

Grace Education Ministries 2023-2024

August 2023							September 2023							October 2023							November 2023							December 2023							January 2024						
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Important Dates:

- **August 4th**: Last day for Raindrop/Thunderbolt moving to kindergarten
- August 7th: GEM School Year Starts!
- September 4th: GEM Closed (Labor Day)
- September 8th: K.I.S.S (Kids invite someone special) 7am to 9am
- **September 11th & 12th**: Readiness First Day
- October 9th: GEM Closed (Indigenous People Day/Columbus Day)
- **October 16th – 20th**: Readiness Fall Break (Daycare open)
- October 24th & 25th: Picture Day
- November 10th: GEM Closed (in observation of Veteran's Day)
- November 22rd: GEM Closed (Staff Development Day)
- November 23rd & 24th: GEM Closed

(Thanksgiving)

- December 1st: Picture Retake
- **December 18th – January 2rd**: Readiness Christmas Break
- December 22nd: GEM Closed Staff Development Day
- December 25th & 26th: GEM Closed (Christmas)
- December 29th & January 1st: GEM Closed (New Years)
- January 15th: GEM Closed (MLK Day)
- **January 29th – February 2nd**: Book Fair
- February 19th: GEM Closed (President's Day)
- March 1st: GEM Reunion 5 pm to 7pm (GEM Closing @ 5pm)
- **March 25th – 29th**: Readiness Spring Break (Daycare Open)
- March 29th: GEM Closed (Good Friday)

- April 29th– May 3rd: Conferences
- May 10th: Pastries with Parent 7am to 9am
- **May 21st/22nd**: Readiness Last Day
- May 27th: GEM Closed (Memorial Day)
- May 31st: End of school year
- June 3rd: Summer Session Starts
- June 14th: Donut with Grownup 7am to 9am
- June 19th: GEM Closed (Juneteenth)
- July 4th & 5th: GEM Closed (Independence Day)
- **August 2, 2024: GEM Closed (Staff Development Day)**

LSC E-Learning Days:

- **Sept 13th, Nov 8th, and Feb 7th**

Alternate Building Hour will happen on the following

dates:

We will open at 7:30am and close at 5pm

- **September 13th**
- **October 16th – 20th**
- **November 8th**
- **November 20th & 21st**
- **December 27th & 28th**
- **February 7th**
- **March 25th – 28th**
- **June 3rd - August 2nd**

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Family Engagement Due Dates:

August 14th: **All About Me**
September 15th: **Box Car**
October 23th: **Decorate a Pumpkin/
Gourd**
November 6th to the 16th: **Can Food
Drive**
December 1st - 6th: **Jubilee Christmas**

January 8th: **Career Bag/Paper**
February 12th: **Create a family
masterpiece**
March 4th: **Favorite Book**
April TBD : **Family Friday**
May 20th: **Share a picture of your
family Movin' & Groovin'**

Dress Up Days:

August 25th— **Favorite Zoo Animal
Shirt**
September 14th— **Crazy Hat Day**
October 27th— **Halloween
Costume**
November 17th— **Crazy Hair Day**
December 18th— **Christmas PJ's**
January 12th— **Dress Up: What
you want to be when you grow up**

February 14th— **Wear Red or Pink**
March 15th— **Wear Green (St.
Patrick's Day)**
April 26th— **Super Hero Shirt (NO
COSTUMES!)**
May 22nd— **Wacky Wednesday**
June 14th— **Jersey/Sports Shirt**
July 3rd— **Wear Red, White, &
Blue**

Weekly Themes:

August 7: Getting to know our classroom & friends
August 14: All about me & my family
August 21: Zoo-Phonics
August 28: Emotions & Feelings
September 4: Nature and the great outdoors
September 11: Transportation
September 18: Harvest
September 25: Apples (**9/26 Jonny Appleseed Day**)
October 2: Seasons
October 9: Fire Safety
October 16: Review Week
October 23: Halloween
October 30: Kids in the kitchen
November 6: Celebrating families & traditions
November 13: What is Thanksgiving?

November 20: Review Week
November 27: My place in the world
December 4: Science through my senses
December 11: Weather
December 18: Christmas around the world
December 25: Review Week
January 1: Review
January 8: Careers
January 15: Community Helpers
January 22: STEAM
January 29: Black History (**Groundhogs Day 2/2**)
February 5: Artic Animals
February 12: Love & Hugs
February 19: Art Appreciation
February 26: All about Indiana (**3/1 Read Across America**)
March 4: Books & nursery rhymes
March 11: My healthy body & Nutrition
March 18: Dental Health
March 25: Easter

April 1: Five Senses
April 8: Pond Life
April 15: Week Of The Young Child
April 22: Reduce and reuse
April 29: Insects
May 6: Women In History
May 13: Garden
May 20: Music & Movement
May 27: My Country
June 3: Camping
June 10: Men in history
June 17: Animal Classification: Vertebrates
June 24: Animal Classification: Invertebrates
July 1: Stars and strips
July 8: Ocean
July 15: Decade Week
July 22: Olympics
July 29: State Fair