

NEW SCHOOL CALENDAR 2018-2019

September 4, Tuesday	2018-2019 Session begins
September 12, Wednesday	Parent Meeting, 6:00 PM
September 21, Friday	Family Potluck, 6:00
October 6, Saturday	Clean-up
October 8, Monday	Staff Development Day, BUSD. Berkeley Public Schools closed. New School open as usual and has day care for after-schoolers.
October 27, Saturday	Fall Bazaar
November 2, Friday	Elementary Conference Day. Berkeley Public Schools closed. New School open as usual and has day care for after-schoolers.
November 3, Saturday	Clean-up
November 12, Monday	Veteran's Day Holiday. <u>School closed.</u>
November 15, Thursday	Parent Meeting, 6:00
November 19-21, Monday-Wednesday	Berkeley Public Schools closed. New School open as usual and has day for after-schoolers.
November 22-23, Thursday-Friday	Thanksgiving holiday. <u>School closed.</u>
December 1, Saturday	Clean-up
December 12, Wednesday, 4 PM	New School Holiday Performance and Party
December 24, 2018-January 4, 2019	Winter Recess. <u>School closed.</u>
January 7, 2019, Tuesday	School reopens.
January 19, Saturday	Clean-up
January 21, Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Day. <u>School closed.</u>
January 28, Monday	Staff Development Day, BUSD. See 10/8.
February 9, Saturday	Clean-up
February 15, Friday	Lincoln Day. <u>School closed.</u>

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February 18, Monday	President's Day. <u>School closed.</u>
March 9, Saturday	Clean-up
April 1-5, Monday-Friday	Spring Recess. Day care available with advance sign-up. Extra fee for after-school and part-time preschoolers.
April 6, Saturday	Clean-up
April 27, Saturday	Spring Fair
May 4, Saturday	Clean-up
May 20, Monday	Malcolm X Day. Berkeley Schools closed. New School open as usual and has day care for after-schoolers.
May 24-27, Friday-Monday	Mendocino Memorial Day weekend camping trip. <u>School closed May 24 and 27.</u>
June 1, Saturday	Clean-up
June 7, Friday	Family Pot Luck. 6 PM.
June 17, Monday	Summer Session begins
July 4, Thursday	Independence Day. <u>School closed.</u>
July 13, Saturday	Clean-up
August 26-30, Mon-Fri	Prep Week. <u>School closed.</u>
September 2, Monday	Labor Day. <u>School closed.</u>

Usually New School is closed completely on all legal holidays. We will also be closed the Friday after Thanksgiving (November 23), for two weeks in December (12/24/187-1/4/19), and February 15 for Lincoln Day. **New School will be closed the Friday before Memorial Day (May 24) because this is the extra day for our annual Memorial Day weekend camping trip, as well as Memorial Day, Monday the 27th. In 2019 we will close August 26 through September 2 to prepare the school and staff for the fall 2019 session. *Please note these dates now and plan accordingly.* (In 2018 we are closed 8/27 to 9/3.)**

On “non-legal” Berkeley Public School holidays and “Staff Development Days” New School is usually open and after-school children may sign up for full day care on these days, **\$30/day in advance (otherwise \$40).** Day care will also be available 4/1-4/5. Care for this week is included in the full time tuition plan only. Part-time and after-school students pay an extra fee for care on these days. If you have questions please ask Merlyn.