

ST. PATRICK'S EPISCOPAL DAY SCHOOL

PARENT CALENDAR FOR 2019-2020

AUGUST

11, Sunday	Eid Al-Adha (Begins at sundown)
19, Monday	School Office Staff Returns
29, Thursday	Kindergarten, Grade 6, and New Student (1-8) Open House

SEPTEMBER

2, Monday	LABOR DAY - HOLIDAY
3, Tuesday	School Opening (K-8) Upper School (6-8) – 8:00 am Upper School (4-5) – 8:05 am Lower School (K-3) – 8:15 am Kindergarten - DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm MacArthur Campus (6-8) - DISMISSAL – 3:15 pm PAC/Extended Day Begins: Kindergarten – 12:10-6:00 pm Grades 1-5 – 3:00-6:00 pm Grades 6-8 – 3:15-6:00 pm
3-4, Tues-Wed.	Nursery School Home Visits by Appointment
4, Wednesday	New Nursery School Student Orientation – 9:00-10:30 am Kindergarten - DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm Upper School (5-8) Fall Interscholastic Athletics Begin – 3:00 pm
4-6, Wed.-Fri.	Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (K) by Appointment
5-6, Thurs.Fri.	Nursery School Opens – 8:30 am
5, Thursday	Nursery School - DISMISSAL – 11:50 am PAC/Extended Day Begins (Nursery School) Kindergarten - DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm
6, Friday	Opening Chapel for Students & Parents - Kindergarten-Grade 8 – 8:30 am Early Dismissal, Whitehaven Campus (K-5) – 12:10 pm MacArthur Campus (6-8) - Regular Day Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (K-5) by Appointment Parents of Asian Students in Alliance (PASIA) Welcome Reception – 6:00-7:30 pm
8, Sunday	Parents of Black Students Association (PBSA) Picnic - Watkins Park – Noon-2:00 pm
9, Monday	First Full Day of Kindergarten – 8:15 am First Full Day of PK – 8:30 am Nursery Lunch Bunch Begins – 11:50 am Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (Grade 2) by Appointment
10, Tuesday	Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (Grade 3) by Appointment

11, Wednesday Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (Grade 1) by Appointment
 12, Thursday Upper School Athletics Coffee – 8:15 am
 Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (Grade 5) by Appointment
 13, Friday Room Parent Meeting – 8:15 am
 Opening Parent-Teacher Conferences (Grade 4) by Appointment
 Green & White Night – 6:00-8:00 pm
 16, Monday After-School Clubs Begin - Session I
 19, Thursday Fall Developmental Athletics (3-8) Begin
MacArthur Campus (6-8) Back-to-School Night – 6:00-8:00 pm
 20, Friday Kindergarten Books, Bears, Blankets – 8:15-9:00 am
 Twenty-First Annual Battle of the Books – 2:00 pm
 Club San Patricio Reception – 5:00-7:00 pm
 24, Tuesday Grade 8 Parent Coffee: Secondary School Discussion – 8:00 am
 26, Thursday **Nursery School Opening Chapel - Reception for Parents Follows – 8:45 am**
 Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm
Kindergarten-Grade 5 Back-to-School Night – 6:00-8:00 pm
 29, Sunday Rosh Hashanah (Begins at sundown)

OCTOBER

1, Tuesday Writing & Learning Center Series: Starting School Right – 8:15 am
 No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel
 2, Wednesday **Grade 3 Trip - Hemlock Overlook – 8:30 am-6:00 pm**
 No Grades 3-5 Chapel
 Vision Screening - Grade 2, Grade 4, New Elementary Students, Referrals
Nursery School Back-to-School Night – 6:00-8:00 pm
2-4, Wed.-Fri. Grade 6 Trip - Echo Hill
 3, Thursday **St. Francis Day - Kindergarten-Grade 5 Chapel – 8:30 am**
 No Nursery School Chapel
 Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm
 8, Tuesday School Pictures - Grades 5-8
 MAESA Episcopal Schools Day Service - National Cathedral – 10:00 am
 Yom Kippur (Begins at sundown)
 10, Thursday School Pictures - Kindergarten-Grade 3
 Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm
 MacArthur Campus Parent Meeting: Health Awareness – 7:00 pm
10-11, Thurs.-Fri. Grade 5 Trip - Outdoor Learning Center at Horizons
11, Friday Fall Trimester Midterm
 School Pictures - Nursery School and Grade 4
 No After-School Clubs
 PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm
 14, Monday **FALL BREAK - NO SCHOOL**
 15, Tuesday Parent Series: Positive Discipline, Nursery-Grade 1 – 6:30-8:30 pm

16, Wednesday Parents Association Open Meeting – 8:30 am
Middle School Math Meet - Washington Episcopal – 2:45 pm
Nursery, PK, and Kindergarten Parent Receptions – 6:00 pm

17, Thursday Grade 5 Parent Coffee: MacArthur Campus Preview – 8:15 am
Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm

18, Friday **PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES FOR GRADES 1-8**
NO SCHOOL - GRADES 1-8
Regular Day - Nursery School-Kindergarten
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal for Contracted Students – 5:00 pm

19, Saturday Family Fun Day – 1:00-4:00 pm

20, Sunday Horizons 5K & Fun Run - Norwood – 8:30 am

21, Monday **PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES FOR GRADES 1-8**
NO SCHOOL - GRADES 1-8
Regular Day - Nursery School-Kindergarten
Vision Screening - PK1, PK2, PK3
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal for Contracted Students – 5:00 pm

22, Tuesday Parent Series: Positive Discipline, Nursery-Grade 1 – 6:30-8:30 pm

24, Thursday Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm
Community Conversation – 6:30-8:30 pm

25, Friday MAESA Early Childhood Educators Conference
NO SCHOOL - NURSERY SCHOOL
PAC/Extended Day Available for Nursery School
Regular Day - Kindergarten-Grade 8
MacArthur Campus Game Night – 6:00-8:00 pm

27, Sunday Diwali Begins

29, Tuesday **Grade 4 Trip - Sails on *Sultana***
Writing & Learning Center Series: Relaxation and Self-Regulation - Dr. Mary Alvord – 8:15 am
Parent Series: Positive Discipline, Nursery-Grade 1– 6:30-8:30 pm

31, Thursday No Nursery School Chapel
HALLOWEEN PARADES
Nursery School – 9:00-9:30 am
Kindergarten-Grade 8 – 1:45-2:30 pm
No After-School Clubs
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm

NOVEMBER

1, Friday **Professional Day - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS**
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm

3, Sunday All Saints Sunday
Daylight Saving Ends

4, Monday Upper School Winter/Spring Athletics Coffee – 8:15 am

5, Tuesday **All Saints Day and All Souls Day - Kindergarten-Grade 8 Chapel – 8:30 am**
Parent Series: Positive Discipline, Nursery-Grade 1 – 6:30-8:30 pm

- 6, Wednesday No Grades 3-5 Chapel
Hearing Screening - PK, K, New Elementary Students, Referrals
- 7, Thursday Grade 4 Music Presentation Preview: Journeys – 1:30 pm
Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm
Admission Program – 6:30-8:30 pm
- 8, Friday **PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES FOR NURSERY SCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN**
NO SCHOOL - NURSERY SCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN
Regular Day - Grades 1-8
PAC/Extended Day Available for Nursery, PK, Kindergarten
No MacArthur Campus Chapel
Grade 4 Music Presentation: Journeys – 1:30 pm
Upper School (5-8) Fall Interscholastic Athletics End
Special-Consideration Candidate Applications Due - Nursery, PK
- 11, Monday Veterans Day
Upper School (5-8) Winter Interscholastic Athletics Begin
- 12, Tuesday Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am
Parent Series: Positive Discipline, Nursery-Grade 1 – 6:30-8:30 pm
- 14, Thursday Grade 3 States Inquiry Presentation – 8:30-9:30 am
Grade 8 SSAT Prep – 3:30-5:00 pm
- 15, Friday Community Folk Dance
- 16, Saturday SSAT Test – 8:30 am
- 19-21, Tues.-Thurs. Book Fair
Parent Series: Positive Discipline, Nursery-Grade 1 – 6:30-8:30 pm
- 20, Wednesday Make-Up Day for School Pictures
- 21, Thursday Environmental Sustainability Presentation – 8:30 am
- 24, Sunday Episcopal Schools Sunday – 10:00 am
- 26, Tuesday **Fall Trimester Ends**
GRANDPARENTS & SPECIAL FRIENDS VISITING DAY - Kindergarten-Grade 5 – 8:15 am
THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY BEGINS - REGULAR DISMISSAL
No After-School Clubs
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm
- 27-29, Wed.-Fri. **THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
- 29, Friday Special-Consideration Candidate Supporting Materials Due - Nursery, PK

DECEMBER

- 1, Sunday Advent Begins
- 2, Monday **Professional Day - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS**
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal for Contracted Students – 5:00 pm
- 3, Tuesday **RETURN TO SCHOOL**
Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am
- 7, Saturday Gifts for Good - Alternative Holiday Gift Fair – 11:00 am-2:00 pm
- 9, Monday Eighteenth Annual Parents of Black Students Association (PBSA) Holiday Potluck – 5:30-7:00 pm
- 10, Tuesday No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel

11, Wednesday	Holiday Concert Preview (K-8) – 8:30-10:00 am
12, Thursday	Holiday Concert – 7:00 pm
13, Friday	No MacArthur Campus Chapel
14, Saturday	SSAT Test (Area Schools) – 8:30 am
17, Tuesday	No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel Home for the Holidays - Grade 8 Classes of 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019 – 4:00-5:30 pm
18, Wednesday	No Grades 3-5 Chapel
19, Thursday	No Nursery School Chapel
20, Friday	CHRISTMAS PAGEANTS Nursery/PK/Kindergarten/Grade 8 – 9:30 am Grades 1-7 – 11:00 am NURSERY SCHOOL DISMISSAL – 11:50 am LOWER SCHOOL, UPPER SCHOOL DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY BEGINS PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm
22, Sunday	Hanukkah (Begins at sundown)
23-3, Mon.-Fri.	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL
25, Wednesday	CHRISTMAS DAY
26, Thursday	Kwanzaa Begins

JANUARY

6, Monday	Epiphany RETURN TO SCHOOL
7, Tuesday	Epiphany Day - Kindergarten-Grade 8 Chapel – 8:30 am
8, Wednesday	No Grades 3-5 Chapel
10, Friday	No MacArthur Campus Chapel
11, Saturday	Admission Program – 9:15-11:45 am
13, Monday	After-School Clubs Begin - Session II
14, Tuesday	No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am
15, Wednesday	Writing & Learning Center Series: Healthy Relationships with Food – 8:15 am No Grades 3-5 Chapel
17, Friday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day Kindergarten-Grade 5 Chapel – 8:30 am MacArthur Campus (6-8) Chapel – 2:00 pm No After-School Clubs PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm Admission Applications Due
20, Monday	MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY - NO SCHOOL
24, Friday	Winter Trimester Midterm Geography Bee – 9:30 am Cake Raffle – 1:00 pm Admission Supporting Materials Deadline

Student Reenrollment Contracts Available Online
 Financial Aid Application Due to TADS (Applicant and Current Families)
 Financial Aid Supporting Documents Due to TADS (Applicant Families Only)
 Lunar New Year Celebration - 6:00-7:30 pm
 25, Saturday Lunar New Year
 27-30, Mon-Thurs. **ERB Tests - Grades 2, 4-7**
 29-31, Wed.-Fri. **ERB Tests - Grade 3**
 31, Friday Family Bingo Night – 6:00-7:30 pm

FEBRUARY

4, Tuesday Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am
 7, Friday Student Reenrollment Contracts Due
 11, Tuesday ERB Coffee – 8:30 am
 Middle School Math Meet - St. Albans – 2:45 pm
 Black History Month Presentation – 6:00-7:30 pm
 13, Thursday Writing & Learning Center Series: Thriving in Middle School and Beyond - Phyllis Fagell – 8:15 am
 No Nursery School Chapel
 Vision Screening - N1, N2
14, Friday PARENTS VISITING DAY (Nursery School)
 No After-School Clubs
 PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm
 Financial Aid Supporting Documents Due to TADS (Current Families)
17, Monday PRESIDENTS DAY - NO SCHOOL
18, Tuesday Professional Day - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
 PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal for Contracted Students – 5:00 pm
 21, Friday San Patricio Café de Poetas – 6:00 pm
 25, Tuesday No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel
26, Wednesday Ash Wednesday
Kindergarten-Grade 5 Chapel – 8:30 am
MacArthur Campus (6-8) Chapel – 2:00-2:45 pm
 27, Thursday Grade 6 Shakespeare in the Park Dress Rehearsal (4-8) – 1:00 pm
 Grade 6 Shakespeare in the Park – 7:00 pm
 28, Friday Upper School (5-6) Winter Interscholastic Athletics End

MARCH

2-6, Mon.- Fri. No After-School Athletics (5-6)
 3, Tuesday National Cathedral Schools Choral Festival (5-6) – 7:30 pm
 5, Thursday **Grade 3 Trip - Jamestown – 7:00 am-6:30 pm**
6, Friday Winter Trimester Ends
 Upper School (7-8) Winter Interscholastic Athletics End
7, Saturday AUCTION and Dinner to Benefit Financial Aid Program – 6:00-11:00 pm
8, Sunday Daylight Saving Begins

9, Monday Upper School (5-8) Spring Interscholastic Athletics Begin

10, Tuesday Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am
Middle School Choral Festival - Rehearsal – 5:30-6:30 pm
Middle School Choral Festival - Concert – 7:00-8:00 pm

11, Wednesday Reception for Newly Accepted Parents – 9:30-11:00 am

12, Thursday **Regular Day - Grades 7 and 8**
NURSERY SCHOOL DISMISSAL – 11:50 am
KINDERGARTEN-GRADE 6 DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm
PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES FOR NURSERY-GRADE 6 (Afternoon Only)
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm

13, Friday **PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES FOR NURSERY-GRADE 8**
NO SCHOOL - NURSERY-GRADE 8
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal for Contracted Students – 5:00 pm

17, Tuesday **St. Patrick's Day - Kindergarten-Grade 8 Chapel – 8:30 am**
Recitation Contest – 1:00 pm

18, Wednesday No Grades 3-5 Chapel

19, Thursday Grade 5 Musical Performance Preview – 1:30 pm
Grade 5 Musical Performance – 7:00 pm

20, Friday No MacArthur Campus Chapel
SPRING BREAK BEGINS - REGULAR DISMISSAL
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm

23-27, Mon.-Fri. **SPRING BREAK - NO SCHOOL**

30, Monday **RETURN TO SCHOOL**

APRIL

2, Thursday Writing & Learning Center Series: Your Middle School Reader – 8:15 am
Spring Developmental Athletics (3-8) Begin

3, Friday Emancipation Day - MacArthur Campus (6-8) Chapel – 8:25 am
Kindergarten Preview for PK Parents – 8:45 am

4, Saturday Church Rummage Sale – 8:00 am-2:00 pm

5, Sunday Palm Sunday (Holy Week Begins)

6, Monday Grade 1 Performances by Homeroom – 8:30-9:15 am

7, Tuesday Grade 7 Parent Coffee: Secondary School Placement – 8:15 am
Emancipation Day - Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel – 8:30 am
Middle School Math Meet - St. Patrick's – 2:45 pm

8, Wednesday Emancipation Day - Grades 3-5 Chapel – 8:15 am

9, Thursday No After-School Clubs
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm

10, Friday **GOOD FRIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
Passover (Begins at sundown)

12, Sunday **EASTER**

14, Tuesday **Easter - Kindergarten-Grade 8 Chapel – 8:30 am**

15, Wednesday No Grades 3-5 Chapel
Grade 2 Performances by Homeroom – 8:30-9:15 am
Parents Association Open Meeting – 8:30 am
Grade 4 Parents: MacArthur Campus Preview – 6:30-8:00 pm

16, Thursday Emancipation Day

17, Friday No MacArthur Campus Chapel
MAESA Scholars Fair - St. Patrick's – 9:00 am-1:30 pm
Hoops for Haiti – 5:00-8:00 pm

19-1, Sun.-Fri. Festival of Ridvan

21, Tuesday Spring Concert Preview (K-8) – 8:30 am

22, Wednesday Earth Day
No Grades 3-5 Chapel
Spring Concert – 7:00 pm

23, Thursday No Nursery School Chapel

23-May 23 Ramadan (Begins at sundown)

24, Friday **Spring Trimester Midterm**
No MacArthur Campus Chapel
PK1, PK2, PK3 Music Program – 8:45 am

29-1, Wed.-Fri. **Grade 8 Trip - Civil Rights Movement**

30-1, Thurs.-Fri. **Grade 7 Trip - A More Perfect Union**
Plains Indian Culture Days (Grade 2)

30, Thursday No Nursery School Chapel

MAY

1, Friday N1, N2 Music Program – 8:45 am

6-8, Wed.-Fri. Grade 5 Dig

6, Wednesday Reception for Newly Enrolled Parents – 6:00-8:00 pm

7-8, Thurs.-Fri. Grade 4 Trip - Overnight to Lancaster, PA

8, Friday Grade 2 Celebration of American Indian Studies – 8:30 am
Upper School (5-6) Spring Interscholastic Athletics End

12, Tuesday No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel
Parents Association Executive Committee – 8:15 am
Welcome New Wolfhounds Day – 9:00-11:00 am

13, Wednesday No Grades 3-5 Chapel

14, Thursday Spring Developmental Athletics (3-8) End

15, Friday **Chapel Honoring Faculty and Staff - 8:30 am**
PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES FOR NURSERY SCHOOL
NURSERY SCHOOL CLOSED
Grade 8 Musical Performance – 1:00 pm
MacArthur Campus Performing & Studio Arts Night – 6:45 pm

20, Wednesday Kindergarten Circus Dress Rehearsal – 9:15 am

22, Friday Kindergarten Circus – 10:30 am

KINDERGARTEN-GRADE 8 DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm

No After-School Clubs
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm
23, Saturday Eid al-Fitr (Begins at sundown)
25, Monday MEMORIAL DAY - NO SCHOOL
30, Saturday New Student Playground Breakfast (N, PK, K) – 9:30-11:00 am
31, Sunday Pentecost

JUNE

1-3, Mon.-Wed. **Grades 7 and 8 Examinations – 12:30 pm Dismissal**
2, Tuesday Chapel of Celebration - Kindergarten-Grade 2 – 8:30 am
3, Wednesday Chapel of Celebration - Grades 3-5 – 8:20 am
4, Thursday Field Day - Nursery-Grade 8 – 9:30 am-1:00 pm
Grades 7 and 8 Dismissal – 1:00 pm
5, Friday Spring Trimester Ends
Grades 7 and 8 - NO SCHOOL
Closing Chapel - Nursery School – 9:15 am
8, Monday Field Day Rain Date – 9:30 am-1:00 pm
Grades 6-8 Special Projects – 12:30 pm MacArthur Campus Dismissal
Graduation Dinner – 6:00 pm
9, Tuesday No Kindergarten-Grade 2 Chapel
Grades 7 and 8 Exam Return/Grades 6-8 Special Projects – 12:30 pm MacArthur Campus Dismissal
10, Wednesday SCHOOL CLOSING
Closing Chapel - Kindergarten-Grade 8 – 11:00 am
NURSERY SCHOOL DISMISSAL – 11:50 am
LOWER SCHOOL, UPPER SCHOOL DISMISSAL – 12:10 pm
No After-School Clubs
PAC/Extended Day Early Dismissal – 5:00 pm
Graduation – 7:00 pm
22-July 31 Summer Program