



THE LAUREL SCHOOL

# Academic Calendar 2023-2024

## Term 1: September 5 – December 1

### September

Sept. 4 **School Closed - Labour Day**  
(all students off)

Sept. 5 First day of school

Sept. 29 Dress-Down Day

### October

Oct. 6 **School Closed – P.A. Day**  
(JK-Gr. 3 off)

(Toddler/Preschool open)

Oct. 9 **School Closed – Thanksgiving**  
(all students off)

Oct. 18 Curriculum Night

Oct. 20 Movie Night @ 3:45pm

Oct. 31 Dress-Down Day – Costumes  
Halloween Party (half-day p.m.)

### November

Nov. 10 Remembrance Day Observed

Nov. 13 World Kindness Day Activities

Nov. 17 **School Closed – P.A. Day**  
(JK-Gr. 3 off)

(Toddler/Preschool open)

Nov. 24 Dress-Down Day – Jersey Day  
(Wear a team jersey to school)

Nov. 27 School Photo Day

(Preschool-Gr. 3 wear dress uniform)

## Term 2: December 4 – March 15

### December

Dec. 1 Term 1 report cards distributed  
(JK-Gr. 3)

Dec. 8 **School Closed – P.A. Day**  
(JK-Gr. 3 off)

(Toddler/Preschool open)

Dec. 8 Parent-Teacher Report Calls (JK+)

Dec. 13 Culture Day

Dec. 15 Dress-Down Day - Holiday Sweater  
(Wear a holiday sweater to school)

Dec. 15 Movie Night @ 3:45pm

Dec. 22 Last day before winter break  
(JK-Gr. 3)

Dec. 25 **School Closed - Winter Break**  
(JK-Gr. 3 students off)  
(Toddler/Preschool open, only closed  
on statutory holidays)

Dec. 25 School Closed (Christmas Day)

Dec. 26 School Closed (Boxing Day)

Jan. 1 School Closed (New Years Day)

### January

Jan. 8 First day back to school (JK-Gr. 3)

Jan. 26 Dress-Down Day - Pajama Day  
(Wear pajamas to school)

### February

Feb. 16 **School Closed – P.A. Day**  
(JK-Gr. 3 off)

(Toddler/Preschool open)

Feb. 19 **School Closed – Family Day**  
(all students off)

Feb. 23 Dress-Down Day – Favourite Colour

Feb. 28 Pink Shirt Day for Anti-Bullying  
(Wear a pink shirt to school)

### March

Mar. 11 – 15 **School Closed – March Break**  
(JK-Gr. 3 off)

(Toddler/Preschool open)

Mar. 22 Dress Down Day – Backwards Day

## Term 3: March 18 – June 14

### April

Mar. 29 **School Closed - Good Friday**  
(all students off)

Apr. 1 **School Closed - Easter Monday**  
(all students off)

Apr. 22 Earth Day Activities

Apr. 24 TLS Marketplace (Grades 1-3)

Apr. 26 Dress-Down Day – Crazy Hair Day

### May

May 6 – 10 Career Fair

May 17 **School Closed – P.A. Day**  
(JK-Gr. 3 off)

(Toddler/Preschool open)

May 17 Parent-Teacher  
Check In Calls (JK – Gr. 3)

May 20 **School Closed – Victoria Day**  
(all students off)

May 21 – 24 Academic testing - CAT4 (SK-Gr. 3)

May 24 Dress Down Day – Pajama Day

### June

June 8 School BBQ & Fun Fair

June 14 Play Day

June 10 – 14 Dress-Down Week

June 14 Last day of school (JK-Gr. 3)

June 15 Awards Ceremony/Graduation

June 28 Final report cards e-mailed

### **Dress-Down Days**

#### Preschool

1 time per week on Friday's

#### Kindergarten – Grade 3

1 time per month (see calendar)