

Lower Elementary Daily Schedule

Grades 1-3

8:00-8:15

The children are greeted as they arrive each morning. They are invited to read or begin their day with work plan lessons.

8:15-8:30

The day begins with a morning meeting where we discuss the day's schedule and goals. Teachers share information about which lessons will be offered as well as remind students of jobs that need completion. Students then receive their weekly work plan which contains all lessons, independent work, and extra practice for the week.

8:30-11:15

The morning work cycle begins. Students join small group lessons and complete follow up assignments or work independently by choosing lessons from their work plan.

11:15-11:30

The morning work cycle is complete. Students tidy the classroom room to prepare for lunch. Children will participate in a family style eating experience with their classmates. Clean-up following lunch is completed by the students.

11:30-12:00

Recess! We try to go outside every day.

12:00-12:30

Students will return to the classroom for a “cool down” time, which may consist of reading aloud by a teacher or a relaxation activity.

12:30 -1:45

Our afternoons are often filled with whole group or small group cultural lessons. Students are also given the opportunity to work on independent lessons at this time.

1:45-2:45

Late afternoon is filled with special classes. During the week students will attend music, drama, Spanish, library, and art. They will also have a physical education lesson each day.

2:45-3:00

Dismissal