Back to School Day Schedule of Events
Tuesday, August 9, 2022

Upon arrival, please proceed to the welcome center at the front of the school. There you will be greeted and will receive important information such as your event name tags, carpool numbers, school calendar, and other items that you and your family will need before the first day of school on Wednesday, August 10.

Lower School Schedule

Kindergarten (including Nature K) - 4th grade students and parents will arrive at the following times for a session with their teacher. Students will have a chance to meet their teacher before participating in supervised activities. Teacher sessions will last approximately 30 minutes. **Please note that Nature Kindergarten will have their Back-to-School Day on the Walton Way Campus.**

PLEASE NOTE THIS CHANGE: Lower school students should not bring school supplies to campus until Wednesday, August 10th.

Grade	Arrive and check in at welcome table no later than	Parent Program and student activities begin in classrooms at	Program ends
Kindergarten	8:45	9:00	9:30
Nature K	8:45	9:00	9:30
1st Grade	9:15	9:30	10:00
2nd Grade	9:45	10:00	10:30
3rd Grade	10:30	10:45	11:15
4th Grade	11:00	11:15	11:45

Middle School Schedule

Middle school students and parents will arrive at the following times and meet with their child's advisor followed by a rotation through brief presentations with each of the core academic teachers. Students will meet their advisor before heading out to supervised activities on the playground and in the gym. Orientation activities for 5th - 8th grade students will occur during the first few days of school.

PLEASE NOTE THIS CHANGE: students should not bring school or locker supplies until Wednesday, August 10th. Advisors will be working with students on binder and locker set up and organization during the first week of school.

8:30	**5th & 6th grade parents & students arrive and check in**
8:45	Advisory (with students and parents)
9:00	5A Math 6A Social Studies 6B English
9:15	5A English 6A Science 6B Social Studies
9:30	5A Social Studies 6A English 6B Science
9:45	5A Science 6A Spanish 6B Math
10:00	5A Q & A for parents about MS 6A Math 6B Spanish
10:15	**7th and 8th Grade parents and students arrive and check in**
10:30	Advisory
10:45	7.1 Math 8.1 History 8.2 English
11:00	7.1 Spanish 8.1 Math 8.2 Social Studies
11:15	7.1 Social Studies 8.1 Spanish 8.2 Science
11:30	7.1 Science 8.1 English 8.2 Spanish
11:45	7.1 English 8.1 Science 8.2 Math

FAQs

What about preschool and nature preschool students?
Preschool and Nature Preschool students and families will have their own back to school program on the first day of school, Wednesday, August 10. Preschool parents do not need to attend Back to School Day on August 9 unless they have children in other grades. We WILL have childcare available for your preschooler while you are in sessions for your other children. Check-in and pick-up for preschool students will be in the Village.

What do I do with my older child while I am in the session for my younger child?
There will be supervised activities for all children during the morning event. Each child will have an opportunity to meet their teacher at the beginning of their assigned time.

What do I do with my younger child when I need to go meet the teacher of my older child?
We will have supervised activities for all EDS students! Preschool activities will be in the Village.

When should my child bring their school supplies to school?
NOTE THIS CHANGE: Lower and Middle school students should not bring school supplies or locker items to school until Wednesday, August 10th. In middle school, advisors will work with students on binder and locker set up and organization during the first week of school.

Will we still have the evening parent orientation program later in August?
No. During the program on Back to School Day, each teacher will have an information sheet for their class that will provide you with anQ overview of the class including what you can expect with respect to communication. We also hope that these sessions open lines of communication between parents and teachers from the start of the year.

What if I miss a session with one of my child's teachers or miss the entire morning?
We will have a record of everyone who attends. For those who miss, we will make sure you get the information you need. Of course, you could always email the teacher after that morning and ask for the information that was shared.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back as we embrace a new spirit and one heart!