



The Pennington School 2024-25 Major Dates Calendar

AUGUST

Aug 21-23	Senior Peer Leader Retreat
Aug 22-23	Junior Proctor Retreat/Training
Aug 24	Music Preseason
Aug 25-26	Drama Preseason
Aug 25-28	Varsity Athletic Preseason
Aug 29	New International Students move in
Aug 29	International Parent Reception at Corson
Aug 29-31	New International Student Orientation
Aug 30	Prefects move in at 3:00 p.m.
Aug 31	Prefect Training

SEPTEMBER

Sept 2	Returning Int'l Students, New, and Returning Domestic Boarders move in
Sept 2	OFFICES CLOSED: Labor Day
Sept 2-3	Boarding Student Program
Sept 3-4	Middle School Launch
Sept 3-4	Camp9 Retreat (Grade 9)
Sept 3	New Upper School Student/Parent Orientation
Sept 4	First day of US classes
Sept 5	Sem 1/Qtr 1 begins
Sep 6	Convocation at 7:00 p.m. All students required to attend
Sept 26	Back-to-School Night (MS and US)

OCTOBER

Oct 3	NO CLASSES: Rosh Hashanah
Oct 4-5	Homecoming
Oct 9	MS Retreat (Grades 6 and 7)
Oct 9-11	MS Retreat (Grade 8)
Oct 14	Classes in Session: Indigenous Peoples' Day

NOVEMBER

Nov 1	Sem 1/Qtr 1 ends
Nov 4	Sem 1/Qtr 2 begins
Nov 6-19	Parent/Teacher Conferences portal opens
Nov 21-23	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov 22	Half-day of classes/Parent Teacher Conf. in afternoon
Nov 23	Dorms close 12:00 p.m.
Nov 25-29	NO CLASSES: Thanksgiving Break

DECEMBER

Dec 1	Dorms open at 12:00 p.m.
Dec 20	Half-day of classes Dorms close at 4:00 p.m.

DECEMBER/JANUARY

Dec 23-Jan 6	NO CLASSES: Winter Break
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JANUARY

Jan 5	Dorms open at 12:00 p.m.
Jan 6	NO CLASSES: Professional Development Day
Jan 7	Classes resume
Jan 20	NO CLASSES/OFFICES CLOSED: MLK, Jr. Day
Jan 24	Sem 1/Qtr 2 ends
Jan 27	Sem 2/Qtr 3 begins

FEBRUARY

Feb 3	NO CLASSES: Professional Development Day
Feb 17	NO CLASSES/OFFICES CLOSED: Presidents' Day

MARCH

Mar 6	Parent/Advisor/Advisee Conferences
Mar 7	Grandparent and VIP Day
Mar 7	Dorms close at 4:00 p.m.
Mar 10-24	NO CLASSES: Spring Break
Mar 23	Dorms open at 12:00 p.m. for int'l boarders
Mar 24	NO CLASSES: Professional Development Day
Mar 25	Classes resume

APRIL

April 4	Sem 2/Qtr 3 ends
April 7	Sem 2/Qtr 4 begins
April 18	NO CLASSES/OFFICES CLOSED: Good Friday

MAY

May 26	NO CLASSES/OFFICES CLOSED: Memorial Day
May 31	Prom

JUNE

June 3	Senior Chapel/Yearbook Distribution
June 5	Bacc/Commencement Rehearsal
June 6	Senior Prize Ceremony Baccalaureate Senior/Parent Dinner
June 7	Commencement at 10:00 a.m. All US students are required to attend.
June 9-11	Grade 8 Exams
June 10-13	US Exams
June 12	MS Half-day of classes (Grades 6-8) MS Graduation Rehearsal MS Graduation at 7:00 p.m. All MS students required to attend
June 13	Sem 2/Qtr 4 ends
June 14	Dorms close at 4:00 p.m.
Jun 19	OFFICES CLOSED: Juneteenth