

Recruitment and Selection Timeline

Recruitment is an ongoing process and often occurs year round. Timelines may vary according to personnel type (i.e., teacher, principal, classified staff).

Timeline	Recruitment and Selection Activities by HCMS Standard
Fall/Winter	Strategic Staffing: Workforce Planning
	Analyze staffing requirements to meet strategic goals.
	Create or update job descriptions to reflect position requirements.
	Strategic Staffing: Sourcing & Recruiting
	Identify sources of high-quality candidates.
	Work with education preparation programs to do field/clinical placements.
	Develop/update a recruitment strategy.
	Implement the recruitment strategy.
	Strategic Staffing: Selection & Placement
	Develop/update a selection process.
Spring	Strategic Staffing: Sourcing & Recruiting
	Implement the recruitment strategy.
	Partner with educator preparation programs.
	Strategic Staffing: Selection & Placement
	Train employees involved in hiring on the process, including how to avoid bias and inappropriate interview questions.
	Select and hire staff.
	Determine placements for new and existing staff.
Summer	Talent Management & Development: Onboarding
	 Orient new employees to the organization. Note: Orientation emphasizes transactional activities (e.g. mandatory paperwork, benefits enrollment, key policies). This is a shorter event and culminates in a one-time event typically held before employee's first day.
	Onboard new employees. Note: Onboarding helps new employees adjust to performance and cultural aspects of their role and the organization. This is longer in duration and involves a series of events including mentoring and support. Talant Management & Development Training & Development.
	Talent Management & Development: Training & Development
	Coordinate training and professional development programs.