

## 2026-27 ACADEMIC YEAR CALENDAR

(Updated June 2026)

| 2026                    |                                                                                            |
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| Wednesday, August 19    | Junior Explorers Summer Play Date (optional), 9:00-10:30am at the SBCC playground          |
| Thursday, August 20     | Explorers Summer Play Date (optional), 9:00-10:30am at the SBCC playground                 |
| Wednesday, September 2  | Teacher Meet & Greet, 10:30am-12:00pm (3-day & 5-day* students with families)              |
| Thursday, September 3   | Teacher Meet & Greet, 10:30am-12:00pm (2-day & 5-day* students with families)              |
| Friday, September 4     | <b>First Full Morning of Preschool for 3-day &amp; 5-day Students</b> , 9:00am-12:00pm     |
| Monday, September 7     | Labor Day – NO PRESCHOOL                                                                   |
| Tuesday, September 8    | <b>First Full Morning of Preschool for 2-day Students</b> , 9:00am-12:00pm                 |
| Friday, October 9       | Bellevue School District Non-School Day – NO PRESCHOOL <sup>1</sup>                        |
| Wednesday, October 21   | <b>Explorers</b> Family Field Trip to Kelsey Creek Park for “Fall at the Farm” Tour        |
| Thursday, October 22    | <b>Junior Explorers</b> Family Field Trip to Kelsey Creek Park for “Fall at the Farm” Tour |
| Wednesday, November 11  | Veteran’s Day – NO PRESCHOOL                                                               |
| Thursday, November 12   | Fall Family Hike & Apple Cider Tasting (2-day & 5-day – optional family attendance)        |
| Friday, November 13     | Fall Family Hike & Apple Cider Tasting (3-day & 5-day – optional family attendance)        |
| Thu-Fri, November 26-27 | Thanksgiving Break – NO PRESCHOOL                                                          |
| December 21-January 1   | Winter Break – NO PRESCHOOL                                                                |
| 2027                    |                                                                                            |
| Monday, January 4       | Preschool Resumes                                                                          |
| Monday, January 18      | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – NO PRESCHOOL                                                 |
| Wednesday, January 20   | Natural Start Preschool Registration Opens for the 2027-28 School Year                     |
| February 15-19          | Midwinter Break – NO PRESCHOOL                                                             |
| Friday, March 19        | Bellevue School District Non-School Day – NO PRESCHOOL <sup>2</sup>                        |
| Thursday, April 1       | <b>Explorers</b> Spring Family Field Trip: Low-Tide Beach Walk at Puget Sound              |
| Friday, April 2         | <b>Junior Explorers</b> Spring Family Field Trip: Low-Tide Beach Walk at Puget Sound       |
| April 12-16             | Spring Break – NO PRESCHOOL                                                                |
| Wednesday, May 5        | Mother's Day Picnic (3-day & 5-day** students/families)                                    |
| Thursday, May 6         | Mother's Day Picnic (2-day & 5-day** students/families)                                    |
| Week of May 10-14       | Take Preschool Photos This Week                                                            |
| Monday, May 31          | Memorial Day – NO PRESCHOOL                                                                |
| Tuesday, June 1         | Bellevue School District Non-School Day – NO PRESCHOOL <sup>3</sup>                        |
| Wednesday, June 9       | Year-End Celebration & Father's Day Field Day (3-day & 5-day* students/families)           |
|                         | <b>Last Day of Preschool for 3-day Students</b>                                            |
| Thursday, June 10       | Year-End Celebration & Father's Day Field Day (2-day & 5-day* students/families)           |
|                         | <b>Last Day of Preschool for 2-day &amp; 5-day Students</b>                                |

\*5-Day students with family member(s) may attend on either or both days.

\*\*Families of 5-Day students may attend on either or both days.

<sup>1</sup> Preschool make-up day if emergency closure prior to 10-2-26

<sup>2</sup> Preschool make-up day if emergency closure prior to 3-12-27

<sup>3</sup> Preschool make-up day if needed