



# SOL Forest School

## 2024–2025 Calendar

### FALL SEMESTER

August 20 – December 21, 2024  
(17 weeks)

### SPRING SEMESTER

January 14 – May 24, 2025  
(17 weeks)

#### Weather make-up week:

May 27 - 29, 2025

(Note: If needed, weather make-up sessions will be scheduled following the 3rd cancellation of any session day).

### NO CLASSES - SOL CLOSED

- Thanksgiving Break (Tue Nov 26-28)
- Winter Break (Dec 23 - Jan 17)
- APS Spring Break (Tue 3/18 thru 3/20)

### SPECIAL EVENTS

- Family Forest Bathing/Equinox - Sep 22
- SOL DAY Celebrate our Founding - Oct 1
- November - Month of Gratitude
- Professional Observation Day - Nov 7
- SOLstice Gathering - Sat Dec 21
- Spring Equinox - March 19
- Professional Observation Day - April 10
- Jingle Ceremony - May 17, 4-6pm

... and more! Watch for the **SOL Kinderwoods Inaugural Tree-Planting Event** coming soon

### STARTING THE YEAR

#### MANDATORY MEETING:

Monday, August 5 @ 6pm

Mandatory Meeting for New Parents (returning families also welcome to join) Zoom Link will be provided. Meetings will be recorded for those who can't attend in person.

#### 'MEET THE SOL-TEAM' WEEK:

August 13 - 15, 2024  
9:30am – 11:30am

This is an opportunity to test out the drive, tour our forest classroom, and to meet your child's teachers. Forest School Guides (teachers) will be available for an "open house" style pop-in visit for children and their caretakers. Please attend ON the day your child will be enrolled.

### SOL CIRCLES

9:45am – 11am

Tuesdays: 9/10 & 3/11

Wednesdays: 9/18 & 3/26

Thursdays: 10/3 & 4/3

*SOL Circles are for parents of currently enrolled Treeschool or Tall Pine children. We gather together outdoors with Sally Stevens, SOL's Founder & Early Childhood Educator, to discuss parenting through a seasonal, forest school lens. Please dress to walk &/or sit comfortably in a forested area.*