ST. THOMAS MORE FELLOWS

FIRST-YEAR TIMELINE

A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF WHAT YOUR FIRST YEAR WILL LOOK LIKE AS A NEW ST. THOMAS MORE FELLOW

LATE MAY

ARRIVE IN BOSTON AREA AND GET MOVED INTO SUMMER HOUSING (TEMP HOUSING IS PROVIDED FOR JUNE AND JULY).

LATE JUNE - JULY

AFTER SHADOWING, FELLOWS SPEND THE REST OF JUNE AND JULY AT NEW TEACHER ACADEMY, GAINING THE FORMATION AND PRACTICAL SKILLS NECESSARY TO BECOME EFFECTIVE EDUCATORS.

SEPTEMBER - JUNE

FELLOWS BEGIN THE SCHOOL
YEAR AFTER LABOR DAY
WEEKEND. THROUGHOUT THE
YEAR, EACH TEACHER REMAINS
CONNECTED TO THE FELLOWSHIP
THROUGH SMALL GROUPS,
FORMATION NIGHTS, RETREATS,
AND OTHER COMMUNITY OUTINGS.

EARLY JUNE

FOR ROUGHLY THE FIRST TWO WEEKS OF JUNE, NEW FELLOWS SHADOW VETERAN TEACHERS IN ONE OF OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS TO GET A PEEK INTO LIFE IN THE CLASSROOM.

AUGUST

AT THE START OF AUGUST,
FELLOWS MOVE INTO THEIR OWN
HOUSING. DURING THIS MONTH,
TEACHERS LESSON PLAN (UNDER
THE GUIDANCE OF A MENTOR) TO
PREPARE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR.

YEAR 2 BEGINS

NOTE: ONE OF OUR MOST FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS IS REGARDING WHEN NEW FELLOWS TYPICALLY KNOW WHAT SCHOOL THEY WILL BE WORKING AT. THE ANSWER VARIES FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL, BUT THE MAJORITY OF OUR NEW FELLOWS ACCEPT A JOB OFFER SOMETIME BETWEEN MARCH AND JUNE LEADING UP TO THE SCHOOL YEAR. THIS IS WHEN MOST SCHOOLS FIND OUT ABOUT THEIR OPENINGS FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR. THE ST. THOMAS MORE FELLOWS PROGRAM IS COMMITTED TO HELPING YOU THROUGH THE APPLICATION PROCESS AND PROVIDING GUIDANCE TO GET YOU INTO A SCHOOL THAT WE BELIEVE YOU WILL BEAR THE MOST FRUIT IN.