



### August:

8/13 Wednesday **Tuition Due - Single Installment, Three Installment, and Ten Installment Plan Users**

### September:

9/2 & 3 Tues/Wed Professional Development, CPR & First Aid Renewal – **Staff Only**

9/4 & 5 Thurs/Fri First Day of School Students – Two and Five Dayers (5<sup>th</sup>) Three Dayers (6<sup>th</sup>)

9/17 Wednesday Back-To-School Night (6:30 – 7:30 p.m.) - *Parents Only*

9/19 Friday PPA Pumpkin Picking Party\* (2:00 – 3:00 p.m.) *Aftercare is not available (Rain date: Mon, 9/22)*

9/29 & 30 Mon/Tues 10:00 AM **Tuition Due – Ten Installment Plan Users Only**

### October:

10/13 Monday **SCHOOL CLOSED** Columbus Day/Indigenous People’s Day

10/29 Wednesday Fall Picture Day ALL STUDENT EVENT - *Two-Dayer Dismissal at 11:45 a.m.*

10/30 & 31 Thurs/Fri 10:00 AM **Tuition Due – Ten Installment Plan Users Only**

10/31 Friday Halloween Celebration\* (8:15–9:15 a.m.) School ends at 3:00 p.m. *Aftercare is not available*

### November:

11/11 Tuesday **SCHOOL CLOSED** Veterans Day

11/17-21 Fall Parent Teacher Conferences

11/25 & 26 Tues/Wed 10:00 AM **Tuition Due - Three Installment AND Ten Installment Plan Users**

11/26 Wed AM **11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. DISMISSAL NO LUNCH TODAY**

11/27 & 28 Thurs/Fri **SCHOOL CLOSED** Observation of Thanksgiving

### December:

12/22 & 23 Mon/Tues 10:00 AM **Tuition Due – Ten Installment Plan Users Only**

12/23 Tues AM **11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. DISMISSAL NO LUNCH TODAY**

12/24 – 12/31 **SCHOOL CLOSED** Winter Recess

### January:

1/1 & 2 Thurs & Fri **SCHOOL CLOSED** New Year’s Day + Winter Recess

1/19 Monday **SCHOOL CLOSED** M.L.K. Jr. Day

1/29 & 30 Thurs/Fri 10:00 AM **Tuition Due – Ten Installment Plan Users Only**

### February:

2/11 Wednesday Re-Enrollment: 2026-2027 School Year and 2026 Summer Camp Enrollment Contract(s), Summer Camp Fee + Partial June 2027 Tuition Due

2/16 & 17 Mon & Tues **SCHOOL CLOSED** President’s Day Recess

2/26 & 27 Thurs/Fri 10:00 AM **Tuition Due - Three Installment AND Ten Installment Plan Users**

### March:

3/11 Wednesday Re-Enrollment Tuition Balance for June 2027 + School Year Fees Due

3/30 Monday Spring Picture Day ALL STUDENT EVENT - *Two-Dayer Dismissal at 11:45 a.m.*

3/30 & 31 Mon/Tues 10:00 AM **Tuition Due – Ten Installment Plan Users Only**

### April:

4/3-10 **SCHOOL CLOSED** Spring Recess

4/27-5/1 Spring Parent Teacher Conferences

4/29 & 30 Wed/Thurs 10:00 AM **Tuition Due – Ten Installment Plan Users Only**

### May:

5/6 Wednesday *Class of 2026 PPA Graduates Only* - Graduation Fee Due (\$100)

5/8 Friday PPA Mother’s Day Event\* (2:00 – 3:00 p.m.) *Aftercare is not available*

5/20 Wednesday **2026 Summer Camp First Installment Tuition Payment Due**

5/25 Monday **SCHOOL CLOSED** Memorial Day

### June:

6/12 Friday PPA Father’s Day Event\* (2:00 – 3:00 p.m.) *Aftercare is not available*

6/16 & 17 Tues/Wed Last Day of School – Two Dayer (16<sup>th</sup>) Three and Five Dayers (17<sup>th</sup>)

6/18 Thursday Final Day for Graduates 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
“Off-To-Kindergarten” Park Prep Academy Class of 2026  
Graduation Ceremony (11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.) - *Aftercare is not available*

**\* At least one parent/caregiver is required to attend the four school events marked with an asterisk**  
**ALL DATES AND SCHOOL-WIDE CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE** - 2026 Summer Camp Begins on Monday, July 6, 2026



# Park Prep Academy

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**Park Prep Academy's Policy on the Management of Communicable Diseases**  
**FOR COVID-19, PLEASE REFER TO THE MOST UP TO DATE GUIDELINES**  
**FROM JERSEY CITY AND NEW JERSEY HEALTH DEPARTMENTS.**

We at Park Prep Academy ask that you use good judgment when deciding whether or not to send your child to school. It is our goal to ensure the safety, well-being, and health of all our students and kindly request that children who exhibit contagious symptoms, such as runny noses, frequent sneezing or coughing (particularly during cold and flu season) remain home from school until their symptoms subside.

**Please do not hesitate to contact us if you are unsure about whether your child would be contagious or not.**

If a child exhibits any of the following symptoms, he/she should not attend the center. If such symptoms occur at the center, the child will be removed from the group and you will be called to take him/her home:

- Severe pain or discomfort
- Acute diarrhea
- Episodes of acute vomiting
- Elevated temperature of 100.4 degrees of Fahrenheit
- Sore throat or severe coughing
- Yellow eyes or jaunted skin
- Red eyes with discharge
- Infected, untreated skin patches
- Difficult or rapid breathing
- Skin lesions lasting longer than 24 hours
- Swollen joints
- Visibly enlarged lymph nodes
- Stiff neck
- Blood in urine

**Once the child is symptom free for 24 hours, and/or has a doctor's note stating that he/she no longer poses a serious health risk to himself/herself or others, he/she may return to the school. If your child is on antibiotics, you must keep your child home for the first 24 hours that they are on medication, due to the contagious period of the sickness.**

**Table of Excludable Illnesses**

**Respiratory Illness:**

- Chicken Pox\*\*
- German Measles
- Hemophilus Influenza\*
- Measles\*
- Mumps\*
- Meningococcus\*
- Strep Throat
- Tuberculosis\* (TB)
- Whooping Cough\*

**Gastrointestinal Illness**

- Giardia Lambliab\*
- Hepatitis A\*
- Salmonella\*
- Shingella\*

**Contact Illness**

- Impetigo
- Lice
- Scabies

\*Reportable diseases that will be reported to the health center by the center.

\*\*Note: If your child has Chicken Pox, a doctor's note is not required for re-admitting the child to the center. A note from the parent is required, stating that either at least six days elapsed since the onset of the rash or that all sores have dried and crusted. If your child is exposed to any excludable diseases at the center, you will be notified in writing.

**If your child will be absent from the Academy, kindly call the Academy as early as possible so we can maintain accurate attendance records.**