



# Just the Facts

Dwight-Englewood Lower School

SEPTEMBER 12, 2025

## Upcoming Dates:

Date	Event	Details
September 23 September 24	<b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b>	Rosh Hashanah
September 30	Parent Forum Spotlight on Specials Classes 8:30 am Hajjar Auditorium	<b><u>Spotlight on Specials Classes</u></b> We are committed to supporting the holistic development of children by providing them with well-rounded foundational experiences. This includes exposure to areas such as physical education, visual/performing arts, Spanish language, science, and library. Come join us on <b>Tuesday, September 30, 8:30 - 9:30 am in Hajjar Auditorium</b> to connect with our teachers and hear more about your child's experiences in these classes. We hope this time will help you feel more connected to your child's learning and to our incredible special area teachers!

## Morning Arrival

- For everyone's safety, we ask that all students exit on the passenger side of the vehicle while at the curb and all adults remain in the vehicle throughout the drop-off process. This will not only make drop-off more efficient but eliminate having any pedestrians in an active roadway.
- Please pull all the way up to the front of the carpool lane (where the blue cone sits)
- Early morning drop off begins at 7:30 a.m. If arriving on campus before 7:30 a.m, a parent or caregiver must supervise children until the doors open. It is not necessary to use SchoolPass for arrivals; we are using this system for absences, early dismissal, and dismissal changes only.
- Starting at 8:00 am, our faculty and staff will be present each morning to open doors, help unload students from their vehicles, and guide them safely into the school building.
- Students will be considered tardy after 8:20 am.
- For those visiting the Lower School building, please note that there is no visitor parking available at the Lower School. All visitors will be directed to park by our guardhouse staff.

## **Afternoon Dismissal**

To avoid long car lines at dismissal, it is essential to enter the queue at the correct dismissal time. Early arrivals slow dismissal to a stop. Parents who arrive before their child's dismissal time may be asked to leave the line and return at the correct time. **Please remember to use your car visor name sign.**

- Preschool 3 & Preschool 4: 2:30 pm.
- Kindergarten: 2:45 pm
  - PreSchool and Kindergarten families with older siblings in the Lower School should pick up their children all together during the 3:00 pm dismissal time.
- 1st Grade - 5th Grade: 3:00 pm
  - We ask that these families arrive no sooner than 3:00 pm to avoid traffic congestion with earlier dismissal times
  - LS students with MS or US siblings should be picked up closer to the MS/US dismissal time. We ask that those families arrive after 3:20 pm.