

SCHOOL CALENDAR - 2025/2026

| August 21 Thursday & August 22, Friday | School Office Hours 9am-12pm |
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| August 25 Monday | Teacher Training/Classroom Prep 9am-2pm (Lunch Provided) PA: Popsicles on the Playground (Time TBD) |
| August 26, Tuesday | Visiting Day for Kindergarten & PreK |
| August 27, Wednesday | First Day for K & PreK (9-11am), Visiting Day for Threes |
| August 28, Thursday | Visiting Day for Twos, K & PreK (9-11am) |
| August 29, Friday | First Day for Threes & 5-Day Twos (9-11am), K & PreK (9-11am) |
| September 1, Monday | CLOSED for Labor Day |
| September 2, Tuesday through September 5, Friday | Twos/Threes Classes 9-11am / K & PreK 9-12pm |
| September 2, Tuesday | First day for 2-Day Twos 9-11am |
| September 3, Wednesday | First day for 3-day Twos 9-11am |
| September 8, Monday | Regular Hours/Specials/EB/KW/AE begin for ALL classrooms Early Bird Drop-off 8-9am - Kid's Workshop 12-2:30pm - Afternoon Explorers 2:30-4:00pm PA: Welcome Coffee 9-10am |
| September 9, Tuesday | Kindergarten & Extended PreK Begins (12-2:30pm) |
| September 24, Wednesday | Baby Chicks arrive. Depart October 3, Friday |
| September 28, Sunday | STPS Open House/Preschool Sunday (Time TBD) |
| September 29, Monday | Back-to-School Night 6-7pm |
| October 11, Saturday | First Fruits Farm - Volunteer Day 9-11:30am (MOVED TO 10/18) |
| October 15, Wednesday | Chapel 9:30am |
| October 18, Saturday | First Fruits Volunteer Day 9:00-11:30am |
| October 26, Sunday | PA: FallFest & Trunk-or-Treat 3-5pm |
| October 31, Friday | School Closes at 12pm for all / Staff Meeting |
| November 17, Monday & November 18, Tuesday | Preschool Conferences - School CLOSED for Preschool but open for Kindergarten 9-12pm |

| November 19, Wednesday | Kindergarten Conferences / School Open for K students Chapel 9:30am |
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| November 25, Tuesday | School Closes at 12pm for all. NO Kids Workshop or Afternoon Explorers |
| November 26, Wednesday through November 28, Friday | School CLOSED / Thanksgiving Break December 1, Monday - School resumes |
| December 17, Wednesday | Chapel 9:30am |
| December 19, Friday | School Closes at 12pm for all / Staff Meeting NO Kids Workshop or Afternoon Explorers |
| December 22, Monday through January 2, Friday | School CLOSED / Winter Break January 5, Monday - School resumes |
| January 19, Monday | School CLOSED / Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day |
| January 21, Wednesday | Chapel 9:30am |
| Friday, February 13 | STPS Spirit Day School Closes at 12pm for all / Staff Meeting NO Kids Workshop or Afternoon Explorers |
| February 16, Monday | School CLOSED / President's Day |
| February 18, Wednesday | Chapel 9:30am |
| March 16, Monday through March 20, Friday | School CLOSED / Spring Break March 23, Monday - School resumes |
| April 2, Thursday & April 3, Friday | School CLOSED / Easter Break |
| April 6, Monday | School Closed / Professional Development Day for Teachers April 7, Tuesday - School resumes |
| April 15, Wednesday | Chapel 9:30am |
| May 8, Friday | Field Day - PreK and Kindergarten (Rain Date: May 15 Friday) |
| May 15, Friday | LAST DAY of Specials, Early Bird, Kids Workshop and Afternoon Explorers for ALL |
| May 18, Monday through May 22, Friday | Kindergarten - 12:00 Dismissal until end of year Reminder: NO Early Bird, NO Kids Workshop, and NO Afternoon Explorers for ALL |
| May 19, Tuesday | End of Year Celebration/Art Show 5:30-7pm |

| May 20, Wednesday | Chapel 9:30am |
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| May 21, Thursday | LAST DAY for 2-Day Twos |
| May 22, Friday | LAST DAY for 3/5 Day Twos, Threes, and PreK |
| May 25, Monday | School CLOSED/Memorial Day |
| May 29, Friday | Last Day for Kindergarten (dependent on snow day closures) |
| June 1-5 | #1 Summer Fun |
| June 8-12 | #2 Summer Fun |
| June 15-19 | #3 Summer Fun |
| June 22-26 | #4 Summer Fun |

Note: WEATHER POLICY

- If Baltimore County Schools are closed—St. Thomas' Preschool and Kindergarten will be closed.
- If Baltimore County Schools open 1 hour or 2 hours late—School will open at 10:00 a.m.
- If Baltimore County Public Schools close early, school will dismiss at 12:00pm (No Kids Workshop or Afternoon Explorers).
- IF Baltimore County Public Schools cancel afternoon/evening activities, school will close at 2:30pm (no Afternoon Explorers).
- STPS may need to close early for the safety of the children and staff. If an exception is made
 to this policy, you will receive an email AND Brightwheel message with the updated
 information.
- We will make every effort to have the parking lot and walkways cleared and salted. Our goal is to ensure the safety of the children, teachers and families. Your understanding and extra efforts during the winter months are greatly appreciated.

Kindergarten - Required 170 days Instruction

- * 174 days for Kindergarten / 4 days allowed for Snow Day Closures
- * If we do not use ALL 4 days, then the last day for Kindergarten could be as early as May 22nd
- * Kindergarten graduation celebration will be determined in the Spring, and is contingent on snow days used