

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2017-2018

We invite you to visit our official website for the approved 2017-2018 academic calendar. Students will begin school on Monday, August 21, 2017 and end on Wednesday, June 6, 2018.

BUSINESS DAY 2017-2018

Business Day for Franklin Academy – Pembroke Pines K-8 families will be held on Monday, July 24th. This event is designed to assist parents with back-to-school items such as adding funds to PowerSchool breakfast/lunch accounts and completing required forms. Students will have photo IDs made and school officials will be on-site to assist with other related back-to-school tasks. Representatives from the approved transportation and uniform companies will also be available. Don't miss this opportunity!

CARPOOL REGISTRATION 2017-2018

All current registered carpools will be wiped from the system. Families wishing to participate in our carpool program for the 2017-2018 school year are required to visit the school together to register the carpool for the 2017-2018 school year. Please bring existing key fobs so they may be reprogrammed.

FRANKLINPASS STICKERS

All families should keep their existing FranklinPass stickers affixed to their vehicle windshield as they will continue to work for the 2017-2018 school year. New FranklinPass stickers are issued *only* to new families. Additional FranklinPass stickers are available for purchase on campus with a check or money order.

I-READY

Encourage your child to access i-Ready lessons for at least 45 minutes each week in Reading and Mathematics. These online lessons provide a consistent best-practice lesson structure and build conceptual understanding, in addition to being engaging and fun for learners of all levels. The program provides student instruction customized to their placement levels and is available through August 1st.

POWERSCHOOL

Please ensure your PowerSchool accounts are updated so that you may receive the most up-to-date information. Please contact the school if you need assistance with your PowerSchool account.

SUMMER READING

Franklin Academy is committed to ensuring that our students continue their education throughout the summer months. Research indicates that students who read regularly over the summer break, experience less struggle at the onset of a new school year. Please log on to our website to view the recommended summer reading lists. The books on this list come highly recommended by kid readers from all over the country and may be available in e-book, audio book, braille, and large print formats.

SUMMER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We will have several opportunities for our families to complete service hours throughout the summer. Continue to check the YourVolunteers.com website for these opportunities.

SUPPLY LISTS FOR 2017-2018 (K-5 ONLY)

Our official school supply lists for the 2017-2018 school year have been published on our website. For your convenience, our Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) will once again offer families the opportunity to purchase prepackaged school supplies that will be delivered directly to your child's classroom at the beginning of the new school year. Visit our website for additional details and pricing.