

Chesapeake Academy  
2009-2010 School Calendar

**September**

1 New Student and Parent Orientation 9:00-10:30  
York Uniform on campus / Osprey Nest Open  
Faculty Meetings  
2 Convocation / First Day of Classes (dress uniform)  
7 Labor Day- school closed  
8 Classes Resume  
10 EC/LS Back to School Night 6:30 pm  
15 MS Back to School Night 6:30 pm

**October**

6 Parent Partnership 3:30-7:00  
7 Parent Partnership 3:30-7:00  
9 Professional Development Day (no classes)  
12 Columbus Day – school closed  
16 Grandparents and Grandfriends Day-12:00 dismissal  
30 Noon dismissal (faculty workday)

**November**

25-27 Thanksgiving – school closed  
30 Classes Resume

**December**

18 Holiday Program of Lessons and Carols- 12:00 dismissal  
21-Jan 4 Christmas Break

**January**

4 Faculty Professional Development Day (no classes)  
5 Classes Resume  
19-21 Exams (grades 7/8)  
22 Noon dismissal (faculty workday)

**February**

1 Parent Partnership 3:30-7:00  
2 Parent Partnership 3:30-7:00  
12-15 Presidents' Weekend  
16 Classes Resume

**March**

8 Faculty Professional Development Day (no classes)  
19 Noon dismissal  
29 Spring Break begins

**April**

6 Classes Resume

**May**

14 Spring Sing  
26-28 Exams (grades 7/8)  
28 Last Day of School  
31 Memorial Day- school closed

**June**

1 No classes- Faculty Workday  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Board Chair Dinner  
2 Graduation  
3-4 Faculty Meetings

## Summer Reading List 2009

**All our students should read, read, read! Enjoy books of all kinds!** There are great local and online resources to find copies of these books and to get help with selection. The public libraries may not have copies of each required book, so check the online catalogues or call before you go. Barnes and Noble and Amazon have each of the books (some can be purchased used or new). Local bookseller Twice Told Tales has the CA summer reading list and can assist you in finding the books. In addition, logging onto [www.arbookfind.com](http://www.arbookfind.com) will help you get a sense of the reading level of the book, as there are a range of reading levels within each set of choices. Keep in mind that regardless of the reading level, kids will get engaged in a book that has themes or subjects of interest to them. Do not judge a book's suitability by reading level alone!

Middlesex Public Library: [www.mcplva.org](http://www.mcplva.org)

Lancaster Public Library: [www.lancasterlibrary.org](http://www.lancasterlibrary.org)

**Students should keep a log (attached) of summer reading. We will celebrate students' reading achievements when they turn in the log in September.**

**PreK and K:** enjoy reading all summer long on your own or with someone. Keep a log of all the books.

### **1st, 2nd, and 3rd grade:**

You should read 3 chapter books this summer on your own or with someone. Keep a log of all books read on your own or with someone.

### **4th grade:**

All students should read 1 of these two books:

- a) My America: Our Strange New Land, Elizabeth's Jamestown Colony Diary by Patricia Hermes OR
- b) On My Own History: Sam Collier and the Founding of Jamestown by Candice Ransom

plus, choose 2 of the following books:

Silver Balloon by Susan Bonner (out of print, but available through online sellers)

Ramona Forever by Beverly Cleary

Rules by Cynthia Lord

Blister by Susan Shreve

Surviving Brick Johnson by Laurie Myers

### **5th grade: Books on the theme of transition and change**

All students should read:

The Sign of the Beaver by Elizabeth George Speare

plus, choose 2 of the following:

Rules by Cynthia Lord

Firegirl by Tony Abbott

Blister by Susan Shreve

Come Sing Jimmy Jo by Katherine Paterson

The Book of Changes by Tim Wynne-Jones (out of print, but available through online sellers)

**6th grade: Books on the theme of friendship**

All students should read:

The Schwa Was Here by Neal Shusterman

plus, choose 2 of the following:

Red Kayak by Priscilla Cummings

Freak the Mighty by Rodman Philbrick

Millicent Min: Girl Genius by Lisa Yee

Harris and Me: A Summer Remembered by Gary Paulsen

Crash by Jerry Spinelli

**7th grade: Books on the theme of discovery and identity**

All students should read:

Never Cry Wolf by Farley Mowat

plus, choose 2 of the following:

Island of the Blue Dolphins by Scott O'Dell

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn by Betty Smith

The Cay by Theodore Taylor

The Seeing Stone by Kevin Crossley-Holland

Touching Spirit Bear by Ben Mikaelson

**8th grade: Books on the theme of leadership and community**

All students should read:

Pay It Forward by Catherine Ryan Hyde

plus, choose 2 of the following:

Nation by Terry Pratchett

Shipwreck at the Bottom of the World by Jennifer Armstrong

Hitch by Jeannette Ingold

The Power of One: Daisy Bates and the Little Rock Nine by Judith Bloom Fradin

Invitation to the Game by Monica Hughes

Summer Reading Log  
2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ grade \_\_\_\_\_

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Chesapeake Academy 2009-2010 School Supply List  
**Early Childhood and Lower School**

**Pre-K / Kindergarten**

- 1 box Colored Pencils, 24 ct.
- 2 pk Wipes, Antibacterial, Moisturizing, Canister, 35 ct.
- 2 bottles Hand Sanitizer with pump, 8 or 16 oz.
- 2 pk Plates, Paper, 9", White, 100 ct.
- 2 pk Cups, Paper, 8 oz., 100 ct.
- 1 box Plastic Spoons, 50 ct.
- 2 Elmer's Glue Stick, Washable, Purple, Dries Clear, .77 oz.
- 1 ea Bonus Items- Magnet, Envelopes, Note Pad, Personalized Labels
- 1 set Earbuds

**Art Supplies (Kindergarten only)**

- 1 Poster Board, White, 18x24
- 1 Fine Line Black Sharpie
- 1 Elmer's All-Purpose Glue Stick, .77 oz.

**First Grade**

- 1 pk Pencils, #2, Dozen
- 1 box Crayola Crayons, 16/box
- 1 set Crayola Markers, Washable, Classic Colors, Wide Tip, 8/set
- 1 set Pencils, Colored, 7', Artist Quality, 12/set
- 1 Elmer's Glue, School, Washable, 4 oz., White
- 2 pk Wipes, Antibacterial, Moisturizing, Canister, 35 ct.
- 1 box Crayola Crayons, 16/box
- 1 box Facial Tissue, Hypo-Allergenic, 160 ct.
- 1 pk Napkins, 1 Ply, 120 ct.
- 1 box Ziplock Bags, Gallon
- 3 Composition Book, Marble Cover, Black, 100 Sheets
- 1 Clipboard, Letter Size, Brown
- 1 set Crayola Markers, Classic Colors, Wide Tip, 10/set
- 1 Elmer's Glue Stick, Washable, Purple, Dries Clear, .77 oz.
- 1 dz Pencils, #2 Ticonderoga
- 1 ea Bonus Items- Magnet, Envelopes, Note Pad, Personalized Labels
- 1 set Earbuds

**Art Supplies**

- 1 Poster Board, White, 18x24
- 1 Fine Line Black Sharpie
- 1 Elmer's All-Purpose Glue Stick, .77 oz.

**Second Grade**

- 2 Composition Book, Marble Cover, Black, 100 Sheets
- 1 pk Pencils, #2, Dozen
- 1 set Pencils, Colored, 7', Artist Quality, 12/set
- 1 pk Filler Paper, Wide Rule, 120/pk
- 1 box Facial Tissue, Hypo-Allergenic, 160 ct.
- 1 Clipboard, Letter Size, Brown
- 1 set Crayola Markers, Washable, Classic Colors, Wide Tip, 8/set
- 1 box Storage Bags, Economy Zip, Quart, 25 ct.
- 1 box/bag Plastic Spoons, 50 ct.
- 1 box/bag Plastic Forks, 50 ct.
- 2 pk Wipes, Antibacterial, Moisturizing, Canister, 35 ct.
- 1 Elmer's Glue Stick, Washable, Purple, Dries Clear, .77 oz.

**Second Grade continued**

- 1 dz Pencils, #2 Ticonderoga
- 1 ea Bonus Items- Magnet, Envelopes, Note Pad, Personalized Labels
- 1 set Earbuds

**Art Supplies**

- 1 Poster Board, White, 18x24
- 1 Fine Line Black Sharpie
- 1 Elmer's All-Purpose Glue Stick, .77 oz.

**Third Grade**

- 1 box Crayola Crayons, 24/box
- 1 set Markers
- 1 pk Pencils, #2
- 1 box Facial Tissue, Hypo-Allergenic, 160 ct.
- 2 Folders with Brads/Eyelets
- 3 Composition Book, Marble Cover, Black, 100 Sheets
- 1 pk Filler Paper, Wide Rule, 120/pk
- 1 Binder, 3 Ring, 1"
- 1pk Plates, Paper, 9", White, 100 ct.
- 2 pk Index Cards, 3"x5", Ruled, 100/pk, White
- 2 Glue Stick, Wshable, White, .28 oz.
- 1 bag M&M's or Skittles
- 1 Hershey Bar
- 1 set Earbuds

**Art Supplies**

- 1 Poster Board, White, 18x24
- 1 Fine Line Black Sharpie
- 1 Elmer's All-Purpose Glue Stick, .77 oz.

**Fourth Grade**

- 1 box Crayola Crayons, 24/box
- 1 Notebook, Spiral, 3 subject
- 1 pk Filler Paper, Wide Rule, 120/pk
- 2 pk Pencils, #2
- 2 pk Wipes, Antibacterial, Moisturizing, Canister, 35 ct.
- 1 set Crayola Markers, Classis Colors, Wide Tip, 10/set
- 1 Elmer's Glue Stick, Washable, Purple, Dries Clear, .77 oz.
- 1 ea Bonus Items- Magnet, Envelopes, Note Pad, Personalized Labels
- 1 set Earbuds
- 2 bottles Hand Sanitizer with pump, 8 or 16 oz.
- 1 bottle Clorox Wipes, 75 ct.
- 1 bottle Elmer's Glue

**Art Supplies**

- 1 Poster Board, White, 18x24
- 1 Fine Line Black Sharpie
- 1 Elmer's All-Purpose Glue Stick, .77 oz.

**Parents can start dropping off art supplies beginning the week of August 18th.**

**Chesapeake Academy 2009-2010 School Supply List  
Middle School (Grades 5-8)**

**All students grades 5 through 8 are required to have the following supplies for school:**

Binder with dividers  
Calculator (with square and square root functions)  
Composition Book (for each class)  
Filler Paper  
Graph paper (4x4-8 1/2 x 11)  
Folders with brads for grade 5  
Pocket folders for grades 6,7 and 8  
# 2 pencils  
Black pens  
Markers  
Crayola crayons  
Box of tissues  
Index cards  
2 containers antibacterial wipes  
Three subject notebook with pockets for Math  
2- spiral notebooks for grades 7/8  
Small or large ziplock bags for 5th grade  
Brown lunch bags for 5th grade  
1 large bag of M&M's or skittles for 5th grade  
2 plain Hershey bars for 5th grade

**Art Supplies For Fifth through Eighth Grade**

1 Poster Board, White, 18x24  
1 Fine Line Black Sharpie  
1 Elmer's All-Purpose Glue Stick, .77 oz.

**Parents can start dropping off art supplies beginning the week of August 18th.**

**To assist with homework and projects, it is recommended that students have at home the following items:**

Ruler-metric and standard units  
Protractor  
Compass  
Markers  
Poster board-White  
Dictionary and Thesaurus  
Index cards-3x5 in size  
Construction paper  
Glue or glue sticks  
Colored pencils

**The Eighth Grade should also have:**

Spanish/English Dictionary.  
TI 83 Plus graphing calculator-used online ebay, etc.

**Chesapeake Academy Uniform Requirements  
2009-2010**

Parents are to help students by placing clothing identification in each item worn to school. Iron-on tags are easy. The uniform requirements apply to those students in kindergarten through eighth grade. Dress Uniform is required the first Wednesday of each month and at other times when announced. \*Items to be purchased from the school uniform supplier. \*\*Items to be purchased through the school store.

**Kindergarten through Grade 4**

**Girls:** \*Hunter plaid (#55) jumper  
    **or** Khaki pants **or** shorts (see below) **or** skort, all with neutral belt  
Polo shirt or turtleneck in white, red, or navy  
    **or** white Peter Pan collar blouse (long or short sleeve)  
Navy crewneck cardigan (seasonal)  
\*\*Chesapeake Academy sweatshirt (optional)  
Navy or white socks or tights

**Dress Uniform:** \*Hunter plaid jumper  
White Peter Pan collar blouse (long or short sleeve)  
Navy crewneck cardigan  
Neutral color shoes  
White or navy socks or tights

**Jumper, shorts, skorts length is to be between the bottom and top of the knee.**

**Boys:** Khaki pants or shorts (see below) with a neutral belt  
Polo shirt or turtleneck in white, red, or navy  
    **or** white oxford button-down collar shirt (long or short sleeve)  
Navy pullover crewneck sweater (seasonal)  
\*\*Chesapeake Academy sweatshirt (optional)  
White or navy socks

**Dress Uniform:** Khaki pants with neutral belt  
White oxford button-down collar shirt (long or short sleeve)  
Neutral color shoes  
Dark socks

**Shorts/Skorts may be worn until Thanksgiving and from the first day of Spring. See the back page for Tag Day Dress guidelines. Grade 4 students must have the PE uniform for the 4th-5th soccer play day in the fall and the 4th-5th basketball play day in the winter. Grade 3 and 4 students are encouraged, but not required, to have a PE uniform for regular PE classes.**

**Grades 5 through 8:**

**Girls:** \*Hunter plaid kilt or shirt  
    **or** Khaki pants **or** shorts/skorts (see below) with neutral belt  
Polo shirt or turtleneck in white, red, or navy  
    **or** white oxford button-down collar shirt (long or short sleeve)  
\*\*Chesapeake Academy sweatshirt (optional)  
White or navy socks or tights (ankle socks must be visible above the shoe)  
Closed toe shoes

**Dress Uniform:** \*Hunter plaid kilt or skirt  
White oxford button-down collar shirt (long or short sleeve)  
Navy blazer  
Neutral color shoes

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White or navy socks or tights, or neutral hose  
Skirt, short and skort lengths: knee length to 3/4 thigh

**Boys:** Khaki pants or shorts (see below) with a neutral belt  
Polo shirt or turtleneck in white, red, or navy  
    **or** white oxford button-down collar shirt (long or short sleeve)  
\*\*Chesapeake Academy sweatshirt (optional)  
White or navy socks  
Closed toe shoes

Dress Uniform: Khaki pants with neutral belt  
White oxford button-down collar shirt (long or short sleeve)  
Navy blazer  
\*Hunter plaid tie  
Neutral color shoes  
Dark socks

**\*\*PE Uniform for boys and girls grades 5-8:**

Navy mesh CA athletic shorts  
White CA t-shirt  
Athletic shoes and white socks  
CA navy sweatshirt and sweatpant (optional)

**Notes for Boys and Girls:**

- Uniform shirts may not show any logo. Pants may have a discreet logo at the belt line. Painter's pants and cargo pants are not allowed. Uniform sweaters must be "unadorned" knit (e.g. no cable stitch).
- Sweatshirts other than Chesapeake Academy logo-wear shirts are not allowed.
- Leather dress shoes are acceptable any time, but are required for dress uniform. Canvas shoes or other athletic shoes in white, off-white, navy, gray, black, or brown may be worn for everyday wear and with the dress uniform on Wednesdays on campus only. All shoes must be closed toe. Athletic shoes are required for PE.
- Grade 4 students must have the PE uniform for the 4th-5th soccer play day in the fall and 4th-5th basketball play day in the winter.
- Shorts may be worn until Thanksgiving and from the first day of Spring.

**TAG DAY:** By contributing fifty cents to the Student Council on the last Wednesday of the month to support community service projects, students may dress in non-uniform clothing for the day. Appropriate Tag Day attire is non-uniform, but acceptable "nice school clothing" (standard looking clothing which is in good repair and fits the student.) Lengths of skirts, shorts, dresses must be in keeping with comparable uniform items. All students in Kindergarten through 8th grade participate in Tag Day.