

GARDENA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY & PRESCHOOL

Holidays, Vacations, & Special Days

School Year 2025 - 2026

IMPORTANT DATES	
Column1	Column2
Aug 22nd	Last Day of Summer Camp
Aug 28th	Meet and Greet w/ teachers and staff 3:00pm-6:00pm
Aug 29th	Professional Development (School Closed)
Sept 1st	Labor Day (School Closed)
Sept 2nd	First Day of School
Sept 17th	Fall Pictures
Oct 6-24th	Fall Fundraiser Begins (Dates will be posted soon)
Oct 1st	Electives begin for Kinder- Fifth Grade
Oct 15th	Open House 4pm-6pm
Nov 11th	Veterans Day (School closed)
Nov 20th	Thanksgiving Feast w/ families 12pm
Nov 26th	Half Day -School Closed at 12pm
Nov 27th-28th	Thanksgiving (School Closed)
Dec 5th	Professional Development (School Closed)
Dec 16th	Preschool Christmas Program 2pm
Dec 18th	Kinder/ First Grade Christmas Program 1pm
	2nd-5th Grade Christmas Program 3:00pm
Dec 19th	Christmas Class Parties
Dec 22nd -- Jan 2nd	Winter Break (Elementary Closed)
Dec. 22nd - Dec 26th	School Closed (Preschool Closed)
Dec 29th - Dec 30th	Preschool Open
Dec 31st	Half Day School Closed at 12pm (Preschool Only)
Jan 1st - Jan 2nd	School Closed (Preschool Closed)
Jan 5th	Back to School
Jan 19th	Dr. Martin L. King Jr Birthday (School Closed)
Feb 13th	Valentine's Day Class Parties
Feb 16th	President's Day (School Closed)
Mar 4th and Mar 5th	Parent Conference 3pm-6pm
Mar 6th	Professional Development (School Closed)
Mar 27th	Cesar Chavez Birthday Observed (School Closed)
Mar 30th- April 3rd	Spring Recess (Elementary Closed)
April 3rd	Good Friday (Preschool Closed)
April 6th	Sat Prep
April	SAT Testing (Dates TBA)
Late April	Preschool, Kinder and 5th Grade Graduation Pictures (Dates TBA)
May 1st	Start of Graduation Rehearsal
May 4th- May 8th	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 11th – 15th	Elementary Spelling Bee (Details will be sent out closer)
May 25th	Memorial Day (School Closed)
Jun 9th	Preschool Graduation 10am
Jun 10th	Kindergarten Graduation 10am
Jun 10th	Elementary Awards Assembly 2pm
Jun 11th	5th grade Graduation 10am
Jun 12th	Last Day of School/ End of the Year Party
Jun 18th	Professional Development (School Closed)
Jun 19th	Juneteenth (School Closed)
Jun 22nd	First Day of Summer Camp
July 1st	First Day of Summer Camp for newly enrolled students
July 4th	Independence Day (School Closed Friday July 3rd)

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Elementary Students have free dress on Fridays

*All dates are subject to change.