

**THE GIFFORD SCHOOL CALENDAR
2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR**

SUMMER PROGRAM 2016

JUNE	29	Wednesday	All Staff Orientation (2 days)
JULY	1	Friday	Summer Program Begins – Students
	4	Monday	School Closed – Independence Day
	29	Friday	Summer Program Ends at Noon *

ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR 2016 - 2017

AUG.	23	Tuesday	Administration Orientation (1 day)
	24	Wednesday	Program Leaders Orientation (2 days)
	26	Friday	All Staff Orientation (4 days)
SEPT.	1	Thursday	First Day of School – Students
	5	Monday	Labor Day – <i>School Closed</i>
	8	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
OCT.	3	Monday	Rosh Hashanah – <i>School Closed</i>
	6	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	10	Monday	Columbus Day – <i>School Closed</i>
	12	Wednesday	Yom Kippur – <i>School Closed</i>
NOV.	3	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	11	Friday	Veterans Day – <i>School Closed</i>
	23	Wednesday	Thanksgiving Break – Noon Dismissal
	28	Monday	School Reopens
DEC.	1	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	23	Friday	Winter Vacation – Noon Dismissal
JAN.	3	Tuesday	School Reopens
	5	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	16	Monday	Martin Luther King Day – <i>School Closed</i>
FEB.	2	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	17	Friday	February Vacation – Noon Dismissal
	27	Monday	School Reopens
MARCH	2	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
APRIL	6	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	13	Thursday	Spring Vacation – Noon Dismissal
	24	Monday	School Reopens
MAY	4	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	29	Monday	Memorial Day – <i>School Closed</i>
JUNE	1	Thursday	Staff Training – Noon Dismissal
	2	Friday	Last Day of School for Eligible Seniors
	22	Thursday	Last Day of School Year <i>Includes 5 snow days</i>

<p>School Program Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM Office Hours: Mon. - Th. 7:30 AM - 3:30 PM, Fri. - 3:00PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>NOON DISMISSALS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st Thursday of each month for staff training • Last day of school and the day before the last day of school <p style="text-align: center;">School Closings announced on WBZ, WCVB, and WHDH</p>
