

Date(s)	Event
8/19/2026	New Family Welcome Ice Cream Social - 3:00-4:30pm 🍦
8/24/2026	School Resumes - 12PM DISMISSAL FOR ALL STUDENTS
8/27/2026	Adolescent Program Student Camp Out
8/27/2026	Board Meeting - 7:00pm
8/31/2026	Maria Montessori's 156th Birthday 🎂
9/2/2026	Parents' Back-to-School Night - 6:30pm
9/7/2026	SCHOOL CLOSED – Labor Day
9/8/2026	Upper El Field Trip: Alpaca Farm in Poplar Grove (8:30am - 3:00pm)
9/17/2026	Board Meeting - 7:00pm
9/21/2026	International Day of Peace ☸
9/22/2026 - 9/24/2026	School Picture Days <i>Watch for info re: individual classroom dates</i>
9/24/2026	Primary Parent Meet-Up & Dinner (4:30 - 6:00pm)
9/28/2026	Upper El Field Trip: Lake Forest Open Lands Ravine Adventure (12:45 - 2:45pm)
9/28/2026 - 10/2/2026	Spirit Week - Kick-Off to 2026-27 Annual Giving Campaign!
10/2/2026	Fall Fest 🍁 - 3:00 - 6:00pm
10/5/2026 - 10/7/2026	Upper El Overnight Trip to White Pines Ranch
10/9/2026	SCHOOL CLOSED – Teacher In-Service
10/12/2026	CLUB DAY
10/15/2026	Health Exams & Vision Exams Due
10/15/2026	Fall Observation scheduling begins
10/15/2026	Board Meeting - 7:00pm
10/17/2026	PRY3 (Ms. Pearson) Parent + Child Work Sessions
10/19/2026 10/20/2026 10/21/2026 10/22/2026	Lower El Parent-Child Work Sessions (3:00 - 3:45pm)
10/19/2026 10/20/2026 10/21/2026	Upper El Parent-Child Work Sessions
10/21/2026 10/22/2026 10/23/2026	PRY1 (Ms. Lanni) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 3:15-4:00pm
10/24/2026	PRY3 (Ms. Pearson) Parent + Child Work Sessions
10/26/2026 10/27/2026	PRY4 (Ms. Jenny) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 3:15-4:00pm
10/30/2026	Lower El Halloween Party (in-class)
10/30/2026	Upper El Halloween Party (in-class)
11/3/2026	PRY2 (Ms. Fotopoulos) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 2:15-3:00pm & 3:15-4:00pm
11/4/2026	PRY2 (Ms. Fotopoulos) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 2:15-3:00pm & 3:15-4:00pm
11/5/2026	"Beyond Primary" Parent Education Session (6:30 - 8:00pm)
11/6/2026	SCHOOL CLOSED – Teacher In-Service
11/9/2026	CLUB DAY – Parent-Teacher Conferences
11/18/2026	Picture Retake Day
11/19/2026	Board Meeting - 7:00pm

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11/20/2026	Lower EI Field Trip: Chicago Symphony Orchestra
11/20/2026	Upper EI Field Trip: Feed My Starving Children
11/24/2026	Grandparents' & Special Friends' Day 11:00am DISMISSAL FOR ALL STUDENTS
11/25/2026 - 11/27/2026	SCHOOL CLOSED – Thanksgiving
12/1/2026	Giving Tuesday! Support MSLF's Annual Giving Campaign!
12/15/2026	Upper EI Field Trip: Snow Tubing (10:00am - 2:00pm)
12/18/2026	HOLIDAY SING! 🎵 EARLY DISMISSAL @ 12PM - WINTER BREAK BEGINS
12/21/2026 - 1/1/2027	SCHOOL CLOSED - ALL STUDENTS
1/4/2027	SCHOOL RESUMES AFTER WINTER BREAK
1/18/2027	CLUB DAY – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
1/21/2027	Primary Key Year Meeting & Open House
1/21/2027	Board Meeting - 7:00pm
1/24/2027	MSLF Family Skate - Glacier Ice Area - 10:30am - 12:30pm 🛼
1/28/2027	Elementary & Adolescent Program Open House
2/4/2027	Re-enrollment For 2027-2028 School Year begins! (February 4 - March 11, 2027)
2/11/2027	Lower EI Valentine's Party (in-class)
2/12/2027	CLUB DAY
2/15/2027	CLUB DAY
2/15/2027 - 2/19/2027	Community Appreciation Week!
2/17/2027 2/18/2027 2/19/2027	PRY1 (Ms. Lanni) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 3:15-4:00pm
2/18/2027	Board Meeting - 7:00pm
2/20/2027	PRY3 (Ms. Pearson) Parent + Child Work Sessions
2/22/2027 2/23/2027	PRY4 (Ms. Jenny) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 3:15-4:00pm
2/22/2027 2/23/2027 2/24/2027	Upper EI Parent-Child Work Sessions
2/27/2027	PRY3 (Ms. Pearson) Parent + Child Work Sessions
3/1/2027 3/2/2027 3/3/2027 3/4/2027	Lower EI Parent-Child Work Sessions (3:00 - 3:45pm)
3/2/2027	PRY2 (Ms. Fotopoulos) Parent + Child Work Sessions - 2:15-3:00pm & 3:15-4:00pm
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3/5/2027	SCHOOL CLOSED – Teacher In-Service
3/8/2027	CLUB DAY – Parent-Teacher Conferences
March TBD	MSLF Book Fair!
3/11/2027	Re-enrollment For 2027-2028 School Year ends!
3/12/2027	Upper EI Field Trip: Museum of Science and Industry

Date(s)	Event
3/22/2027 - 3/26/2027	CLUB DAYS – Spring Break
March 30 - April 2	Upper EI Theater Week at MSLF
4/1/2027	Primary Parent Meet-Up & Dinner (4:30 - 6:00pm)
April 5-9	Upper EI Theater Week at Gorton Center
4/9/2026	Upper EI Play Performance at Gorton Center 🐾 (1:30pm + 6:30pm)
April TBD	Vision & Hearing Screening
4/17/2027	Spring Fundraiser - Legacy Gala at Knollwood Club
4/22/2027	Board Meeting - 7:00pm
4/28 - 4/30	WORK FAIR (closes 9:00am on Friday)
4/28/2027	WORK FAIR: Opening Reception
4/30/2027	Lower EI Field Trip: Lake Forest Open Lands Association
5/3/2027 - 5/7/2027	Teacher Appreciation Week
5/10/2027	Toddler End of Year Party
5/14/2027	Dental Exams Due
5/18/2027	Upper EI Field Trip: Sand Dunes National Park
5/19/2027 - 5/21/2027	Lower EI Nature's Classroom Trip
5/20/2027	Annual Board Meeting - 7:00pm
5/26/2027	Primary 4 (Ms. Jenny) End of Year Party
5/27/2027	Primary 1 (Ms. Lanni) End of Year Party
5/28/2027	Primary 3 (Ms. Pearson) End of Year Party
5/28/2027	Lower EI 3rd Year Speeches
5/31/2027	SCHOOL CLOSED - Memorial Day
6/1/2027	Primary Key Ceremonies
6/1/2027	Upper EI 6th Year Speeches
6/1/2027	Upper EI End of Year Party
6/1/2027	Lower EI End of Year Party
6/2/2027	Elementary & Adolescent Program Welcome Luncheons
6/2/2027	Primary 2 (Ms. Fotopoulos) End of Year Party
6/4/2027	Last Day of School - 12PM DISMISSAL
6/4/2027	- Stepping Up & Graduation Ceremony - 10:45am
6/4/2027	- End of School Year Family Picnic - 12:00-2:00pm
6/7/2027 - 6/9/2027	CLUB DAYS
6/10/2027 - 6/11/2027	SCHOOL CLOSED - IN-SERVICE
6/14/2027	Summer Program 2027 begins
6/18/2027	SCHOOL CLOSED - Juneteenth/Freedom Day
7/5/2027	SCHOOL CLOSED – Independence Day
8/6/2027	Last Day of Summer Program 2027