## **B.E.S.T. LEARNING CENTER** SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR 2019/2020

<b>SEPTEMBER, 2019 (19 days)</b>	
August 29	"MEET THE TEACHER" ORIENTATION
September 2	Labor Day
September 3	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
September 3 - 13	"I Am Special" /Family, Friends & Feelings
September 16 - 20	Body Parts & The Five Senses
September 16	Fundraiser Begins
September 23 - 27	Fall / Down on the Farm
September 30 & Oct. 1	SCHOOL CLOSED - ROSH HASHANAH
OCTOBER, 2019 (20 days)	
October 2 - 8	Fire Prevention/ Columbus Day
October 10 - 18	Nocturnal Animals-Spiders, Bats, Owls, Cats
October 15 - 18	Fall Scholastic Book Fair
October 16	PARENT NIGHT / for Pre-K Classes
October 17	PARENT NIGHT / for 2 & 3-Year-Old Classes
October 21 - Nov. 1	Halloween
Oct. 1	SCHOOL CLOSED - ROSH HASHANAH cont.
October 9	SCHOOL CLOSED – YOM KIPPUR
October 14	SCHOOL CLOSED - COLUMBUS DAY
NOVEMBER, 2019 (16 days)	
November 4 - 8	America / Election & Veterans Day
November 12 - 15	Dinosaurs
November 18 - 26	Native Americans / Thanksgiving
November 5	SCHOOL CLOSED - ELECTION DAY
November 11	SCHOOL CLOSED - VETERANS DAY
November 27 - 29	SCHOOL CLOSED - THANKSGIVING RECESS
DECEMBER, 2019 (15 days)	
December 2 - 6	B.E.S.T. Goes Around the World
December 6	Pre-K "Let's Travel Around the World!" Day
December 9 - 20	Hanukkah / Christmas / Customs & Traditions
December 23 – January 3	SCHOOL CLOSED -
·	HANUKKAH/CHRISTMAS RECESS
*** Performances will be scheduled on our stage for ea	ch class throughout the holiday season. ***
JANUARY, 2020 (19 days)	
January 6	SCHOOL RESUMES
January 6 - 10	Winter/ Arctic Adventures
January 13 - 24	M.L. King/Community Workers/ Careers/Professions
January 27 - 31	Nutrition, Dental & Personal Hygiene
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SCHOOL CLOSED -HOLIDAY RECESS cont.

SCHOOL CLOSED- M.L. KING JR. DAY

January 1 - 3

January 20

EEDDIIADV 2020 (15 days)	
FEBRUARY, 2020 (15 days) February 3 - 7	Groundhog Day /Space / Solar System
February 4 & 5	SCHOOL PHOTOS
February 10 - 14	Valentine's Day / Presidents
February 24 - 28	The Wonderful World of Dr. Seuss
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February 17 - 21	SCHOOL CLOSED - WINTER RECESS
February 24 - March 27	PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES
MARCH, 2020 (22 days)	
March 2	Celebrate Dr. Seuss' Birthday
March 2 - 6	Transportation / Safety
March 2 - 6	ST. JUDE'S FUNDRAISER
March 9 - 20	Tropical Rainforests / Animals in the Wilderness
March 16 & 17	Celebrate St. Patrick's Day
March 23 - 27	Spring
APRIL, 2020 (15 days)	
March 30 - April 3	Weather / Fun with Science
March 30 –	
April 3	Spring Scholastic Book Fair
April 3	BOOK BINGO
April 6 - 8	Spring Holidays
April 20 - 24	Ecology / Earth Day
April 27 - May 1	Awesome Authors: Celebrating Children's Book
April 9 - 17	SCHOOL CLOSED - SPRING RECESS
MAY, 2020 (19 days)	
May 4 - 8	Nature / Plants / Mother's Day
May 4 - 8	MOTHER'S DAY PLANT SALE
May 4	Plants Delivered
May 11 - 15	Bugs and Creepy Crawlers
May 13 (Rain Date-May 14)	Pre-K Beach Field Trip
May 18 - 29	Whales, Fish and Sea Creatures / Oceans & Seas
May 25 - 26	SCHOOL CLOSED - MEMORIAL DAY
JUNE, 2020 (15 days)	
June 1 - 19	Crazy Days of June / Father's Day
June 5	Pre-K Father's Day Relays
June 8 - 12	<b>Graduations / Moving Up Ceremonies</b>
June 19	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

Total Days for 2019-2020 school year calendar...175 days with 4 snow days allotted.

<u>Summer Camp 2021</u> (for infants through age 12) ...tentatively <u>June 29<sup>th</sup>- August 14<sup>th</sup></u> Open 7 weeks...Half Day, Mini and Full Day Schedules (ages 2-12)

## All Thematic Units that the children will be working on are written in Italics.

\*\*Tuition is pro-rated on a 10-month/170-175 days (with snow days) school year; not a monthly basis\*\*
Our calendar has already taken into account 4 Emergency Closing days. We will not remain open for the first 4 closings because they have been added into the total days already. In the event that we are closed for more than 4 emergency days than we will open for the date listed below.

In the event that we do not use at least 2 snow days we will be closed on Friday, May 22nd

5<sup>th</sup> Emergency closing day make-up May 26<sup>th</sup>