



2017-2018 Key Dates

August 2017

Tuesday	August 8	First Day Teachers/Holy Eucharist & Breakfast
Friday	August 11	Family/Teacher Conference Day
Sunday	August 13	Preschool & Kindergarten Parent Orientation, 4:30-6:00
Monday	August 14	Patrol Training, 8:15
		Student Visiting Day, 9:00-11:00
Tuesday	August 15	First Day All Students
		1st-8th grade Convocation/Welcome Back Coffee
		1st Quarter Begins
Tuesday	August 22	1st-8th grade Parent Orientation, 6:00-7:30
Sunday	August 27	New Family Social

September

Friday	September 1	12pm Dismissal/Professional ½ Day
		Extended Day Open
Monday	September 4	Labor Day/School & Extended Day Closed
Friday	September 29	Family Fall Social 5:30-7:30

October

Wednesday	October 4	Episcopal Schools Celebration 5th-8th grade
Friday	October 6	End of 1st Quarter
		12pm Dismissal/Professional ½ Day
		Extended Day Open
Monday	October 9	Columbus Day/School Closed
		Extended Day Open, Reservations Required
Tuesday	October 10	2nd Quarter Begins
Tues –Thurs	October 24-26	Book Fair
Wednesday	October 25	Grandparents & Special Friends Day 8-11:30
Tuesday	October 31	Fall Party PK3 & PK4, 11:30
		Fall Party K-6th grade, 2:30

November

Wednesday	November 1	Family/Teacher Conferences - School Closed 1st-8th grades
		School Open PK3-K
		Extended Day Open
Friday	November 3	12pm Dismissal/Professional ½ Day
		Extended Day Open
Wednesday	November 15	No Chapel
Friday	November 17	Ingathering
		Preschool Dismissal Immediately Following the Feast
		1st-8th grade Dismissal, 11:00
		Afternoon Extended Day Closed
Mon-Fri	November 20-24	Thanksgiving Break - School & Extended Day Closed

December

Friday	December 1 12pm	Dismissal/Professional ½ Day
		Extended Day Open
Wednesday	December 13	No Chapel
		Christmas Party PK3 & PK4, 11:30
Thursday	December 14	Christmas Party K-6th, 2:30
Friday	December 15	End of 2nd Quarter
		Preschool Christmas Program, 9:00
		Dismissal for PK3 – K Immediately Following Program
		Lessons and Carols 1st – 8th grades, 10:30
		Dismissal for 1st-8th grades Immediately Following Lessons & Carols
		Afternoon Extended Day Closed
Mon-Tues	Dec 18-Jan 2	Christmas Break – School & Extended Day Closed

*Please Note: Dates and times are subject to change.
For the most up-to-date information, visit the school calendar at www.geds.net.*

2017-2018 Key Dates, continued

January 2018

Tuesday	January 2	Professional Day Faculty - School Closed Extended Day Open
Wednesday	January 3	Students Return from Christmas Break 3rd Quarter Begins
Friday	January 5	Full Day of School
Monday	January 15	Martin Luther King Day/School & Extended Day Closed
Sunday	January 28	Grace Episcopal Day School Sunday, 10:30

February

Friday	February 2	12pm Dismissal/Professional ½ Day Extended Day Open Father/Daughter Dance
Wednesday	February 14	Valentine's Day Party PK3 & PK4, 11:30 Valentine's Day Party K-2nd grades, 2:30
Friday	February 16	School Closed Extended Day Open Reservations Required
Saturday	February 17	8K River Day
Monday	February 19	Presidents' Day - School & Extended Day Closed

March

Friday	March 2 12pm	Dismissal/Professional ½ Day Extended Day Open
Mon-Fri	March 5-9	Spirit Week
Friday	March 9	End of 3rd Quarter Field day 1st-6th grades
Mon-Fri	March 12-16	Spring Break/Extended Day TBD
Monday	March 19	4th Quarter Begins
Wednesday	March 28	PK3 & PK4 Easter Party, 11:30 K Easter Party, 2:30
Friday	March 30	Good Friday – School & Extended Day Closed

April

Monday	April 2	Easter Monday – School & Extended Day Closed
Wednesday	April 4	Talent Show 1st-8th grade
Friday	April 6	12pm Dismissal/Professional ½ Day Extended Day Open
Mon-Fri	April 16-20	Standardized Testing (SAT) Week
Saturday	April 21	Annual Dinner & AUCTION!!

May

Tuesday	May 1	Grandparents & Special Friends Picnic, 11:15-12:15 Arts and Music Night, 5:00 art gallery opens, 6:30 class performances
Friday	May 4	12pm Dismissal/Professional ½ Day Extended Day Open
Wednesday	May 23	PK3-K Field Day/End of Year Party, 11:30
Thursday	May 24	PK3-K Convocation/Last Day of School for PK3-K 1st-6th grades End of Year Party, 2:30 Extended Day Open
Friday	May 25	8th Grade Graduation Dinner 8th Grade Graduation, 10:00 Last Day of School 1st-8th grade Afternoon Extended Day Closed