



2023-24 Major Dates Calendar

The complete NGFS 2023-24 calendar will be released closer to the end of this school year (22-23). In addition to the dates and events listed here, it will include community events, class overnight trips, and academic benchmarks, such as quarter dates and dates that student evaluations are sent home.

Lower School (LS) = Preschool-grade 6, Guilford Campus (GC) at 1128 New Garden Road

Middle School (MS) = grades 7-8; Upper School (US) = grades 9-12,
Page-Frederiksen Campus (PFC) at 2015 Pleasant Ridge Road

2023 Date	Event	Extended Care* offered
Thu, Aug. 10-Fri, Aug. 11	New Staff Orientation	N/A
Mon, Aug 14-Fri, Aug 18	Staff workdays	full day
Mon, Aug 21-Tue, Aug 22	Staff workdays	full day
Monday, Aug. 21	Lower School Classroom Welcome Night, 6-7 p.m.	No
Tuesday, Aug. 22	Middle and Upper School Walk the Schedule, 6-7 p.m.	No
Wednesday, Aug. 23	First day of school	regular schedule
Friday, Sept. 1	Parent/Guardian and Teacher Conferences, No school <i>daytime and virtual appointments available</i>	full day
Monday, Sept. 4	Labor Day, no school	No
Date TBA	GrandFriends Day / 1/2 day, early dismissal	half day
Friday, Oct. 13	Professional Development Day, No school	full day
Wednesday, Nov. 1	Late Start Day, 2-hour delay <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LS Extended Care 2-hour delay = 9:30-10 a.m. 	regular schedule for afternoon
Thu, Nov. 16-Fri, Nov. 17	Staff workdays, no school	full day
Mon, Nov. 20-Tue, Nov. 21	Staff workdays, no school	full day
Wed, Nov. 22-Fri, Nov. 24	Thanksgiving break, no school	No
Friday, Dec. 8	Trimester 1 Conferences, no school	full day
Friday, Dec. 15	Winter break begins / 1/2 day, early dismissal	half day
Mon, Dec. 18- Mon, Jan. 1	Winter break, no school	No

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2024 Date	Event	Extended Care* offered
Tuesday, Jan. 2	Staff workday, no school	No
Wednesday, Jan. 3	School resumes	regular schedule
Monday, Jan. 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, no school	No
Monday, Feb. 5	Professional Development Day, no school	full day
Thu, Feb. 29-Fri, March 1	Parent/Guardian and Teacher Conferences, no school <i>daytime and virtual appointments available</i>	full day
Mon, March 4-Fri, March 8	Spring break, no school	No
Friday, March 29	Good Friday, no school	No
Monday, April 15	½ day early dismissal, Professional Development ½ day	half day
Thursday, May 23	Baccalaureate, early evening event	regular schedule
Friday, May 24	½ day, early dismissal / Graduation 3-5 p.m.	half day
Monday, May 27	Memorial Day, no school	No
Tuesday, May 28	Sixth grade celebration, 6 p.m.	regular schedule
Thursday, May 30	Eighth grade celebration, 6 p.m.	regular schedule
Friday, May 31	Last day of school / ½ day, early dismissal	No
Mon, June 3-Fri, June 7	Staff workdays	full day

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½ Day early dismissal times:

11:30 - A Child's Garden (Preschool, Pre-K, TK)

11:45 - Sunrise (K)

12:00 - Rainbow (grades 1-2); Middle School (grades 7-8) & Upper School (grades 9-12)

12:15 - Horizon (grades 3-4) & Galaxy (grades 5-6)