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2025-2026 School Age Family Calendar

WPP- West Park Place Elementary; NCS- Newark Charter School

Full Days are not included in the monthly fee. Full days will be billed at \$40. Families must sign up at least one week in advance to participate. Sign-ups will be posted outside the classroom. June 2026 will be billed separately.

Note: We are not able to support virtual learning on full days.

2025	
August 18- September 1	School Age program closed
August 27-29 (Wed-Fri)	ELC Closed – Professional Development Days
September 1 (Mon)	ELC Closed – Labor Day
September 2 (Tues)	1st day Before & After Care NCS, & WPP Grades 1-2
· · · ·	WPP Kindergarten orientation day
September 22-23 (Mon-Tues)	WPP closed - Optional full days at ELC
October 2 (Thurs)	WPP closed – Optional full day at ELC
October 3 (Fri)	WPP Virtual ½ Day - Optional full day w/o virtual learning at ELC
October 10 (Fri)	ELC Closed – Professional Development Day
	WPP and NCS closed
October 23rd (Thurs)	Fall Festival and Anniversary Party
4pm-5:30pm	Center closes at 4:00 pm
	All families and children invited to attend event
November 10 (Mon)	WPP closed – Optional full day at ELC
November 11 (Tues)	WPP and NCS closed – Optional full day at ELC
November 14 (Fri)	NCS closed – Optional full day at ELC
November 24-26 (Mon-Wed)	ELC Closed – Family Conferences and Professional Development
	Days
	WPP and NCS closed
November 27-28 (Thurs-Fri)	ELC Closed – Thanksgiving Break
	WPP and NCS closed
December 22 (Mon)	ELC Closed – Professional Development Day
	WPP and NCS closed
December 23-January 1 (Tues-	ELC Closed – Winter Break
following Thurs)	WPP and NCS closed
2026	
January 2 (Fri)	ELC Closed – Professional Development Day
	WPP and NCS closed
January 5 (Mon)	ELC reopens for families
January 19 (Mon)	ELC Closed – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
	WPP and NCS closed
January 30 (Mon)	WPP closed – Optional full day at ELC
February 9 (Mon)	WPP closed – Optional full day at ELC
February 13 (Fri)	NCS closed – Optional full day at ELC
February 16 (Mon)	WPP and NCS closed – Optional full day at ELC
March 6 (Fri)	NCS closed – Optional full day at ELC
March 19-20 (Thurs-Fri)	WPP closed – Optional full day at ELC

March 25-27 (Wed-Fri)	ELC Closed – Family Conferences and Professional Development
·	Days
	WPP and NCS Open – No aftercare at ELC
April 2 (Thurs)	School Age program closed
	(ELC open for Infant through PreK)
	WPP closed
April 3 (Fri)	School Age program closed
	(ELC open for Infant through PreK)
	WPP and NCS closed
April 6-10 (Mon-Fri)	WPP and NCS closed for Spring Break – Optional full days at ELC
May 22 (Fri)	School Age program closed
,	(ELC Closes at 12:00 pm for Infant through PreK)
	WPP and NCS closed
May 25 (Mon)	ELC Closed - Memorial Day
	WPP and NCS closed
June 2 (Tues)	Last day of school for NCS Kindergarten only
June 3 (Wed)	NCS K closed – Optional full day at ELC;
. ,	Before & After Care for NCS Grades 1-2 and WPP
June 4 (Thurs)	NCS K closed – Optional full day at ELC;
	Last day/ early dismissal NCS Grades 1-2;
	Before & After Care for NCS Grades 1-2 and WPP
June 5-10 (Fri-Wed)	NCS closed - Optional full days at ELC;
	Before & After Care for WPP
June 10 (Wed)	Last day of school for WPP
June 11-12 (Thurs-Fri)	WPP and NCS closed – Optional full days at ELC
June 12 (Fri)	Last day of school age program
June 15-18 (Mon-Thurs)	School Age program closed
	ELC open for Infant through PreK
June 19 (Fri)	ELC Closed – Juneteenth
June 22 (Mon)	Camp Session 1 begins
,	*Must be registered - sign up for Camp in March 2026
July 2 (Thurs)	ELC Closes at 12:00 PM
July 3 (Fri)	ELC Closed – Independence Day
July 17 (Fri)	Last Day of Camp Session 1
July 20 (Mon)	Camp Session 2 begins
August 14 (Fri)	Last Day of Summer Camp
August 17-TBD	School Age program closed
August 26-28 (Wed- Fri)	ELC Closed – Professional Development Days

Please note that the school buses will still run on our ELC Professional Development Days and days the School Age program is closed. You have the choice to meet the bus here or drop your child off/pick up at school. We will NOT have a staff member available for the bus times. Ask staff for updated bus times prior to PD days or days the School Age program is closed.

Inclement Weather and Emergency Closings

The directors of the three UD Children's Campus programs work with the UD Office of Public Safety to determine appropriate actions during inclement weather. If a late opening or closing is determined to be necessary, an email will be sent to all families via Constant Contact to your address on file. Please ensure that the front desk has an accurate e-mail address for your family. A notice will also be posted on the ELC Facebook page and the ELC phone line (302-831-6205).