



Tzu Chi Academy Long Island
2020-2021 School Calendar (1st semester)

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Week	Date	Core Virtues	Events
1	9/13/20	Etiquette/ Self Respect	1. Opening ceremony 2. Cultural class/Adult class registration 3. All Parents meeting (10-11) (12 pm dismissal)
2	9/20/20	Etiquette/ Self Respect	1. Fire drill (10:00) 2. Cultural class/Adult class registration 3. Staff meeting. 4. Class mom/Ai Xin daddy meeting (12 pm dismissal)
3	9/27/20	Etiquette/ Self Respect	1. Cultural class/ Adult class registration 2. Teacher's Day event. (12:00-12:30 pm) 3. School Group picture at 12:30 pm
4	10/4/20	Diligent /Be Punctual	1. Open House (all classes) 2. Humanity class for K/pre-K 3. Staff meeting (11a-12p) (12 pm dismissal)
	10/11/20		School closed (Columbus Day)
5	10/18/20	Diligent /Be Punctual	1. Teachers' meeting 2. Humanity class (1) 3. Parenting workshop 4. Cultural class/ Adult class (1) (1 pm dismissal)
6	10/25/20	Diligent /Be Punctual	1. Halloween Celebration 2. Class mom/ Ai Xin daddy meeting 3. Humanity class (2) 4. Cultural class / Adult class (2) (1pm dismissal)
7	11/01/20	Content/ Grateful	1. Daylight savings time ends. 2. Staff meeting (11-12) 3. Parenting workshop 4. Cultural class / Adult class (3) (1 pm dismissal)
8	11/08/20	Content/ Grateful	2. Teachers' meeting 3. Humanity class (3) 4. Cultural class / Adult class (4) (1 pm dismissal)
9	11/15/20	Content/ Grateful	1. Mid-term 2. Reward coupon redemption 3. Cultural class/Adult class (5) 4. Class mom / Ai Xin daddy meeting (1 pm dismissal)
10	11/22/20	Content/ Grateful	1. Parent-teacher conferences (start) 2. Staff meeting (11-12) 2. Cultural class/ Adult class (6) 3. Cultural class/Adult class (6) 4. Blood Drive (1 pm dismissal)
	11/29/20		School closed (Thanksgiving)
11	12/06/20	Benefit Others/Protect Sentient Being	1. Teachers' meeting 2. Humanity class (4) 3. Cultural class/Adult class (7) 4. Parenting workshop (1 pm dismissal)
12	12/13/20	Benefit Others/Protect Sentient Being	1. Cultural class/Adult class (8) 2. Jing Si Drawing & Composition Contest 3. Class mom / Ai Xin daddy meeting (1pm dismissal)
13	12/20/20	Benefit Others/Protect Sentient Being	1. Parent-teacher conferences (end) 2. Homework book review 3. Staff meeting (11-12) 4. Cultural class/Adult class (9) 3. (1 pm dismissal)
	12/27/20		School closed (Christmas)
	1/03/21		School Closed (New Year)
14	1/10/21	Serve Others/ Cooperative	1. Teachers' meeting 2. 2 nd Semester adult class registration 3. Humanity class (5) 4. Parenting workshop 5. Cultural class/Adult class (10) (1 pm dismissal)
15	1/17/21	Serve Others/ Cooperative	1. Class mom / Ai Xin daddy meeting 2. Cultural class/Adult class (11) (1 pm dismissal)
16	1/24/21	Serve Others/ Cooperative	1. Final Exam 2. Reward coupon redemption (12pm dismissal)



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Week	Date	Core Virtues	Contents
1	1/31/21	Serve Others/ Cooperative	1. Teachers' meeting 2. Humanity Class (1) 3 Staff meeting (11-12) 3. Cultural class/Adult class (1) (1 pm dismissal)
2	2/07/21	Be friendly/ Understanding	1. Year-End Candle Lighting Ceremony/ Lunar New Year Celebration
	2/14/21		No School (Winter Break) (snow make up day)
3	2/21/21	Be friendly/ Understanding	1. Humanity class (2) 2. Parenting workshop 3. Class mom/Ai Xin daddy meeting 4. Cultural class/Adult class (2) (1 pm dismissal) 3
4	2/28/21	Be friendly/ Understanding	1 Speech contest (class representative) 2. Cultural class/ Adult class (3) 3. Staff meeting (1 pm dismissal)
5	3/07/21	Integrity/Keep Promise	1. Teachers' meeting 2. Chinese SAT II mock test (9th and 10th grades) 3. Pre-K & K Humanity Class (12 pm dismissal)
	3/14/21		No school (Oyster Bay High School Musical Event), Daylight saving begins
6	3/21/21	Integrity/Keep Promise	1. Parent-teacher conferences (start) 2. Speech contest (school-wide) (11-12 pm) 3. Class mom/Ai Xin daddy meeting (12 pm dismissal)
7	3/28/21	Integrity/Keep Promise	1. Humanity class (3) 2. Staff meeting 3. Cultural class/Adult class (4) (1 pm dismissal)
	4/04/21		Easter (Teacher Professional Development)
8	4/11/21	Be Frugal / Environmental Protection	1. Teachers' meeting 2. Mid-term test 3. Coupon redemption 4. Cultural class/Adult class (5) 5. Parenting workshop (1 pm dismissal)
9	4/18/21	Be Frugal / Environmental Protection	1. Parent-teacher conferences (end) 2. Culture/Adult class (4)(6 th to 10 th grade) 3. Registration for next school year begins/Summer camp registration 4. Class mom/Ai Xin daddy meeting 5. Cultural class/Adult class (6) 7. Blood Drive (1 pm dismissal)
10	4/25/21	Be Frugal / Environmental Protection	1. Chinese typing contest (6th to 10th grades) 2. Open House for new parents @10am 3. Humanity Class (4)(Pre-K, K & 1 st to 5 th grade) 4. Staff meeting 5. Cultural class/Adult class (7) (1 pm dismissal)
11	5/02/21	Filial Piety/ Do Good Deeds	1. New student registration for next school year begin/current students registration/Summer Camp registration 2. Mother's Day Celebration (11-12pm) (12 pm dismissal)
	5/09/21		School Closed (Mother's Day)/ Tzu Chi 3-in-1 occasion celebration
12	5/16/21	Filial Piety/ Do Good Deeds	1. Teachers' meeting 2. Pre-K/K Humanity class 3. Cultural class /Adult class (8) (1 pm dismissal)
13	5/23/21	Filial Piety/ Do Good Deeds	1. Class mom/Ai Xin dad meeting 2. Cultural class/Adult class (9) (1 pm dismissal)
	5/30/21		No School (Memorial Day)
14	6/06/21	Self Reflect/Diligent	1. Teachers' meeting (Group picture) 2. Registration for next year (ends)/Summer camp registration 3. Humanity class (Used books exchange) 4. Parenting workshop (1 pm dismissal)
15	6/13/21	Self Reflect/Diligent	1. Final Exam 2. Cultural Knowledge Contest 3. Summer camp registration (ends) 4. Staff meeting (12 pm dismissal)
16	6/20/21	Self Reflect/Diligent	1. Closing ceremony 2. Reward coupon redemption

*School calendar is subject to change due to inclement weather, High School availability, and other activities. Please follow Principal's email reminders and check the school website: <http://www.tzuchiacademyli.org>.

Chinese and Humanity Education: AM session 9-12.
Cultural class: 12:10-1p.
Teacher's meeting: 8:30-9:15a
Parenting workshop: 11a-12:30p
New volunteer training: 11a-12p

Humanity education 30 minutes each session
Adult education classes: 12-1p
Staff meeting: 11a-12p
Class mom/Ai Xin dad meeting: 12-1p

Here are some important dates summarized for your reference.

1. 9/8 (school opening day), there will be a parents' meeting after the opening ceremony. On 10/4 (4th week), all teachers will conduct a whole class parent-teacher conference that teachers would share their teaching goals and the progress the class has made for the past 3 weeks.

2. One on One Parent-teacher conferences will be held for 4 weeks each semester. 11/22/20-12/20/20 for 1st semester and 3/21/21-4/18/21 for 2nd semester. Please make an appointment with your teacher if needed.

3. 1st semester Mid-term: 11/15/20, Final: 1/24/21
2nd semester Mid-term: 4/11/21, Final: 6/13/21

4.Events:

- * 9/13 School Opening
- * 9/27 Teacher's Day celebration (on Zoom)
- * 10/25 Halloween
- * 2/7/21 Chinese New Year celebration (we have early new year this year. Students will take Final exam while parents are attending the Year-End Candle Lighting Ceremony. After Final exam, all parents and students join the New Year celebration together)
- * 5/2/21 Early Mother's Day Celebration (No school on 5/9 Mother's Day, however, everyone is welcomed to join the 3-in-1 occasion celebration at TC Williston office)
- * 6/20/21 Graduation ceremony

5. Contests:

- * 12/13 Jing Si Drawing & Composition Contest
- * 2/28/21 Speech contest (class representative)
- * 3/21/21 Whole school speech contest
- * 4/25/21 Chinese typing (6th Grade and up)
- * 6/13/21 Cultural knowledge contest (it's a fun one after the Final exam, that students will be giving some materials beforehand)

6. Teacher professional development day: 9/7/20(Labor Day) & 4/4/21(Easter)

7. Current student registration for next year: 4/18/21-6/6/21

New student registration for next year: 5/2/21-6/6/21

Summer Camp registration: 4/18/21-6/13/21

8. There are a total of 11 cultural classes in 1st semester, and 9 in 2nd semester. Class selection should be done by students in September.

1st semester: 10/11, 10/25, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/22, 12/6, 12/13, 12/20, 1/10/21, 1/17/21

2nd semester: 1/31, 2/21, 2/28, 3/28, 4/11, 4/18, 4/25, 5/16, 5/23

9. Open House is on 4/25/21, 10am. It's open to any new student anyone who is interested about the school environment and program.

10. Blood Drive: 11/22/20 & 4/18/21, plus occasional Health seminars.