

Las Américas ASPIRA Academy

2024-2025 School Calendar: East Campus (K-8)

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AUGUST



2024

- 9 Last day of ASPIRA Summer Camp
- 12-22 Team Professional Development (TPD)
- 15 ASPIRA Annual Golf Fundraiser
- 19 FOC Mtg. @6pm
- 19 Welcome to Kindergarten: Kinder 101 @8:30am
- 20 Welcome Back to School Night : 1st-4th grades @2pm
- 21 Welcome Back to School Night: 5th-8th grades @2pm
- 22 Welcome Back to School Night: AVA @6pm
- 26 **1st DAY OF SCHOOL**
- 28 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 30 **School/Office Closed**

OCTOBER 2024



- Hispanic Heritage (Sept. 15-Oct. 15)*
- Italian, Polish, Filipino & German American Heritage*
- National Bullying Prevention Month & College Application Month*
- 1 National Custodian Appreciation Day
- 2-4 **Rosh Hashanah**
- 4 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 7 School Fall Pictures
- 7-11 Anti-Bullying Awareness Week
- 11-12 **Yom Kippur**
- 18 **School Closed for Students - TPD**
- 21 FOC Mtg. @6pm
- 23 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 25 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**

DECEMBER 2024



- 6 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 13 MS Winter Concert @6:30 pm
- 16 FOC Mtg. @6:30 pm
- 19 Elementary Winter Concert @6:30
- 20 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 23-30 **School/Office Closed- Winter Break**
- 25 **School/Office Closed - Christmas Day**
- 25-2 **Hanukah**
- 26-1 **Kwanzaa**
- 31 **School/Office Closed -Break**

SEPTEMBER 2024



- Hispanic Heritage (Sept. 15-Oct. 15)*
- 2 **School/Office Closed – Labor Day**
- 3 **School Reopens**
- 6 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 9 Fall Sports Try-Outs begin (grades 6-8)
- 10 **School Closed for Students - TPD**
- 13 Founder's Day
- 20 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 23-27 Hispanic Heritage Spirit Week
- 25 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm

NOVEMBER 2024



- Native American, American Indian & Alaskan Native Heritage*
- 1 Fall Festival
- 1 Fall Dance
- 4 School Choice Application Opens
- 5 **School/Office Closed – Election Day**
- 11 **School/Office Closed – Veteran's Day**
- 12-13 T1 Character Celebration
- 15 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 18 Picture Re-take Day!
- 20 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 22-26 **School Closed for Students – Conferences**
- 27-29 **School/Office Closed – Thanksgiving**

JANUARY



2025

- Holocaust Remembrance*
- 1 **New Year's Day / Hanukah / Kwanzaa**
- 1 **School/Office Closed – New Year's Day**
- 2-3 **School Closed – Winter Break**
- 6 **School Reopens**
- 6 **Three Kings Day**
- 8 School Choice Application Ends @4pm
- 17 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
- 20 **School/Office Closed – MLK Day**
- 21-24 Unity Week
- 22 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 29 **Chinese New Year**
- 31 Enrollment Lottery

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FEBRUARY 2025



Black History Month

- 3-7 National School Counselor Week
- 10 Asynchronous Day**
- 10-14 LAAA Loves the Bus
- 14 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)
- 14 Friendship Day
- 17 School/Office Closed – President's Day**
- 24 FOC Mtg. @6pm
- 24-28 Black History Spirit Week
- 26 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 28 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)
- 28 Ramadan begins

MARCH 2025



Women's History & Nutrition Month Irish & Greek American Heritage

- 3 T2 Marking Period Ends
- 4 T3 Marking Period Begins
- 7 Shrek Performance
- 8 Shrek Performance
- 10 T2 Marking Period Report Cards Available
- 13 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)
- 14 School Closed for Students; TPD**
- 14 Shrek Performance
- 15 Shrek Performance
- 17 Asynchronous Day**
- 21 Rock Your Socks Down Syndrome Day
- 26 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 28 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)

APRIL 2025



Arab American Heritage

Autism Awareness Month

Scottish American Heritage

- 1 School Spring Pictures
- 7-11 Literacy Week & Scholastic Book Fair
- 8 SBAC Testing Window begins
- 11 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)
- 11 LGBTQ+ Day of Silence
- 12-20 Passover
- 14 Talent Show Audition @2:30-5pm
- 14 FOC Mtg. @6pm
- 16 Talent Show Audition @2:30-5pm
- 16 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 18 School/Office Closed – Good Friday**
- 21-25 School Closed – Spring Break**
- 28 School Reopens**

MAY 2025



Asian Pacific American Heritage Month

Jewish American Heritage Month

- 1 School Principals' Appreciation Day
- 2 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)
- 2 Art Show
- 7 National School Nurses' Day
- 8 ASPIRA'S Got Talent Show @6pm
- 11 Mother's Day
- 15 Middle School Spring Concert @6pm
- 16 Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)
- 21 Elementary Spring Concert @6pm
- 22 SBAC Testing Window ends
- 22 T4 Ends
- 23 School Closed for Students; TPD**
- 26 School/Office Closed – Memorial Day**

June



2025

Caribbean American Heritage

LGBTQ Pride Month

AIDS/HIV & Alzheimer's Awareness

- 2 3-5 Field Day
- 3 6-8 Field Day
- 3 Last Day of School for Students**
- 4-6 TPD
- 9-10 ASPIRA Summer Camp Training
- 10 Last Day for LAAA Team
- 15 Father's Day
- 16 Summer Camp Begins
- 16 FOC Mtg. @6pm
- 18 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
- 19 School/Office Closed - Juneteenth**

31 **Ramadan ends**

28 LAAA Board Mtg. @6pm
30 **Dollar Dress Down Day (\$DDD)**
30 Field Day – Grades K-2

*NOTE This calendar is subject to change.
Changes will be highlighted in **YELLOW***