

2023 - 2024 Calendar Preschool and Kindergarten

GDS Classroom Hours
PK 1 – PK 3 8:15 a.m. – 1:00/4:00 p.m.
Free VPK Only 8:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Full VPK 8:15 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Kindergarten 8:15 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

August

Wednesday 16th School Orientation at the Sanctuary/ Teacher Meet and Greet in Classrooms

9:00 a.m. / Enhancement Program Showcase at the Fellowship Hall

Thursday 17th First Day of School

September

Monday 4th Labor Day – (NO SCHOOL)

Friday 8th Grandparents Day Celebration - Chapel in the Sanctuary at 9:00 a.m.

Sunday 17th Teacher Dedication Sunday – Family Day at Granada Church

Monday 25th Teacher Planning Day – (NO SCHOOL)

October

Friday 27th Parent/Teacher Conferences – (NO SCHOOL)

Sunday 29th Hero Sunday at Granada Church

November

Thursday 9th Individual School Pictures, 9:30 a.m. Friday 10th Veterans Day – (NO SCHOOL)

Thursday 16th Give Miami Day and Fall Harvest Program— 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Sunday 19th Thanksgiving Lunch at Granada Church

Mon 20th - Fri 24th Fall Break/Thanksgiving Holiday – (NO SCHOOL)

Monday 27th Classes Resume

December

Sunday 10th Christmas Service at Granada Church

Friday 15th Christmas Program – 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Friday 22nd Teacher Planning Day – (NO SCHOOL)
Sunday 24th Christmas Eve Service at Granada Church

Mon 25th - Fri 29th Christmas Break - (NO SCHOOL)

January

Mon 1st - Fri 5th Christmas Break – (NO SCHOOL)

Monday 8th Classes Resume

Monday 15th Martin Luther King Jr. Day – (NO SCHOOL)

Monday 22nd Re-Enrollment begins for 2024 - 2025 School Year (GDS Families))

February

Thursday 1st 100th Day of School Celebration

Monday 12th Open Enrollment begins for the 2024 - 2025 School Year (Public)

Wednesday 14th Valentine's Day Class Parties

Monday 19th Presidents' Day – (NO SCHOOL)

Mon 26th - GDS Spirit Week & Book Drive

Fri March 1st

March

Friday 1st Dr. Seuss Day

Thursday 7th Spring Program – 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary

Friday 15th St. Jude Trike-A-Thon, 9:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. in the Bird Road Parking Lot Tuesday 19th Absentee Makeup / Retakes / New Students / Group Pictures, 9:30 a.m

Friday 22nd Parent/Teacher Conferences – (NO SCHOOL)

Mon 25th - Fri 29th Spring Break – (NO SCHOOL) Friday 29th Good Friday – (NO SCHOOL)

April

Monday 1st Classes Resume

Friday 19th Teacher Planning Day (NO SCHOOL) No Opt Out

Saturday 20th Art Show – 11:00 a.m.

May

Thursday 2nd National Day of Prayer - Chapel with parents at 9:00 am

Saturday 4th GDS Fundraiser Party

Mon 13th - Fri 17th GDS Staff and Teacher Appreciation Week

Monday 27th Memorial Day – (NO SCHOOL)

June

Tuesday 4th VPK Certificates Ceremony

Wednesday 5th Kindergarten Graduation / Last Day of School

Thurs 6th – Fri 7th Teacher Work Days – (NO SCHOOL)

This calendar applies only to the Preschool and Kindergarten classes (Grades Pre K1 and up). Events, activities and times are subject to change.

(Updated on August 31, 2023)