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## 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

*Revised August 24, 2021*

<b>August</b>	Thurs. Mon.	Aug. 19 Aug. 30	Full Day Summer Program ends School Year Staff Orientation begins
<b>September</b>	Thursday Monday Tuesday Monday	Sept. 2 Sept. 6 Sept. 7 Sept. 13	Outdoor Orientation Day for GCS Families Labor Day – <b>No School</b> Classes begin Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM*
<b>October</b>	Monday Monday Thursday Monday	Oct. 4 Oct. 4 Oct. 7 Oct. 11	Room Parent Meeting, 6:30 PM Annual General Meeting, 7:30 PM* Curriculum Day – <b>No School</b> Columbus Day – <b>No School</b>
<b>November</b>	Monday Thurs. Wed. - Fri.	Nov. 8 Nov. 11 Nov. 24 - 26	Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM* Veteran's Day – <b>No School</b> Thanksgiving Recess – <b>No School</b>
<b>December</b>	Thursday Monday Fri.-Fri.	Dec. 2 Dec. 13 Dec. 24 - 31	Tentative Curriculum Day – <b>No School</b> Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM* Holiday Recess – <b>No School</b>
<b>January</b>	Monday Monday Monday	Jan. 10 Jan. 10 Jan. 17	Room Parent Meeting, 6:30 PM Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM* Martin Luther King Jr. Day – <b>No School</b>
<b>February</b>	Friday Monday Thursday Friday Mon. – Fri.	Feb. 4 Feb. 7 Feb. 10 Feb. 11 Feb. 21-25	Parent Teacher Conference Day – <b>No School</b> Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM* K & Pre-K Information Night, 6:30 PM Parent Teacher Conference Day Snow Date Winter Recess – <b>No School</b>
<b>March</b>	Sunday Monday Friday	Mar. 6 Mar. 14 Mar. 18	Tentative Annual Open House, 1 – 3 PM Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM* Tentative Curriculum Day – <b>No School</b>

<b>April</b>	Mon. – Fri.	Apr. 4 - 8	GCS Celebrates the Week of the Young Child
	Monday	Apr. 11	Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM*
	Friday	Apr. 15	Good Friday – <b>No School</b>
	Mon. – Fri.	Apr. 18 - 22	Spring Recess – <b>No School</b>
<b>May</b>	Monday	May 9	Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM*
	Monday	May 30	Memorial Day – <b>No School</b>
<b>June</b>	Monday	June 13	Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 PM*
	Weds.	June 15	Last Day of School
	Thurs. & Fri.	June 16 & 17	School Closing & Camp Set Up– <b>No School</b>

*\*All Groton Community School parents and guardians are welcome to attend virtual Board meetings.*

**REMINDER – CURRICULUM DAYS – NO SCHOOL**

**Tentative Dates are planned as follows:**

Thursday	October 7 <sup>th</sup>	
Thursday	December 2 <sup>nd</sup>	
Friday	February 4 <sup>th</sup>	Parent/Teacher Conference Day
Friday	March 18 <sup>th</sup>	

**PARENT/GUARDIAN & TEACHER DATES**

**CURRICULUM NIGHTS:** Each program will schedule a virtual evening for adults in September or October.

**CONFERENCE CALLS:** Teachers will call parents/guardians in October for informal phone conferences. A virtual “home visit” is another alternative to touch base with families if needed in the fall.

**CHILDREN’S WRITTEN OBSERVATIONS** will be shared in February and in May. If a child is receiving special services, an additional written observation will be shared with families in the fall. Although parents/guardians are encouraged to meet virtually with teachers at any time, formal online conferences will be offered in February.