

# THE PRINCIPLED ACADEMY

Calendar for the 2020-2021 School Year - **TENTATIVE - SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

<b>AUGUST 2020</b>		<b>Days school is closed</b> <b>May not happen?</b>
17-21	Mon - Fri	School Closed for Cleaning and teacher meetings. NO SCHOOL. Teacher Work Week.
21	Fri	Parent Orientation (via Zoom) to meet teachers, learn about school policies, procedures and updates. 7 p.m.
24	Mon	<b>First Day of School for the New School Year 2020-2021 for Kindergarten - 8<sup>th</sup> grades. Preschool resumes.</b>
26	Wed	1:45 p.m. pick-up for 1 <sup>st</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> grade students after lunch. Aftercare available until 6:15 p.m. <i>Preschool and Kindergarten held as usual.</i>
31	Mon	Chess Club begins, 3:15 - 4 p.m. FREE class to try it out! 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades.
<b>SEPTEMBER 2020</b>		<b>Virtue: Community and Responsibility</b> <b>Community Service: California Coastal Clean-up and International Peace Day</b>
7	Mon	<b>Labor Day Holiday, School Closed for Preschool - 8<sup>th</sup> Grades NO SCHOOL.</b>
9	Wed	First Hot Dog Lunch, 12 noon
18	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
18	Fri	<b>Back to School Night for all parents of students in Preschool - 8<sup>th</sup> grades. 6:45 – 8:15 p.m. 1:45 p.m. pick-up for 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade students, Preschool and Kindergarten held as usual. Aftercare available.</b>
14-18	M - F	<b>Spirit Week</b>
25	Fri	International Peace Day Celebration
25	Fri	Bake and Snack Sale, 12 noon
26	Sat	California Coastal Clean-up Day, 9 a.m.
<b>OCTOBER 2020</b>		<b>Virtue: Self Control and Conflict Resolution and Problem Solving</b> <b>Community Service: UNICEF Collection: Think Globally</b>
8	Wed	School Photo Day: 9 a.m.-12 noon
9	Fri	Staff Development Day, School holiday for all students, Preschool - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
15	Thu	Great California Shakeout, Earthquake Drill
16	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
21	Wed	Unity Day, United Against Bullying, (wear orange to school)
24	Sat	Trunk or Treat Family Celebration, 5 - 8 pm
30	Fri	Bake & Snack Sale, 12 noon
<b>NOVEMBER 2020</b>		<b>Virtue: Gratitude and Care</b> <b>Community Service: Food Drive: Act Locally</b>
6	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
9 <sup>th</sup>	Mon	Veterans Day Holiday Observed: School closed for all students
11	Wed	Veteran's Day Celebration
12	Thu	Picture Make-up or Retake Day: 9-12 noon
13	Fri	Bake and Snack Sale, 12 noon
20	Fri	Teacher Workday: School closed for Preschool – 8 grades, <b>School Closed. End of Trimester 1.</b>
23/24/25	Mon/ Tues/ Wed	Parent-Teacher Conferences for parents of preschool – 8th grades: School holiday for K-8 <sup>th</sup> grade. Classes will not be in session for K – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade students. Report cards given at conferences. <i>Preschool held as usual.</i>
26/27	Thu/Fri	Thanksgiving Holiday for all students: Preschool-8 <sup>th</sup> grade.

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<b>DECEMBER 2020</b>		<b>Virtue: Generosity and Empathy</b> <b>Community Service: Caroling for Seniors</b>
4	Fri	Caroling at Senior Centers for 1 <sup>st</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
11	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
12	Sat	Breakfast with Santa, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.
18	Fri	Holiday Program for all students, 7 p.m. All students in preschool through 8 <sup>th</sup> grade will perform on stage. Invite your friends and relatives for an entertaining evening! 12:15 dismissal for 1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade students after lunch. Daycare available until 6:15 p.m. Preschool and Kindergarten held as usual.
Dec 21 – Jan 1, 2021		Winter Vacation School Closed: HOLIDAYS FOR ALL STUDENTS in Preschool through Eighth grade NO SCHOOL.
<b>JANUARY 2021</b>		<b>Virtue: Determination and Respect</b> <b>Community Service: Kindness &amp; Justice Challenge</b>
<b>This</b>	<b>Month</b>	School Spelling Bee and School Handwriting Competition
4	Mon	School resumes for School Year 2021
8	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
15	Fri	Staff Development Day, NO SCHOOL for any students, Preschool - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
18	Mon	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day : SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOR ALL STUDENTS, Pre - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
22	Fri	Bake & Snack Sale, 12 noon
TBA	TBA	Spelling Bee School Championship Competition, 10 - 12 noon
By	Class	School Handwriting Competition
<b>FEBRUARY 2021</b>		<b>Virtue: Patriotism and Loyalty</b> <b>Community Service: Reading with Seniors</b>
5	Fri	8 <sup>th</sup> grade graduation photos
12	Fri	Valentine's Day Observed, Wear a red or Valentine's themed shirt!
12	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
15	Mon	President's Day: SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOR ALL STUDENTS, Preschool - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades
26	Fri	Bake & Snack Sale, 12 noon
<b>MARCH 2021</b>		<b>Virtue: Self Awareness and Forgiveness</b>
5	Fri	Teacher Workday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOR K – 8 <sup>th</sup> GRADES, End of Trimester 2.
8-12	M - Fri	Scholastic Book Fair, Open: 8 – 9 a.m.; 12 – 1 p.m.; 3 – 4 p.m.
12	Fri	Family Night, 6:45 - 8 p.m.
10, 11, 12	Wed/ Thurs/ Fri	Half Day Classes for 1 <sup>st</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> ; Parent-Teacher conferences for parents of Kindergarten – 8 <sup>th</sup> graders. School dismissed at 12:15 p.m. for 1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> grades. Preschool and Kindergarten held as usual.
19	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
17	Wed	St. Patrick's Day! Wear a green or St. Pat's day themed shirt!
26	Fri	Bake & Snack Sale, 12 noon

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APRIL 2021		Virtue: Choices and Ownership
2	Fri	Grandparent/GrandFriend Day, 9 a.m. - noon
2	Fri	11:45 a.m. - Easter Egg Hunt, 12:15 p.m. dismissal for 1 <sup>st</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades. Aftercare available until 6:15 p.m. <b>Preschool/Kindergarten held as usual. (wear pastels or spring colors)</b>
4	Sun	Easter Sunday
5-9	Mon - Fri	<b>SPRING BREAK! No school will be held for Preschool - 8<sup>th</sup> grades.</b>
12	Mon	School Resumes for all students, Preschool - 8 <sup>th</sup> grades.
16	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon
28	Fri	Bake Sale, 12 noon
MAY 2021		Virtue: Perseverance and Grit Community Service: Fundraiser for a Cause (TBD)
7	Fri	<b>Arts and Letters Day Open House Night for families in preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> grade, 6:30 pm-8 pm. 12:15 p.m. dismissal for 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade students after lunch. Daycare available until 6:15 p.m. Preschool and Kindergarten held as usual.</b>
9	Sun	Mother's Day
11-15	Tues-Sat	7 <sup>th</sup> /8 <sup>th</sup> Washington DC Trip (to be confirmed)
21	Fri	Pizza Lunch, 12 noon (Depends on DC Trip)
28	Fri	Bake Sale, 12 noon
31	Mon	<b>Memorial Day: SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOR ALL STUDENTS</b>
JUNE 2021		Virtue: Wonder and Joy and Celebration
4	Fri	<b>Teacher workday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOR PRESCHOOL – 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS</b>
7	Mon	Preschool/Kindergarten Promotion and Awards Ceremony, 7 p.m.
8	Tues	<b>Grades 1 – 8 Promotion/Graduation/Awards Ceremony, 7 p.m. 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade students dismissed at 12:15 p.m., daycare available until 6:15 p.m. Report Cards issued. Preschool and Kindergarten held as usual.</b>
9	Wed	<b>Last day of school for Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grades. Fun in the Sun Day field trip open to students in Preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> grade, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. All parents welcome to attend. All students invited. No before or after care available. No Preschool available.</b>
10-11	Thu/Fri	<b>Teacher workdays. School closed for all students.</b>
14	Mon	Preschool resumes.
14	Mon	K - 1 <sup>st</sup> Graduates Summer Program begins. Goes through August 13 or 20??
14	Mon	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 5 <sup>th</sup> Graduates Summer Bridge Program begins. Go through August 13 or 20??
14	Mon	Junior Rec Leaders Summer Program begins. Go through August 13 or 20??
20	Sun	Father's Day
JULY 2021		SUMMER
5	Mon	<b>Independence Day Observed, SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
25	Sun	Parent's Day
AUGUST 2021		SUMMER
13	Friday	K - 8 Summer Programs end
15-19	Week	<b>School Closed for Cleaning and teacher meetings. NO SCHOOL. Teacher Work Week.</b>
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