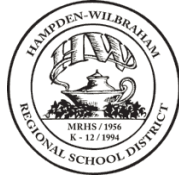


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February 1, 2019

Dear HWRSD Community,

As January 2019 comes to an end, it is time to remind our HWRSD families and staff that our traditional February vacation has been reduced this year.

The schedule for the February break will be as follows:

Thursday, February 14: Early Release for Professional Learning (see chart below for dismissal times)
Friday, February 15: No School
Monday, February 18: No School – Presidents' Day
Tuesday, February 19: Back to School

The 2018-2019 School Calendar was approved a year ago with the expectation that barring a harsh snowy winter, the last day of school will be Monday, June 10, 2019. The reduction to the February break is to ensure a continuous uninterrupted education. Attendance during these days is a priority.

A survey will be sent to gather feedback on the changes that were made to the school calendar. Please be sure to take the time to complete the survey when it becomes available.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Albert G. Ganem, Jr.".

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Superintendent of Schools

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Early Release Dismissal Time

Minnechaug Regional:	@ 11:00 a.m.
Wilbraham Middle:	@ 11:00 a.m.
Green Meadows:	@ 11:45 a.m.
Mile Tree:	@ 11:45 a.m.
Soule Road:	@ 11:45 a.m.
Stony Hill:	@ 11:45 a.m.
<u>No Afternoon PreK on Early Release Days</u>	

In pursuit of educational excellence, the Hampden-Wilbraham Regional School District envisions an interactive learning community of creative, passionate thinkers in a safe and healthy environment, embracing opportunities to contribute to and compete in a global society while valuing honesty, integrity, responsibility, and respect for each individual.