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## Kindergarten

### Start of the 2025–2026 School Year

Please note that the start of the school year for kindergarten students follows a different schedule than students in grades 1–4.

#### Important Dates:

- **Thursday, August 28** – *First Day of School*
  - Students in grades 1–4 attend from 8:00 a.m. to 2:50 p.m.
- **Thursday, August 28 OR Friday, August 29** – *Kindergarten Assessments*
  - Each kindergarten student will attend a **30–40 minute individual assessment** on **one** of these days.
  - This will be their only school attendance until their next scheduled session.
- **Tuesday, September 2 OR Wednesday, September 3** – *Staggered Kindergarten Start*
  - Half of the kindergarten class will attend a full school day on Tuesday, September 2. The other half will attend a full school day on Wednesday, September 3.
  - *Note:* During the first four school days (August 28, 29, 30, and September 2), each kindergarten student will ***only*** attend their **assessment session** and **one full school day**.
  - The assigned schedule will be emailed to you in **July/August 2025**.
- **Thursday, September 4** – *Regular Kindergarten Schedule Begins*
  - ALL kindergarten students will begin attending full school days (8:00 a.m. – 2:50 p.m.).