

**SALEM METHODIST PRESCHOOL & EXTENDED CARE
2018-2019 CALENDAR**

AUGUST

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| Monday | Aug 13 | Extended Care Program begins |
| Thursday | Aug 23 | Staff Meeting 9:00am – 2:00 pm, Extended Care in session |
| Mon-Wed | Aug 27-29 | Ready, Set Preschool Camp 9:00 am-12:30 pm |
| Tuesday | Aug 28 | Parent Orientation Meeting 7:00 pm (parents only) |
| Thursday | Aug 30 | All-School Visitation (9-11:30 am) |

SEPTEMBER

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| Monday | Sept 3 | Labor Day – NO SCHOOL |
| Tuesday | Sept 4 | All classes, enrichment classes and Stay ‘N Play begins |
| Mon-Thurs | Sept 17-21 | School Pictures |
| Mon/Tues | Sept 24/25 | Vision and Hearing Screening (3 yr + students) |

OCTOBER

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| Tues/Wed | Oct 30, 31 | Fall Festival celebrations – during class time |
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NOVEMBER

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| Mon-Wed | Nov 5-7 | Pre-K Fall Conferences – school in session |
| Mon-Thurs | Nov 12-14 | 4’s Fall Conferences – school in session |
| Mon/Tues | Nov 19/20 | All School Thanksgiving Feasts |
| Wed | Nov 21 | NO SCHOOL – Teacher Institute Day |
| Thurs/Fri | Nov 22 & 23 | NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Holiday |

DECEMBER

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| Tuesday | Dec 4 | Gingerbread Celebration (PK class) |
| Wed/Thurs | Dec 19/20 | Christmas Programs |
| Fri | Dec 21 | Last day of preschool/extended before break, All-School PJ Day! |
| Mon-Fri | Dec 24-Jan 1 | Christmas Vacation – NO SCHOOL OR EXTENDED |

JANUARY

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| Mon/Tues | Dec 31/Jan 1 | CLOSED – New Year Holiday |
| Wed-Fri | Jan 2-4 | Extended Care in session |
| Wed-Thurs | Jan 2-3 | Winter Camp (9:00 am – 12:30 pm) |
| Mon | Jan 7 | Preschool classes resume |
| Mon | Jan 21 | NO SCHOOL – Martin L. King Holiday |

FEBRUARY

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| Wed/Thurs | Feb 13/14 | Valentine’s Day parties |
| Mon | Feb 18 | NO SCHOOL – President’s Day |
| Mon-Fri | Feb 25-Mar 1 | Book Fair |
| Thurs | Feb 28 | No classes - Parent-Teacher Conferences (Extended Care ONLY in session) |

MARCH

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| Fri | March 1 | No classes – Parent-Teacher Conferences (Extended Care ONLY in session) |
| Wed | March 13 | Donuts With Dad (8:30-9:00 am) |
| Thurs | March 14 | Donuts With Dad (8:30-9:00 am) |
| Fri | March 15 | Donuts With Dad (8:30-9:00 am) |
| Mon-Fri | Mar 25-29 | Spring Break |

APRIL

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| Mon | Apr 1 | Classes resume |
| Mon-Fri | Apr 8-12 | Week of the Young Child |
| Fri | Apr 19 | Good Friday – NO SCHOOL |
| Mon | Apr 22 | Easter Monday – NO SCHOOL |

MAY

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| Tues | May 7 | Tea for Two – Pre Kindergarten class |
| Thurs | May 9 | 4's Author's Tea |
| Wed | May 22 | Crossing Over Ceremony - PK |
| Wed/Thurs | May 22/23 | Last Day of preschool classes |
| Fri | May 24 | All School Picnic Day – Ron Beese Park |
| ** Each student must be accompanied by a parent or guardian ** | | |
| Mon | May 27 | Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL |
| Tues | May 28 | Extended Care continues |
| Tues | May 29-30 | Salem Summer Camp – Week 1 |

JUNE

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| June | June 3-28 | Extended Care continues through July 26th |
| June | June 3-27 | Salem Summer Camp! (Mon-Thurs) |

JULY

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| Thurs | July 4 | 4 th of July Holiday – NO EXTENDED CARE/Camp |
| Fri | July 5 | 4 th of July Holiday- NO EXTENDED CARE/Camp |
| July | July 1, 2, 8-26 | Extended Care continues through July 26th |
| July | July 8-18 | Salem Summer Camp! (Mon-Thurs) |

AUGUST

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| | July 29-Aug 9 | Summer Break – NO EXTENDED CARE |
| Mon | Aug 12 | Extended Care program continues |

Specific information on Picture Day, parties, field trips, etc. will be given in monthly newsletters.

School will be cancelled only for inclement weather making it dangerous and/or unsafe to travel. Listen to radio stations WMAQ 670, WGN 720, or WBBM 780 for information regarding school closings. Information is also posted on www.emergencyclosingcenter.com

Extended Care Dates

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