

2023-2024

# CALENDAR HANDBOOK

## NORTH CAMPUS



# District 211 North Campus

335 E. Illinois Avenue | Palatine, Illinois 60074-7132

## NORTH CAMPUS

The mission of North Campus is to establish a positive and supportive learning community where students are offered opportunities to build positive peer and adult relationships, develop appropriate social skills, and accept personal responsibility for behaviors and choices.

## ACADEMY NORTH

The vision is designed to support students with an individualized education plan (IEP) by using the Circle of Courage tenets to provide students with the key elements for academic success. This resiliency model provides students the opportunity to adjust to change and recover from adversity or challenge, fostering an environment that promotes the following:

- **Belonging:** Through a caring and supportive community in which trust, acceptance, and respect is present. **(I am important to somebody).**
- **Mastery:** Developing achievement by offering access to opportunities, setting high expectations, and being receptive to new ideas. **(I am able to solve problems).**
- **Independence:** Encouraging decision-making, problem-solving, and personal responsibility. **(I am in charge of my life).**
- **Generosity:** Experiencing the power of giving by making positive contributions to others. **(My life has value).**

Academy North students are provided therapeutic support each week through group and individual counseling. Topics include: anger management, problem solving, problem identification, school improvement, social skills training, vocational and goal setting.

One of the primary goals of the program is the reintegration of the student into the home school environment whenever appropriate. The IEP team reviews each student's progress at conferences, which are scheduled as often as needed, but no less than once a year.

Reintegration may be recommended on a part-time or full-time basis. If no progress has been made towards reintegration, alternatives are considered.

## ALTERNATIVE LEARNING ACADEMY

Alternative Learning Academy (ALA) is a general education therapeutic day school designed to create a smaller setting for students which places an emphasis on differentiated learning, socio-emotional support, and post-secondary preparation. The curriculum mirrors that which is established and practiced within all District 211 schools. Staff will utilize a variety of behavioral and academic intervention strategies in order to create positive pathways for students moving forward.

In order to ensure student success towards graduation or reintegration to their home school, staff will work with students on problem-solving techniques, effective and healthy decision making, self-regulation strategies, and improved interpersonal skills. In working on these skills ALA staff hope for students to have improved time-on-task and focus in the classroom, an ability to process and resolve conflicts in a healthy manner, as well as overall positive interactions with peers and staff.

Each semester students will maintain 5 academic class periods to earn their core and elective credits, as well one period for lunch/advisory, and one period for P.E./Wellness. Students will have the opportunity to participate in regular individual or group therapeutic services. Additionally, there may be opportunities for students to recover credit while attending ALA.

The ultimate goal of the program is to prepare students for reintegration into their home schools and/or successful outcomes in their post-secondary education or employment. ALA staff, home school administrators, and the Director of Administrative Services will meet each semester to discuss progress overall and potential reintegration for students that are excelling in the following 4 goal areas:

1. Academics
2. Attendance
3. Behavior
4. Community

Students who are meeting all of their goals, and who are

eligible to return, may have the option to return full-time to their home school, remain at ALA full time, or have a partial schedule in which they access both settings for part of the day. This process is a collaborative one between school administration, parents/guardians, and the student. Every situation is unique and final decisions will be made to best support the students moving forward.

## Telephone Number

**(847) 755-6700**

Main Number

### NORTH CAMPUS

#### Regular Day

Period 1.....9:10 - 9:58 a.m.

Period 2.....9:58 - 10:46 a.m.

Period 3.....10:46 - 11:34 a.m.

Period 4.....11:34 a.m. - 12:22 p.m.

Period 5a.....12:22 - 12:47 p.m.

Period 5b.....12:47 - 1:12 p.m.

Period 6.....1:12 - 2:00 p.m.

Period 7.....2:00 - 2:48 p.m.

Period 8.....2:48 - 2:58 p.m.

#### Early Release

Period 1.....9:10 - 9:48 a.m.

Period 2.....9:48 - 10:24 a.m.

Period 3.....10:24 - 11:01 a.m.

Period 4.....11:01 - 11:38 a.m.

Period 5a.....11:38 a.m. - 12:16 p.m.

Period 5b.....11:38 a.m. - 12:16 p.m.

Period 6.....12:16 - 12:53 p.m.

Period 7.....12:53 - 1:30 p.m.

Period 8.....1:30 - 1:40 p.m.

### ALTERNATIVE LEARNING ACADEMY

#### Regular Day

Period 1.....7:55 - 8:43 a.m.

Period 2.....8:43 - 9:31 a.m.

Period 3.....9:31 - 10:19 a.m.

Period 4.....10:19 - 11:07 a.m.

Period 5.....11:07 - 11:55 a.m.

Period 6.....11:55 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

Period 7.....2:00 - 2:48 p.m.

#### Early Release

Period 1.....7:55 - 8:41 a.m.

Period 2.....8:41 - 9:27 a.m.

Period 3.....9:27 - 10:13 a.m.

Period 4.....10:13 - 10:59 a.m.

Period 5.....10:59 - 11:45 a.m.

Period 6.....11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Period 7.....12:00 - 12:15 p.m.



If you require assistance while visiting our school, please contact the assistant principal's office at (847) 755-4612.

For individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing, please access the following TTD/TTY telephone number: (847) 755-6654.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 IHSA Fall Sports Begin	8	9	10 Teacher Institute Day (No Classes)	11 Teacher Institute Day (No Classes)	12
13	14 Opening Day of School	15	16	17  Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	18	19
20	21	22 Student Early Dismissal	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31 Student Early Dismissal  Open House 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.		



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4 Labor Day (No School)	5 Student Early Dismissal	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children	15	16
17	18	19 Student Early Dismissal	20 ANOR - School Luncheon	21  Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	22	23
24	25 End of 6-Week Grading Period	26	27 Directions College & Career Fair (Special Ed. College & Career Night) at Harper College 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	28 Student Early Dismissal  College Night at Palatine High School 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	29	30



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 ←	3	4 ANOR/ALA Spirit Week	5	6	7 →
8	9 Columbus Day (No School)	10 Teacher Institute Day (No Classes)	11	12 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children	13	14
15	16	17 First Generation College Night at Palatine High School 6:30 p.m.	18 ANOR - School Luncheon	19 Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	20	21
22	23	24 Student Early Dismissal	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5 Daylight Saving Time Ends	6	7 End of 12-Week Grading Period Student Early Dismissal	8	9 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children  Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	10	11 Veterans Day
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 ANOR/ALA - Holiday Feast	22 Non-Attendance Day (No School)	23 Thanksgiving Day (No School)	24 Thanksgiving Holiday (No School)	25
26	27	28	29	30		



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					1	2
3	4	5 Student Early Dismissal	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children  Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	15 ALA - Student Brunch	16
17	18	19	20 Final Exams  ANOR - School Luncheon	21 Final Exams	22 Final Exams  End of First Semester Winter Vacation begins at close of school	23
24	25	26	27 Winter Vacation (No School)	28	29	30
31						



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 ←	2	3 Winter Vacation (No School)	4	5 →	6
7	8 ← Winter Vacation (No School) →	9 Teacher Institute Day (No Classes)	10 First Day of Classes Second Semester	11 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children	12	13
14	15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No School)	16 Student Early Dismissal	17 ANOR - School Luncheon	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	26	27
28	29	30 Student Early Dismissal	31			





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				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children	9	10
11	12	13 Student Early Dismissal	14	15	16	17
18	19 Presidents' Day (No School)	20	21 ANOR - School Luncheon	22 End of 6-Week Grading Period  Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	23	24
25	26	27 Student Early Dismissal	28	29		



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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 Daylight Saving Time Begins	11	12 Student Early Dismissal	13	14 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children	15	16
17	18	19	20 ANOR/ALA Spirit Week	21 Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	22 Spring Vacation begins at close of school	23
24	25	26	27 Spring Vacation (No School)	28	29	30
31						



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>1</b> Opening Day of School After Vacation	<b>2</b> Early Release	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> State Testing	<b>11</b> End of 12-Week Grading Period State Testing	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> ANOR - School Luncheon	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> The Future Begins Today (Special Education Resource Night) at Harper College 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>				



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2 Senior Job Fair at Schaumburg High School 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 ANOR - Feed My Starving Children	10 Student Early Dismissal	11
12	13	14	15 ANOR - School Luncheon  Graduation at Hoffman Estates High School 7:00 p.m.	16  Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	17	18
19	20	21	22 Final Exams	23 Final Exams	24 Final Exams  Last day of school	25
26	27 Memorial Day (No School)	28	29	30	31	



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3 1st Semester Summer School Begins	4	5	6	7 No Summer School	8
9	10	11	12	13	14 No Summer School	15
16	17	18	19 Juneteenth National Freedom Day No Summer School	20 Board of Education Meeting 6:30/7:30 p.m.	21 No Summer School	22
23	24	25 1st Semester Summer School Ends	26 2nd Semester Summer School Begins	27	28 No Summer School	29
31						



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4 Independence Day No Summer School	5 No Summer School	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 No Summer School	13
14	15	16	17	18 2nd Semester Summer School Ends	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			



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4	5	6	7	8 Teacher Institute Day (No Classes)	9 Teacher Institute Day (No Classes)	10
11	12 Opening Day of School IHSA Fall Sports Begin	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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