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Castilleja School's Weekly Schedule 2010-2011

8:00 1L	8:00		Thursday	Friday
75 min	7L 75 min	AP Science begins at 8:20 am	8:00 6L 75 min	8:00 5L 75 min
Break	9:15 Break 20 min	8:45 5 50 min	9:15 Break	9:15 Break
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Clubs/Conference 25 min	US Meeting 25 min 3:15	2:40 1 50 min	MS Meeting US Class Meetings 25 min 25 min 3:15 25 min	2:43 Clubs/Conference 25 min 3:15

Mission Statement

Women Learning • Women Leading

Castilleja School inspires a quest for knowledge and learning that lasts a lifetime. To prepare our students for the wider world, we infuse our challenging college preparatory program with a global curriculum that fosters awareness, compassion, and engagement with issues beyond Castilleja. Our comprehensive academic program and extensive cocurricular offerings develop in each student the self-confidence to reach her full potential.

Above all, our faculty and staff dedicate themselves to excellence in educating young women and in cultivating young leaders.

Philosophy

Castilleja School, established in 1907, is dedicated to providing a rigorous college preparatory education for young women in grades six through twelve. It is the only non-sectarian all-girls middle and high school in the San Francisco Bay Area. Located in Palo Alto, the school benefits from the proximity of Stanford University and Silicon Valley, and its student body reflects the region's ethnic and economic diversity.

Castilleja's philosophy is shaped by both tradition and current research that affirm the academic and personal advantages of girls' schools. We demonstrate this conviction in the conscious attention we pay to the needs, issues, pedagogies, and opportunities particular to girls. While our emphasis is on the development of the intellect, Castilleja is committed to the education of the whole person: heart, body, and spirit as well as mind.

Castilleja is committed to excellence. We believe in small classes led by dedicated teachers who exhibit strong academic preparation, enthusiasm for teaching and learning, and concern for each student. We value a curriculum that blends traditional teaching with thoughtful innovation, and we applaud both individual achievement and successful collaboration. We expect students to master information, use technology effectively, and develop the critical thinking skills that support life-long learning. Castilleja recognizes the importance of parents who are involved with their daughters' education and encourages them to work in partnership with the school.

Castilleja fosters leadership in the classroom and through a wide assortment of extra-curricular offerings, including team sports, clubs, community service projects, student government, dramatic and musical performances, peer tutoring and counseling, art and science exhibits, teaching assistantships, and exchange programs. We recognize each student's individuality and help her excel in her unique interests.

Castilleja expects its students to participate as citizens of a small school and a larger world. We promote, through experience and example, the development of self-confidence and concern for others, and the capacity for responsible risk-taking and ethical decision-making. Conscience, Courtesy, Character, Courage and Charity - Castilleja's Five C's which date back to the school's founding headmistress - still resonate, reminding students that personal values must accompany academic achievement.

Castilleja prepares its graduates to succeed at the most competitive colleges in the nation and to pursue lives committed to personal fulfillment, social responsibility, and leadership.

Castilleja School Honor Code

At Castilleja, courtesy, charity, conscience, character, and courage are all qualities that make an honorable young woman. Castilleja encourages its students to incorporate the 5 C's into their daily lives both inside and outside of school. This honor code will serve to uphold these values, which are the core of our community.

As a member of the Castilleja community, and recognizing that this community is one based on the promotion of trust and respect among the faculty, students, and staff:

I will act with a sense of integrity and honesty in all of my endeavors at Castilleja.

I will be respectful of the property of others, both academic and personal.

I will neither give nor receive unauthorized aid, as defined by my teachers both explicitly and implicitly, on any of my academic work.

I will not violate others verbally, sexually, physically, or otherwise.

I will assume that others will act with the same honorable intentions I would like them to ascribe to me.

As a member of the Castilleja community, I am pledging to uphold all the above statements in order to create an environment of respect, trust, and mutual academic and emotional growth.

On all my work, my name affirms my honor.

Commitment to Understand, Recognize, and Enhance Diversity

Castilleja is first and foremost an educational community. It is the collective responsibility of the faculty, students, staff, administration, parents, and trustees to sustain a framework conducive to learning and to foster behavior built on trust, respect, compassion, and appreciation for individual differences and ideas. All members of the community are entitled to their views, mutual respect, and courtesy. The school will neither disparage any personal or family choice, belief, or point of view, nor condone any expression of intolerance for community members or the school's commitment to diversity. In order to prepare students for the world in which they will live, and in keeping with the Mission Statement, Castilleja School dedicates itself to an open environment in which all people, regardless of race, color, creed, gender, marital status, age, sexual orientation, political beliefs, physical abilities, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, or religion, can thrive.



August 2010 National Water Quality Month								
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
1	2	3	4 Ramadan	5	6	7		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
	US Athletic Practices Begin							
15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
	ASB Retreat	Required Student Activities on campus Class deans will provide details	Required Student Activities on campus Class deans will provide details	1st Day of School Opening Day Tie Ceremony Dress Whites	School Picture Day Regular Uniform			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
29	30	Opening Senior Dinner 31						
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September	2010
National Hispanic-American He	ritage Month

National Hispanic-American Heritage Month								
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
			10th Grade Retreat	10th Grade Retreat 7th Grade Retreat	10th Grade Retreat 7th Grade Retreat			
			1	2	3	4		
	Labor Day No School	9th Grade Retreat	9th Grade Retreat	Rosh Hashanah		ACT		
			Rosh Hashanah begins as sundown					
5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
		Back to School Night Special Schedule				Yom Kippur		
					Yom Kippur begins at sundown			
12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
					Non-Uniform Day Gator Gathering			
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
			School Picture Retake Day	6th Grade Retreat				
26	27	28	29	30				
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October 2010 National Family Health Month							
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
					6th Grade Retreat Upper School Event		
					1 No School	SAT SAT	
3	4 Columbus Day No School School Closed	5	6	7	8	9 PSAT NMSQT	
10 Middle School Open House 1:00-3:30 pm	11	12	13 Middle School Conferences	14 Middle School Conferences	15 Faculty Work Day No School Middle School Conferences	ACT Ludi Octobres	
24	18 25	19 26	20	21 Upper School Open House 6:00 - 8:30 pm 28	22 Halloween Observed Non-Uniform Day Middle School Event 29	23	
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November 2010 American Indian Heritage Month

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat Diwali SAT Father-Daughter Dinner Dance 1 2 3 5 6 4 Marie Curie's Veterans' Day Middle School Birthday Observed Open House Daylight Saving 8:30 - 1:00 am Time ends US Fall Play US Fall Play 7:30 pm 7:30 pm 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 AMC 8 Grandparents' Day Dress Whites TEDx Event US Fall Play 2:00 pm JSA Fall State Santa Clara 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 Non-Uniform Day Thanksgiving Thanksgiving No School Holiday Begins Holiday JSA Fall State No School No School Santa Clara No Homework Weekend 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 October December тwт F S M S s Μ тwт S 4 2 2 3 1 5 10 11 4 56 7 8 9 6 7 9 3 8 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 26 27 28 29 30 31 31

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Hannukah begins at sundown	MSSG Elections		SAT
						Upper School Open House 8:30 - 1:00 am
			1	2	3	4
		Choral/Orchestra Performance 7:30 pm		Hannukah ends		ACT ISEE Testing 8:30 am-12:30 pm
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Non-Uniform Day Upper Sch Exams Middle School Attends Classes 8th Grd 1 Act Play	Non-Uniform Day Upper School Exams Middle School Attends Classes	Non-Uniform Day Upper School Exams Middle School Attends Classes	Non-Uniform Day Upper Sch Exams MS Attends Classes Early Dismissal	No Homework Weekend
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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January 2011 National Volunteer Blood Donor Month

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						New Year's Day
						Winter Break
						Global Investigator Trips begin Grade 11 1
	Classes Resume				End of First Semester	ISEE Testing
	<	G L (OBAL W	ЕЕК	>	8:30 am-12:30 pm
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Global Investiga- tor Trips return Grade 11	Faculty Work Day No School	Second Semester begins				
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday (observed) No School					SAT Winter Formal
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
					Non-Uniform Day	FOMF
					FOMF Middle School Musical 7:30 pm	Middle School Musical 7:30 pm
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
FOMF Middle School Musical 2:00 pm 30	31				December s M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	February s M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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February 2011 African-American Heritage Month								
Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat								
			Groundhog Day	Chinese New Year		JSA Congress '11 Sacramento		
		1	2	3	4	5		
JSA Congress '11 Sacramento		AMC 10/12			Arts with a Heart 7:30 pm	ACT Arts with a Heart 7:30 pm		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
	Valentine's Day				Non-Uniform Day	No Homework Weekend		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19		
	President's Day	FEBR	UARY B	REAK	>			
20	21	22	23	24	25	26		
27	28							
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March	2011
National Women's H	listory Month

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					MUN Upper School Event	MUN
		1	2	3	4	5
MUN	CAIS/Professional Development Day No School		Sophomore Career Day		Middle School Event	SAT view360
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Daylight Saving Time begins	Pi Day			St. Patrick's Day	Faculty Work Day No School	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Junior/Senior Rivalry begins 5:00 pm	Junior/Senior Rivalry	Junior/Senior Rivalry	Junior/Senior Rivalry		
27	28	29	30	31		
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April 2011 National Child Abuse Prevention Month							
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
					April Fool's Day Rivalry Junior/Senior Banquet (Incl Sophomores)		
					1	ACT 2	
3	4	5	6	7	JSA Spring State Santa Clara Upper School Spring Musical 7:30 pm 8	JSA Spring State US Spring Musical 7:30 pm 8th Grade DC Trip ^{begins} 9	
8th Grade DC Trip JSA Spring State Santa Clara US Spring Musical	8th Grade DC Trip	8th Grade DC Trip	8th Grade DC Trip	8th Grade DC Trip	Non-Uniform Day 8th Grade DC Trip ends	No Homework Weekend	
2:00 pm 10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
					Earth Day Good Friday		
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17	Passover begins at sundown 18	19	20	21	22	23	
Easter		Shakespeare's Birthday Observed			Founder's Day Luncheon 12:30 pm Dress Whites		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
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May 2011 National Teacher Recognition Month							
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
	<	Adva	nced Placement H		>	SAT	
				Cinco de Mayo MSSG Elections			
					Middle School Event		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Mother's Day	<	Advai	nced Placement E	xams	>		
8	9	10	11	12	Middle School Big/Little Sister BBQ 13	14	
	Junior Retreat	Junior Retreat		12	6th Grade Festival		
					of Antiquity	Prom	
		Celebration of Sports 6 - 8 pm		8th Grade One Act Play			
15	16	17	18	19 Senior Retreat	20 Senior Retreat	21	
				Last Day of	Non-Uniform Day		
				Classes ASB Election	Exams		
	Choral/Orchestra Performance		Middle School Science Explo	ASB Election			
22	7:30 pm 23	24	25	26	27	28	
	Memorial Day	Non-Uniform Day					
	No School	Exams					
29	30	31					
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June 2011 National Zoo and Aquarium Month								
Sun	Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat							
			Non-Uniform Day Exams	Exams Class Day 1pm Dress Whites	8th Grade Promotion 1pm on the Circle Required for MS Dress Whites Baccalaureate 6 pm	SAT Commencement 2:30 pm on the Circle Juniors wear Dress Whites		
	E		1	2	3	4 ACT		
	Exam Review (time TBA)					ACT		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
Father's Day 19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
26	27	28	29	30				
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July 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					Canada Day	
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	Independence Day					
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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August 2011 National Water Quality Month								
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