



FAIRFAX ACADEMY

April Newsletter - 2019

Plan Ahead:

Please see the monthly calendar for activities. All activities are subject to change.

April 1st – April 5th – **BOOK FAIR!**

April 19th – **SCHOOL CLOSED** (Good Friday)

April 26th – Dance Pictures 8:00 a.m. (information to follow)

May 27th – **SCHOOL CLOSED** (Memorial Day)

June 5th – Dance Recital at James Lee Community Center (information to follow)

June 12th – Kindergarten Graduation (information to follow)

June 14th – Last Day of School!

June 17th – Summer Program begins

SUMMER & FALL REGISTRATIONS:

We have planned an exciting summer program for all ages and hope that everyone will register for a summer of fun. Don't forget to turn in the summer application to ensure a space for your child. We are accepting a "limited" number of campers. Registration is first come, first served; so register as soon as possible. Your response is critical so that we can plan accordingly. Please contact a member of the office staff if you have any questions.

DANCE PICTURES:

Dance pictures will be taken by Lifetouch Portraits at Fairfax Academy on Friday, April 26, 2019. Your child must be at school by 8:00 a.m. wearing regular clothing. We will help your child change into the dance costume and dance shoes. The dance costume will be sent home that evening.



BOOK FAIR!

The Book Fair will be held from Monday, April 1st to Friday, April 5th. Parents and children will have the opportunity to purchase books from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. (we only accept cash or checks).

SPRING IS HERE!

Now that spring is here, warm weather is approaching; the children need to bring in a summer change of clothes to replace the winter clothes in their cubbies. Please make sure all the items are labeled with your child's name. When your child uses their extra clothes due to accidents please return replacements the next day to keep in their cubby. Please remember that for safety reasons children **MAY NOT WEAR SANDALS, OPEN TOE SHOES, OR SHOES WITH STRAPS ON THE BACK TO SCHOOL.**

OPEN DOOR POLICIES:

Attention Parents: While Fairfax Academy enjoys an "open door policy" we must insist that parents DO NOT engage in impromptu conferences with the classroom teachers. Your acknowledgement of the student/parent handbook is your agreement to abide with this policy (Rules and Regulation #32). When a teacher engages in a conference it results in a direct violation of Part V Section 22 VAC 15-30-430 Supervision of Children. It states, "when staff are supervising children, they shall always ensure their care, protection and guidance". If you need to speak to your child's teacher, please see someone in the office so that they may relieve the teacher of classroom duties.

CONTACTING THE SCHOOL:

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<https://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Fairfax-Academy-of-Early-Learning/400713443334252>"



We would like to wish everyone who has a **APRIL** birthday
HAPPY BIRTHDAY.

Happy Birthday to April Staff:

Laura Doughty	4 – 1
Kristian Spraggins	4 – 15
Ana Granados	4 – 28