

**SPRING ACADEMY WESTFIELD SCHOOL CALENDAR, 2024 – 2025**  
**(Preschool and K Program)**

**September**

Wednesday, September 4 Staff Orientation & In-Service

**Thursday, September 5 School Open**

Tuesday, September 24 Back to School Night (7 PM-8 PM)

**THEMES:** Intro to School, Classroom Rules, Me and My Family, My Family Tree, My New Friends, World Map

**VIRTUES:** Acceptance and Responsibility

**October**

Monday, October 14 Columbus Day & Staff development (School Closed)

**THEMES:** Community Helpers, Fire Safety Month, Fall, Changing Leaves, Apples and Pumpkins, Halloween

**VIRTUES:** Wonder and Curiosity

**November**

Thursday & Friday, Nov. 7, 8 (Half Day Session – Parent-Teacher Conference)

Wednesday, November 27 Early Dismissal\*

Thursday & Friday, Nov. 28, 29 Thanksgiving (School Closed)

**THEMES:** History of Culture and Customs, Food and Nutrition, Thanksgiving, Children's Book Week

**VIRTUES:** Gratitude and Kindness

**December**

Friday, December 20 Early Dismissal\*

Monday, December 23 through Tuesday, December 31 Winter Recess (School Closed)

**THEMES:** Fairytales and Folktales, Traditional Stories and Songs, Winter Animals and Hibernation, Winter Holidays Around the World

**VIRTUES:** Loyalty and Honesty

**January**

Wednesday, January 1 New Year's Day (School Closed)

Monday, January 20 Martin L. King's Birthday (School Closed)

Wednesday, January 29th Lunar New Year (School Closed)

**THEMES:** New Year, Land and Water, Landforms, Snow, Polar Regions, Intro to Continents

**VIRTUES:** Confidence and Courage

**February**

Friday, February 14 - Monday, February 17 Presidents Day Long Weekend (School Closed)

**THEMES:** Continent: Asia, Chinese New Year and Traditions, Dumplings, Dental Health Month, Black History Month, Groundhog's Day, Valentine's Day

**VIRTUES:** Flexibility and Forgiveness

**March**

**THEMES:** North and South America, Solar System, Spring, Dr. Seuss' Birthday, St. Patrick's Day

**VIRTUES:** Creativity and Cooperation

**April**

Thursday & Friday, April 10, 11 (Half Day Session – Parent-Teacher Conference)

Monday, April 14 - Monday, April 21 Spring Recess (School Closed)

**THEMES:** Continent: Europe, Layers of the Earth, Baby Animals, Life Cycles, Caterpillars and Butterflies, Earth Day, Easter, Rainforest

**VIRTUES:** Patience and Peace

## **May**

Monday, May 26 Memorial Day (School Closed)

**THEMES:** Continent: Africa, Oceans and Water, Sea Animals, Mother's Day

**VIRTUES:** Perseverance and Determination

## **June**

Friday, June 20th - Graduation Party & Last Day for Students (Half Day Session\*)

**THEMES:** Continent: Australia, Travel, Transportation, Father's Day, Summer

**VIRTUES:** Excellence and Joyfulness

\* **Half Day Session** ends at 12:30 PM with no After School coverage.

**Delayed Opening** time: 10AM      **Early Dismissal** for After Care: 5PM unless otherwise specified

**Spring Academy After-School Program** follows the local Public School calendar; for public school closing dates, backup care services (\$) are available upon request, except for SA closing dates listed above.

**Summer Camp date:** Monday, June 23 - August 29, total 9 weeks. Bi-weekly themes.