

Bethany Academy

MARCH 2026

newsletter

Warm Greetings!

We are grateful for this new month and are looking forward to Spring and all of the wonders that it brings. We have an eventful and exciting month ahead of us as we transition from winter to spring!

School Age Children will be celebrating music month and dedicating most of their artworks to famous musicians in music history. Tigers' Classroom new theme will be restaurant, Busy Bees' Classroom will begin their study of pets and Explorers' Classroom will begin their studies of weather! As always, we are committed to continuing to prepare our Head Start children for Kindergarten, so please be on a lookout for upcoming events this month and the months to follow that will be centered on preparing you and your children for Kindergarten!

Again, thank you for your continued partnership as we embark on the second half of our school year. Your support makes a significant difference! Please don't hesitate to reach out via email if you have any questions or concerns. Be filled with wonder, be touched by peace, LOVE and believe in the best to come.

Peace, Shalom, Paix, Paz

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IMPORTANT DATES



- MONDAY 3/2/26 - FRIDAY 3/6/26 READ ACROSS AMERICA WEEK
- TUESDAY 3/3/26 PICTURE DAY
- WEDNESDAY 3/4/26 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION AT BETHANY ACADEMY 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM
- FRIDAY 3/6/26 PAJAMA & BOOKS! PLEASE DRESS UP IN YOUR FAVORITE PAJAMA & BRING YOUR FAVORITE BOOK TO SCHOOL!
- SUNDAY 3/8/26 HAPPY INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY & DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGIN, MAKE SURE..
- FRIDAY 3/13/26 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT. 12:00 PM EARLY DISMISSAL FOR HEAD START
- TUESDAY 3/17/26 WEAR GREEN AND GOLD FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY
- WEDNESDAY 3/18/26 DENTAL PRESENTATION AND SCREENINGS
- THURSDAY 3/19/26 BETHANY MUSIC SESSION & RAMADAN ENDS
- FRIDAY 3/20/26 FIRST DAY OF SPRING! NO HEAD START IN OBSERVANCE OF EID AL-FITR
- FRIDAY 3/20/26 GNDC EASTER SHOW 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM AT GRACE TRINITY ACADEMY. ALL ARE WELCOME!
- MONDAY 3/23/26 MARCH MADNESS! WEAR YOUR FAVORITE BASKETBALL TEAM JERSEY TO SCHOOL!
- TUESDAY 3/24/26 MONTHLY PARENT MEETING AT ST. STEPHENS DAYCARE 10:00 AM- 11:00 AM
- WEDNESDAY 3/25/26 CLASSDOJO PARENT WORKSHOP
- FRIDAY 3/27/26 SPRING DANCE 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM
- SUNDAY 3/29/26 HAPPY PALM SUNDAY!
- MONDAY 3/30/26 - FRIDAY 4/3/26 SPRING RECESS, NO HEAD START
- THURSDAY 4/2/26 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, CENTER CLOSED
- FRIDAY 4/3/26 CENTER CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF GOOD FRIDAY
- SUNDAY 4/5/26 HAPPY EASTER & RESURRECTION SUNDAY!
- MONDAY 4/6/26 WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL!

UPCOMING EVENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

- PLEASE HELP US FILL UP SHOE BOXES FOR OUR YEAR LONG OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD WITH THE FOLLOWING GIFT SUGGESTIONS: SCHOOL SUPPLIES, PERSONAL CARE ITEMS, CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND SMALL TOYS/GAMES/ACTIVITIES.
- PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO STOP BY THE SHARE TABLE LOCATED OUTSIDE OF THE MAIN OFFICE. SHARABLE ITEMS ARE WELCOMED AND WE ENCOURAGE OUR FAMILIES TO TAKE WHAT IS SHARED ON THE SHARE TABLE.

•MAKE SURE THAT YOU ARE CHECKING CLASSDOJO DAILY.

•NOTIFY BETHANY ACADEMY OF ABSENCES OR LATNESS ASAP.

•CHECK YOUR CHILD(REN)'S MAILBOX DAILY!

•UPDATE EMERGENCY CONTACT FORMS EVERY (6) MONTHS AND/OR WHEN INFORMATION HAS CHANGED.

•UPDATE HEALTH ASSESSMENT AND IMMUNIZATIONS ANNUALLY.

•PLEASE ALWAYS FOLLOW SCHOOL ILLNESS GUIDELINES TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF GERMS AND SICKNESSES.

•WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY AND REGULARLY TO KEEP THE GERMS AWAY.

- PLEASE CONTINUE TO ENSURE THAT YOUR CHILD COMES TO SCHOOL PREPARED FOR OUTDOOR RECESS WITH WARM COATS, HATS, GLOVES/MITTENS, AND SCARVES. LAYERING IS KEY!
- HYDRATION: EVEN WHEN IT'S COLD, STAYING HYDRATED IS IMPORTANT FOR FOCUS AND HEALTH.
- ROUTINE RESET: AFTER THE HOLIDAYS, WINTER AND SPRING BREAK, GETTING BACK INTO A CONSISTENT SCHOOL ROUTINE CAN TAKE A LITTLE TIME. ENCOURAGING REGULAR BEDTIMES AND MORNING ROUTINES AT HOME WILL BE A GREAT HELP!
- PLEASE SIGN YOUR CHILD(REN) IN AND OUT EVERYDAY. MAKE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR NAME & TIME.

•TUITION MUST BE PAID ON FRIDAY BY 12:00PM.

•WE KINDLY ASK YOU TO NOT DOUBLE PARK ON MAGEE AVE. THANK YOU IN ADVANCE!!

- DON'T FORGET TO STOP BY OUR PARENT BOARD OR ASK YOUR CHILD(REN)'S TEACHER FOR USEFUL RESOURCES THAT ARE AVAILABLE ALL OVER THE CITY. YOU AND YOUR CHILD(REN)'S WELL-BEING WILL ALWAYS BE OUR TOP PRIORITY. PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO ASK OR RECEIVE.

•THERE ARE SPACES AVAILABLE AT BETHANY ACADEMY FOR TODDLERS, PRE-SCHOOL, BEFORE CARE AND AFTERCARE.

PLEASE SHARE THE WORD & PICK UP AN APPLICATION TODAY!



WE WISH ALL OF OUR FRIENDS THAT ARE CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAY THIS MONTH A VERY HAPPY AND MEMORABLE BIRTHDAY!

BRIDLEY GARCIA 3/1, MARA FLORA STUPPARD 3/14, JANNA SERRATA 3/15, LAYTON THOMAS 3/17, ADARIEL 3/23,
KELANI 3/27, VICTOR LOVICHA 3/30.

Special Spotlight & Congratulations

WE WOULD LOVE TO GIVE A SPECIAL SHOUT-OUT TO OUR EXCEPTIONAL RISING STAR TEACHERS:

MS. ASHLEY (SHOOTING STARS CLASSROOM): COMPLETING HER CDA!

MRS. NICOLE (TIGERS CLASSROOM): HONORS/DEAN'S LIST!

MS. NADIA (BUSY BEES AND LITTLE GIANTS CLASSROOM): HONORS/DEAN'S LIST & CLASS OF 2026!

MS. KATIE (EXPLORERS CLASSROOM): CLASS OF 2026!



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1  8 SPRING FORWARD! DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGIN  HAPPY INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 	2  READ ACROSS AMERICA WEEK 	3  School Picture Day 	4  Kindergarten Registration 9:30 am-11:30 am At Bethany Academy 	5  	6  PAJAMA AND BOOKS! 	7 
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29  PALM SUNDAY 	30  SPRING BREAK 	31  SPRING BREAK 	April 1, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 2, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 3, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 4, 2026  SPRING BREAK
April 5, 2026  HAPPY EASTER Sunday 	April 6, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 6, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 7, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 8, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 9, 2026  SPRING BREAK 	April 10, 2026  SPRING BREAK
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						
						