Seneca Academy 2025-2026 School Year Calendar DRAFT as of January 20, 2025

Tuesday, August 26: Elementary Before-School Conferences (Optional)

Wednesday, August 27: First Day of School for K-5; Optional Parent Coffee 8:30-9:30 a.m.; 12:30 p.m. Dismissal; No Before or After Care

Thursday, August 28: First Full Day of School for Grades 1-5; 12:30 p.m. Dismissal for K; Before Care and After Care Begins for Grades 1-5; Before Care Begins but NO After Care for K; Preschool Before-School Conferences (Optional; Parents Only)

Friday, August 29: First Full Day of School for K; Contracted Before and After Care Available for K-5; Preschool Before-School Conferences (Optional; Parents Only)

Monday, September 1: NO SCHOOL - Labor Day

Tues., September 2 - Wed., September 3: Preschool Meet and Greets

Thursday, September 4: First Day of School for Preschool T/Th 3s & ALL 4s; Mini-Sessions Only

Friday, September 5: First Day of School for Preschool M/W/F & M-F 3s; Mini-Sessions for 3s; Before and After Care Begin for 4s

Monday, September 8: Before and After Care Begin for Preschool 3s

Wednesday, September 10: Elementary Back to School Night 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 24: Preschool Back to School Night 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 10: 1/2 Day for Elementary Report Writing; K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

NO After Care

NO SCHOOL for Preschool Students - Report Writing

Mon., October 13 – Tues., October 14: NO SCHOOL – Fall Break (Mon.) and Prof. Dev. (Tuesday)

Thursday, October 30: 1/2 Day for Elementary Conferences – K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

NO Elementary After Care

Friday, October 31: NO SCHOOL for Elementary - Conferences

Tuesday, November 25: ¹/₂ Day for Elementary – K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

Regular Schedule for Morning Preschool; M-F Ext. 4s - 12:00 p.m. dismissal

NO Lunch Bunch / After Care

Wed., November 26 - Fri., November 28: NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break

Friday, December 19: 1/2 Day for Elementary – K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.;

Regular Schedule for Morning Preschool

NO Lunch Bunch / After Care

Mon., December 22 - Fri., January 2: NO SCHOOL - Winter Break

Monday, January 5: First Day Back to School

Friday, January 16: NO SCHOOL for Students - Report Writing

Monday, January 19: NO SCHOOL – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Thursday, January 29: NO SCHOOL for Preschool 3s TTh and Prekindergarten 4s M-Th Students – Preschool Conferences

Friday, January 30: NO SCHOOL for Preschool 3s MWF, Preschool 3s M-F, Prekindergarten 4s M-F, Prekindergarten 4s Extended Day Students – Conferences

Friday, February 13: NO SCHOOL

Monday, February 16: NO SCHOOL - Presidents' Day

Friday, March 6: 1/2 Day for Elementary Report Writing – K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

NO Elementary After Care

Monday, March 9: NO SCHOOL for Students - Professional Development

Thursday, March 19: 1/2 Day for Elementary Conferences; K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

NO Elementary After Care

K-2: NO Conference Attendance; 3-5: REQUIRED Conference Attendance

Friday, March 20: NO SCHOOL for Elementary – Conferences

K-2: NO Conference Attendance; 3-5: REQUIRED Conference Attendance

Friday, March 27: 1/2 Day for Elementary – K-5 Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

Regular Schedule for Morning Preschool; M-F Ext. 4s – 12:00 p.m. dismissal

NO Lunch Bunch / After Care

- Monday, March 30 Monday, April 6: NO SCHOOL Spring Break
- **Thursday, May 21:** ½ Day for Professional Development; Elementary Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m. NO After Care

NO SCHOOL for Preschool Students - Professional Development

Friday, May 22: NO SCHOOL for Students - Report Writing

Monday, May 25: NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day

Thursday, June 4: Last Day of School - Elementary Students Dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

Regular Schedule for Morning Preschool; M-F Ext. 4s - 12:00 p.m. dismissal

NO Lunch Bunch/After Care

Friday, June 5: Graduation – Grades 4 and 5 REQUIRED Attendance (Half-Day; Time TBD)

<u>Religious Holidays</u>: Seneca Academy honors our diverse community and understands that many families observe special religious days throughout the year. All absences from school for religious reasons will be excused, provided written notice is given.

<u>School Contingency Calendar</u>: There are 172 school days for elementary students built into this calendar. We must hold elementary classes for at least 170 days. Therefore, should school be closed more than 2 days during the year, we will add the following school days in order to meet the 170-day requirement.

If school is closed:	We will have classes	for elementary and	preschool students on:
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- 3 days Monday, May 1, 2026
- 4 days 5/1/26 and Monday, April 6, 2026
- 5 days 5/1/26, 4/6/26, and Monday, June 8, 2026

School Hours: Elementary drop-off begins at 8:15 a.m.; classes begin at 8:30 a.m. Elementary dismissal is 3:00 p.m. Preschool hours and drop-off/dismissal times vary by program; please verify on website.