

Children First Calendar for 2017-2018 School Year

Month	dates	days		
August	8-10	W-Th	teacher workdays	
	14-17	M-Th	teacher workdays	
	21-24	M-Th	teacher workdays/ orientation for new children and families	
	28	Mon	first day of school for continuing students / orientation visits for new children	
	29	Tu	first day of school for half of new students + continuing students	
	30	Wed	first day of school for second half of new students + continuing students	
	31	Thurs	first day for all children together	
TBA			before school pizza potluck organized by Parent Leaders	
September	4	M	Labor Day holiday	
	13	Wed	parent's night at Children First 6:30 to 9:00	
	14	Thurs	Wow! Day for children	
	21	Thurs	orientation for classroom volunteers 7:30 - 9:00 at Children First	
	28	Thurs	pizza potluck 5:00 until at Orchard Park	
	TBA			board meeting 7:30 - 9:00 at Children First home visits for new children
October	19	Th	parent conference workday / no school for children	
	23-24	M-Tu	parent teacher conferences / no school for children	
	26	Th	pizza potluck at Orchard Park 5:00 until	
	27	F	Friday Educator Open House 9:00 - 11:00 AM	
	28	Sat	Admissions Open House 9:00 - 12:00 AM	
	TBA			parenting workshop: Intentional Parenting 7:30 - 9:30 Fall Workday 8:30 to 1:00 Saturday
November	22-23	W-Th	Thanksgiving holiday	
	30	Wed	Winter Feast Gift Making Party for Parents	
	TBA			board meeting 7:30 - 9:00 parenting workshop: Respectful Parenting in Action 7:30 - 9:30 parent discussion group: Schools after Children First 7:30 - 9:30
December	14	Thurs	Stone Soup Feast: Noon at Children First	
	18-31		Winter vacation	
January	1	Mon	Teacher Workday	
	2	Tues	School Reopens for Children	
	5	Fr	(unpaid) Teacher Workday for Winter Classroom/ Open House	
	16	M	MLK Day Holiday	
	19	Fr	(unpaid) Teacher Workday for Winter Classroom/ Open House	
	20	Sat	Admissions Open House 9-12 AM	
	TBA			board meeting 7:30 - 9:00 at Children First parent discussion group on diversity and bias 7:30 - 9:30
February	14	Wed	Children First Valentines Day Celebration	
	15	Th	Workday for conferences/ no school for children	
	19-20	M-Tu	parent teacher conferences / no school for children	
	22	Th	Campfire Potluck 5:00 until at Children First	
	TBA			parent discussion group / open agenda 7:30 to 9:30
March	22	Thurs	Welcome Spring Potluck at Orchard Park 5:00 until...	
	23	Fri	Friday Educator Open House 9 - 11 AM	
	29	Thurs	Story Festival - 12:00 - 2:00 Story Acting Celebration & Picnic Lunch at Children First	
	TBA			board meeting 7:30 - 9:00 at Children First parent discussion group / open agenda 7:30 to 9:30 Spring Workday Saturday 8:30 to 1:00
April	2-5	M-Thurs	Spring Break	
	26	Thurs	pizza potluck at Orchard Park 5:00 until	
	30	Mon	Teacher Workday - writing day for progress conferences	
	TBA			parent discussion group / open agenda 7:30 to 9:30 New Family Open House
May	25-27	F-Sun	family camping trip - Peaks of Otter	
	28	M	Memorial Day holiday	
	TBA			special days for graduates
June	7	Th	Graduation/ last day of school / Pizza Potluck at Children First 5:00 until...	
	11	M	teacher workday for conference preparation	
	12-13	Tu-Wed	parent teacher conferences for continuing kids / teacher workdays	

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	20-23	M-Th	teacher workdays/ orientation for new children and families
	27-30	M-Th	teacher workdays
	TBA		
September	3	M	Labor Day holiday
	4	Tu	returning children - first day
	5	Wed	first day for half of new children
	6	Thurs	first day for other half of new children
	10	Mon	All Together Day!
	12	Wed	Parent's Night at Children First. 6:30 to 9:00
	20	Thurs	orientation for classroom volunteers 7:30 - 9:00 at Children First
	22	Sat	Fall Workday 8:30 to 1:00 Saturday
	27	Thurs	pizza potluck 5:00 until at Orchard Park
	29	Sat	Raindate: Fall Workday 8:30 to 1:00 Saturday
TBA			board meeting 7:30 - 9:00 at Children First home visits for new children
October	18	Th	parent conference workday / no school for children
	22-23	M-Tu	parent teacher conferences / no school for children
	25	Th	pizza potluck at Orchard Park 5:00 until
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	27	Sat	Admissions Open House 9:00 - 12:00 AM
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	29	Wed	Stone Soup Feast Gift Making Party for Parents
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December	20	Thurs	Stone Soup Feast: Noon at Children First
	20-31		Winter vacation
January	1-2	Tu-We	Winter Vacation
	3	Th	Teacher Workday
	7	Mon	School Reopens for Children
	11	Fr	(unpaid) Teacher Workday for Winter Classroom
	21	M	MLK Day Holiday
	25	Fr	(unpaid) Teacher Workday for Winter Classroom/ Open House
	26	Sat	Admissions Open House 9-12 AM
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	25-28	M-Thurs	Spring Break
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