

The Willow School Calendar – 2017-2018

AUGUST

Thursday August 31 Middle School Orientation (10:00am-12:00pm)
(All 6th grade and new 7th grade students and parents)

SEPTEMBER

Monday September 4 Labor Day
 Tuesday September 5 Parent/Teacher Meet and Greet
 Wednesday September 6 First Day of School-Welcome Back Reception
 Stay & Play and Extended Day programs begin
 Thursday September 7 Class Parents & Committee Chair Meeting (after Morning Gathering)
 Friday September 8 First Friday with Jerry
 Monday September 11 Parent Association Kick-Off Meeting (after Morning Gathering)
 Enrichment and After School Sports begin
 Sunday September 17 Welcome Back Ice Cream Social (1:00pm – 3:00pm)
 Tuesday September 19 Back to School Night: Preschool-5th grades (7:00 pm-8:30pm)
 Tuesday September 19 Admissions Officers Reception (10:00am -11:30am)
 FHCD Secondary School Fair

Thursday September 21 Rosh Hashanah-School Closed
 Tuesday September 26 Back to School Night: 6th – 8th Grades (7:00pm-8:30pm)
 Thursday-Friday September 28 & 29 Middle School Trip

OCTOBER

Wednesday October 4 Whole School Picture (8:15am) (rain date: 10/6)
 Thursday October 5 Student Picture Day
 Friday October 6 First Friday with Jerry
Monday October 9 Fall Break—School Closed
 Friday October 13 Movie Night
 Saturday October 21 SSAT – Testing (8th graders)
 Tuesday October 31 Parent Association Harvest Soup Kick-Off Luncheon (1:00pm-2:30pm)
 Halloween Parade (2:30pm)

NOVEMBER

Friday November 3 First Friday with Jerry
Monday November 6 Parent/Teacher Conferences-No School Students
 Saturday November 11 Fall Fête (6:30pm)
 Wednesday November 15 Parent Association Meeting (8:15am-9:30am)
 Tuesday November 21 Harvest Soup Day (noon dismissal)
Wednesday-Friday November 22-24 Thanksgiving Vacation – School Closed
 Wednesday November 29 Fall Showcase (5:30pm-8:00pm)

DECEMBER

Friday December 1 First Friday with Jerry
 Sunday December 3 Edible Jersey Holiday Market & 6th Grade Bake Sale
 Thursday December 7 Preschool Winter Arts Morning (10:30am)
 Friday & Saturday December 8 & 9 Holiday Bazaar
 Saturday December 9 7th Grade Bake Sale at Bazaar
 Friday December 15 End of First Semester
 Tuesday December 19 Winter Arts Evening (4:45pm-7:30pm)
Thursday - Tuesday December 21- Jan 2 Winter Break – School Closed

JANUARY

Wednesday January 3 Classes Resume
 Friday January 5 First Friday with Jerry
 Thursday January 11 Middle School Open House (6:30pm-8:00pm)
Monday January 15 Martin Luther King Day-School Closed
 Thurs-Fri January 18 & 19 ERB Testing (Grades 4-8)
 Mon-Tues January 22 & 23 ERB Testing (Grades 4-8)
 Monday January 22 Parent Association Meeting (after Morning Gathering)
 Wednesday January 24 Community Breakfast (7:30am-8:15am)

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FEBRUARY

Thursday	February 2	Middle School Winter Adventure Trip (rain date: 2/9)
Friday	February 2	First Friday with Jerry
Wednesday	February 14	Talent Show (3:15pm-5:15pm)/6 th Grade Bake Sale
Friday	February 16	Staff Development-No School Students
Monday	February 19	Presidents' Day – School Closed
Friday	February 23	Movie Night (6:00pm-8:00pm)

MARCH

Friday	March 2	First Friday with Jerry
Sunday	March 4	Family Fun Night (5:00pm – 7:00pm)
Monday	March 5	Parent/Teacher Conferences – No School Students
Friday	March 9	International Day
Monday-Friday	March 12-25	Spring Break – School Closed
Monday	March 26	Classes Resume
Friday	March 30	Good Friday-School Closed

APRIL

Tuesday-Friday	April 3-6	8 th Grade Internships
Friday	April 6	First Friday with Jerry
Sunday	April 8	Family Spring Cleanup Day (rain date 4/9)
Wednesday	April 11	Parent Association Teacher & Staff Appreciation Breakfast
Thursday	April 12	Parent Association Meeting (8:30am-9:30am)
Friday	April 13	Spring Showcase (5:30pm-8:00pm)
Wednesday	April 18	Staff Development-No School Students
Friday	April 20	Community Breakfast (7:30am-8:15am)
Wednesday	April 25	Earth Day
		Pot Luck Recital (5:30-7:30)

MAY

Thursday	May 3	Willow Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast
Friday	May 4	First Friday with Jerry
Saturday	May 5	SSAT testing (for 7 th graders)
Wednesday	May 9	Spring Arts Evening (4:45pm-7:30pm)
Friday	May 11	Grand Friends Day
Saturday	May 12	Green Gala (7:00pm)
Tuesday	May 22	8 th Grade Documentary Night
Wednesday	May 23	Class Parent/Committee Chair Thank You Luncheon (1:00-2:00pm)
Friday	May 25	Staff Development Day-No School Students
Monday	May 28	Memorial Day – School Closed
Tues-Thurs	May 29-31	8 th Grade Trip

JUNE

Friday	June 1	First Friday with Jerry
Monday	June 4	End of Second Semester
Tuesday	June 5	Moving Up Day – 5 th Grade
Wednesday	June 6	8 th Grade Dinner (6:00pm-8:00pm)
Thursday	June 7	Field Day
Friday	June 8	Middle School Spring Sing
Saturday	June 9	New Family Reception (5:30pm-6:30pm - Library)
		Closing Ceremony Preschool & Kindergarten Students (10:00am)
		Closing Ceremony 1 st - 7 th Grade Students, 8 th Grade Graduation (9:00am)
		11:00am dismissal
		Alumni Picnic