



2017-18 School Calendar for Parents and Students

Thursday, August 17	Parent/Student Orientation – 3:00 PM Early Education; 4:00 PM Elementary; 5:00 PM Middle School; 6:00 PM High School
Friday, August 18	First Day of School - Half Day for All Students; Back to School Family Picnic – Half Day Schedule Food Trucks on Site (Students must be accompanied by a parent to attend)
Mon, August 21	First Full Day of School/8th and 9th Graders to BJU for Solar Eclipse – 12:30-3:30 PM
Monday, Sep. 4	No School – Labor Day
Wednesday, Sep. 6	Individual Student Picture Day
Monday, Sep. 11	Listening Session for Middle/High School Parents - 2:00 PM in School Library
Thursday, Sep. 14	Fall Connections – Middle and High School; Look Up Lodge
Friday, Sep. 15	Fall Connections – Middle and High School; Look Up Lodge
Friday, Sep. 22	Half Day – Progress Reports Issued for 1 st - 9 th Grades; Afternoon Parent Conferences Do you need childcare during the conference? Please indicate your need when signing up.
Friday, October 6	School Spirit – “Pirate Day” - EED, ELE, MS & HS (No Swords, Skulls, or Crossbones, Matey!) Annual Fund Extravaganza 6:00 PM in the School Gym – Contact Office for Details
Fri, October 13	OPEN HOUSE – 9:00 AM/Bring a Friend!
Mon, October 16	PSAT Testing for all 8th and 9th Graders - \$10 Per Student
Wed, October 18	Half Day Schedule for ALL Students/No ASC
Thurs, Oct. 19	Fall Break for All Students/No School or ASC - Teacher Professional Development
Fri, October 20	Fall Break for All Students/No School or ASC - Teacher Professional Development
Mon, October 23	Listening Session for EED Parents – 8:30 AM in School Library
Mon, October 24	End of First Quarter – Deadline for All Make-up Work Due from Students
Fri, November 3	Report Cards Issued for K5 – 9th Grades/Open House – 12 Noon/Bring a friend!
Fri, November 10	School Spirit – “Crazy Hair Day” - EED, ELE, MS, & HS
Thurs, Nov. 16-21	BCA Book Fair
Monday, November 20	Listening Session for Elementary Parents – 8:30 AM in School Library BCA Book Fair (Gym closed in preparation for Grandparents’ Day)
Tuesday, November 21	Book Fair Grandparents’ Day - 1:00 PM; School Gym - for all Students P3-9 th Grade and their Grandparents
Fri, December 1	Progress Reports for Students in 1st through 9th Grades
November 22-24	Thanksgiving Holiday – No School; Classes Resume Monday, November 27th
Mon, December 4	Open House/12 Noon Bring a Friend!
Friday, Dec. 8	Polar Express Day - Elementary Only; Feed the Need Mission Project - Tentative Date
Tues, Dec. 12	Elementary Christmas Concert - Tentative Date
Wed, Dec. 13	Combined Chapel for K5-9th Grades ; 10:15 AM - Offering for Missions
Fri, December 15	EED Christmas Program – 10:30 AM
Tues, Dec. 19	Half Day Schedule for ALL Students ; No After School Care
Dec 20 - Jan 1	School Closed for Winter Break – Merry Christmas! School Resumes January 2, 2018
Wed - Fri, Jan 3-5	YWAM for all 8 th and 9 th Graders/ Winterum for all 6 th and 7 th Graders
Mon, January 8	Enrollment Opens for 2018-19 School Year/Exam Review Day for Middle and High School
Tuesday, January 9	Exam Review Day for Middle and High School Project Based Learning Presentations for all 9th Graders - Parents invited 8:30-11:45 AM
Wed, January 10	Exam Review Day for Middle and High School
Thurs, January 11	Exam Day for Middle and High School – Half Day for Middle and High School
Friday, January 12	Exam Day for Middle and High School – Half Day for Middle and High School
Mon, January 15	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - No School
Tues, January 16	Exam Day for Middle and High School – Half Day for Middle and High School
Friday, January 19	Pastors’ Breakfast/8:30-10:30 AM ; Gym Closed

Mon, January 22	Listening Session for MS/HS Parents - 8:30 AM in School Library
Thurs, January 25	Recommitment Night for all P3-9 th Grade Students and Parents - 7:00 PM All Family Worship Experience at Bridgeway Church (Only Attending Families Receive a Discount on Enrollment Fees Available Through April 15, 2018)
Wed, February 7	Class Pictures/No Retake Day Available
Friday, February 9	Open House - 12 Noon Bring a Friend!
Mon, February 12	Listening Session for EED Parents - 8:30 AM in School Library
Wed., Feb. 14	All School Chapel – “We are in love with God!” 10:15 AM
Friday, February 16	School Spirit – “Pajama Day” EED, ELE, MS & HS Half Day for ALL Students/Teacher In-Service; Progress Reports Issued
Mon, February 19	Presidents’ Day - No School/(Inclement Weather Make-up Day 1)
Friday, March 9	Open House - 9:00 AM Bring a Friend!
Monday, March 19	Listening Session for Elementary Parents – 2:00 PM in School Library Deadline for Financial Aid Scholarship Application through FACTS
Fri, March 16	End of Third Quarter
Fri, March 23	Report Cards Issued
Mon - Thursday March 26-29	Terra Nova Achievement Testing, K5-9th Grades Half Days for 9th Grade Students, Only
Friday, March 30	Spring Break Begins - No School (Inclement Weather Make-up Day 2)
April 2-6	Spring Break – Happy Easter!
Monday, April 9	School Resumes
Friday, April 13	Butterfly Ball – Dads and Daughters P3-9th Grades/7:00-9:00 PM/\$25 Per Couple/Gym Closed
Mon., April 16	Scholarships/Financial Aid Award Notifications
Monday, April 23	Deadline for Re-enrollment with Discount Awarded at Recommitment Night Listening Session for Elementary Parents - 8:30 AM in School Library
Friday, April 27	K5-5th Grade Field Day – Half Day for EED and ELE; Progress Reports Issued
Friday, May 4	Spring Fling at Look-up Lodge for Middle and High School
Monday, May 7	Listening Session for ALL Parents - 8:30 AM in School Library
Friday, May 11	Carowinds 8th Grade Graduation Trip
Tuesday, May 15	Elementary Spring Concert - Tentative Date
Wed, May 16	Blessings Chapel – Schedule will be Announced
Friday, May 18	Annual Fund Donors’ Banquet - 7:00 PM
Tuesday, May 22	K5 Graduation – 7:00 PM; Project Based Learning Presentations by all High School Students 8:30-11:30 AM (Parents Invited)
Wed, May 23	Exam Review Day for Middle and High School
Thursday, May 24	Exam Review Day for Middle and High School; Project-based Learning Presentations by all High School Students 8:30-11:30 AM (Parents Invited)
Friday, May 25	Last Day of School P3-5th Grades/Exam Review Day for Middle and High School
Monday, May 28	Memorial Day - No School
Tuesday, May 29	Exams for Middle/High School – See Exam Schedule for Pick-up Times/6-9th Grade Students; Inclement Weather Make-up Day 3 for EED & ELE Students; All Teachers Work Day
Wed., May 30	Exams for Middle/High School - See Exam Schedule for Pick-up Times/6-9th Grade Students; All Teachers Work Day
Thursday, May 31	Exams for Middle/High School - See Exam Schedule for Pick-up Times/6-9th Grade Students; Last School Day for 6-9th Grades; All Teachers Work Day
Friday, June 1	Inclement Weather Make-up Day 3 for 6-9th Grades; All Teachers Work Day