HOPE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL
2011-2012 School Year Calendar

September 7	School Opens	12:30 Dismissal
September 8, 9	½ Day Schedule	12:30 Dismissal
September 7-24	**STUDENT BOOT CAMP**	
September 14	8th Grade Parent/Student Dinner @ 5:30 PM	
September 15	7th Grade Parent/Student Breakfast @ 9 AM	
September 21-23	DIBELS Testing, K-2	
September 24	**Sat. School/PA**	**12:00 Dismissal**
September 29	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
October 10	Columbus Day	School Closed
October 22	**Saturday School**	**12:00 Dismissal**
October 27	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
November 11& 14	Veteran's Day	School Closed
November 17	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
November 19	**Sat. School/PA**	**12:00 Dismissal**
November 23	Thanksgiving Break	12:30 Dismissal
November 24 & 25	School Closed for Thanksgiving	
December 9	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
December 22	Christmas Break	12:30 Dismissal
Dec. 23 - Jan. 2	Christmas Break	School Closed
January 3, 2012	School Reopens	
January 11-12	**Parent Conferences**	**12:30 Dismissal**
January 16	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	School Closed
January 17 - 19	DIBELS Testing, K-2	
January 26	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
January 28	**Sat. School/PA**	**12:00 Dismissal**
February 16	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
February 17 & 20	Presidents Day	School Closed
February 25	**Saturday School**	**12:00 Dismissal**

March 15	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
March 24	**Sat. School/PA**	**12:00 Dismissal**
April 5	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
April 6-13	Easter Break	School Closed
April 16	School Reopens	
April 23-26	**NJ ASK TESTING, GRADES 7 & 8**	
April 28	**Saturday School 12:30 Dismissal**	
April 30-May 3	**NJ ASK TESTING, GRADES 5 & 6**	
May 7-10	**NJ ASK TESTING, GRADES 3 & 4**	
May 17	Full Day Staff Institute	School Closed to Students
May 19	**Sat. School/PA**	**12:00 Dismissal**
May 22-24	DIBELS Testing, K-2	
May 28	Memorial Day	School Closed
June 7	Liberty Lake Park: Hope Academy & Hope Cares	
June 16	**Saturday School**	**12:00 Dismissal**
June 20-22	½ Day Schedule	12:30 Dismissal
June 21	8th Grade Dinner	6:00 PM
June 22	Last Day of School	12:30 Dismissal
June 22	8th Grade Graduation	2:00 PM

SCHOOL HOURS	**8:00 AM – 3:00 PM**
TOTAL NUMBER OF DAYS	**186 DAYS**

EMERGENCY CLOSINGS

SHOULD SCHOOL BE CLOSED FOR EMERGENCY PURPOSES, DAYS MISSED WILL BE MADE UP AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR. CLOSINGS AND DELAYS WILL BE ANNOUNCED VIA PHONE BROADCAST, NJ 12 NEWS, 101.5 FM, WJLK: 94.3 FM AND WADB: 1030 AM. EMERGENCY INFORMATION WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE AFTER 6:00 AM BY CALLING THE SCHOOL: 732.988.4227.