



SANDY SPRING FRIENDS SCHOOL

## 2024-2025 Academic Calendar

This calendar card lists holidays and start/end school dates for 2024-2025. *Professional Day* dates are currently in review and will be added soon. Please note that classes will end at 1:10 PM (LS)/ 1:20 PM (MS/US) each Wednesday throughout the year for faculty-staff meetings. Last updated: May, 2024

Date	Event	Notes
July 25 (Thursday)	Summer Welcome Events at SSFS	
August 31 (Saturday)	Returning & New International Boarding Students Arrive	Dorm proctors and Torch members return <b>Fri., Aug 30</b>
September 1 (Sunday)	All Boarding Students Return & Orientation	
September 2 (Monday)	Labor Day - <b>School Closed</b>	Offices closed
September 3 (Tuesday)	<b>SSFS Family All-School Orientation Event</b>	More information and schedule of all-school and division-specific activities to be sent in August
September 4 (Wednesday)	<b>First Full Day of Classes</b>	Academic classes begin for LS, MS, US
October 14 (Monday)	Fall Holiday - <b>School Closed</b>	Offices closed; Dorm open
November 20 (Wednesday)	Regular School Dismissal Time	
November 22 (Friday)	LS, IS & MS Grandfriends Day US In Session 1:20 PM Early Dismissal	Please note that there are no academic classes the week of Thanksgiving. <b>The dorm closes Saturday, Nov. 23 at 12:00 noon and re-opens on Sunday, Dec. 1 at 1:00 pm.</b>
November 25-29 (Mon-Fri)	Thanksgiving Break - <b>School Closed</b>	Offices closed; Dorm closed
December 20 (Friday)	<b>12:00 PM Early Dismissal</b>	Winter Break begins at <b>12:00 pm for LS, MS, US</b>
December 23-Jan 3 (Mon-Fri)	Winter Break - <b>School Closed</b>	Offices closed; <b>Dorm closes on Fri, Dec 20 at 12:00 noon; Dorm re-opens at 1:00 pm on</b>
January 6 (Monday)	Classes Resume	
January 20 (Monday)	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - <b>School Closed</b>	Offices closed; Dorm open
February 14-17 (Fri-Mon)	Mid-Winter Break/President's Day - <b>School Closed</b>	Offices closed; Dorm open
March 17-21 (Mon-Fri)	Upper School Intersession Week	
March 17-21 (Mon-Fri)	Middle School Immersion Week	
March 21 (Friday)	<b>12:00 PM Early Dismissal</b>	
March 24-31 (Mon-Mon)	Spring Break - <b>School Closed</b> Classes resume Tuesday, Apr. 1	Offices closed; Dorm closed <b>Dorm closes on Sat, March 22 at 12:00 noon; Dorm re-opens at 1:00 pm on Mon, Mar. 31</b>
May 26 (Monday)	Memorial Day - School Closed	Offices closed; Dorm open
June 5 (Thursday)	<b>Last Day of Classes - 1:00 pm Early Dismissal</b>	End of Q4/2nd Semester on Thursday, Jun. 6
June 6 (Friday)	Senior Graduation Rehearsal & Senior-Fac/Staff MFW	
June 7 (Saturday)	Class of 2025 Graduation - 9:00 am, On-Campus	<b>Dorm closes on Sat. June 8 at 6:00 pm</b>