th Quarter  | March 16, 2018                       | June 1, 2018   | 46                   |
|  |                                      |  | Total 180            |
| Standardized Tests   |                                      | Religion Tests   |                      |
| September 18 - 22, 2017  | ITBS Tests Grades 9-11 (Achievement) | TBA<br>NCEA IFG: ACRE<br>Tests Grade 11/12<br>March 20 and 21, 2018  |                      |
| October 11, 2017   | PSAT/NMSQT Grades 9-11               |  |                      |
| March 20 and 21, 2018  | TSI Exam Grades 10                   |  |                      |
| April 16 - 18, 2018  | ITBS Tests Grade 9                   |  |                      |
| May 7 -18, 2018  | AP Exams Grades 10-12                |  |                      |
| Student Early Release  |                                      | Student Holidays   |                      |
| November 17, 2017  | Teacher/Staff Retreat                | September 4, 2017  | Labor Day 1          |
| December 14, 2017  | Christmas Program                    | September 5, 2017  | Teacher In-service 1 |
| December 15, 2017  | Teacher In-service                   | November 20 - 24, 2017   | Thanksgiving 5       |
| March 23, 2018   | Teacher/Staff Retreat                | Dec. 18, 2017- Jan. 2, 2018  | Christmas 12         |
| May 28, 2018   | Spirituality Award Ceremony          | February 16, 2018  | In-service 1         |
| June 1, 2018   | Last day of school                   | March 26-April 6, 2018   | Easter 10            |
|  |                                      |  | Total 30             |
| Weather Days   |                                      | Student Holidays   |                      |
| March 26, 2018 and June 4, 2018  |                                      | Mission  |                      |
| Disruption of the Academic Program by absences threatens the learning process. Absences may result in termination. |                                      | The mission of the Pharr Oratory of St. Philip Neri School System is to promote the formation of Christian character, catholic lay leadership, Christian fellowship and community service by integrating the Gospel message with a liberal arts educational program in the spirit of joy of St. Philip Neri. |                      |
|  |                                      | Vision   |                      |
|  |                                      | Every Oratory student believes the Gospel message and lives it by making a difference in the world, as each student journeys to his/her ultimate end, heaven.  |                      |