

# Gulf Meadows Academy

## ○ School Year Calendar



There are days in which the Academy will be closed, but the Daycare will be open. (Please refer to the Gulf Meadows Daycare Calendar.) For those days, our Daycare offers special rates to the parents of our Academy students which need child care.

<b>2008–2009 GM ACADEMY SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR</b> <i>(School starts at 9:00 am and ends at 3:00 pm)</i>	
First Day of School	Wednesday, September 3
<b>Fall Break</b> (2 days off)	Thursday & Friday, October 9-10
<b>Thanksgiving</b> (3 days off)	Thursday, Friday, and Monday November 27 – December 1
<b>Christmas</b> (2 weeks off)	Out of school from Monday to Friday, Dec 22 to Jan 2 <i>Last day in school . . . . . Friday, December 19</i> <i>First day back in school . . . . . Monday, January 5</i>
<b>MLK Day</b> (1 day off)	Monday, January 19
<b>Presidents Day</b> (1 day off)	Monday, February 16
<b>Spring Break</b> (1 week off)	Out of school from Monday to Friday, March 16-20 <i>Last day in school . . . . . Friday, March 13</i> <i>First day back in school: . . . . . Monday, March 23</i>
<b>Easter</b> (3 days off)	Thursday, Friday, and Monday April 9 – April 13
<b>Memorial Day</b> (1 day off)	Monday, May 25
<b>Last Day of School</b>	Wednesday, May 27

\* Dates may be subject to change. Parents will be notified 2 weeks in advance of any change made.

## ○ School Supply List

The following items must be brought to school on the **first day**. Labeling certain items with your child's name or initials may help maintain organization. Consumable items such as pencils and erasers need to be replaced throughout the year.

- 10 Pencils (At least 5 full-sized sharpened pencils with erasers are required at all times) – Mechanical pencils are okay, as long as extra lead is brought also
- 2 or more block erasers
- Colored pencils or crayons
- BLUE ball-point pen (*red and green pens are not allowed!*)
- Plenty of 3-hole lined notebook paper (*standard school size*)
- 1½" or larger 3-ring binder with at least five or more dividers – A larger zippered binder with inner pockets for the PACes is suggested.
- Packages of Tissues
- Box for school supplies.