

# Auguston Traditional

Gradual Entry Schedule

2019/2020

Dear parents of new Auguston Traditional Kindergarten students,

While we understand that it may be a bit inconvenient for parents, gradual entry into Kindergarten in September works so well for the new K's. It provides the children with a good opportunity to be at school for increasingly longer periods of time over a 6 day period, thus allowing for a more comfortable, smoother transition into a full-day of school. During the gradual entry period, the children have the chance to socialize and work in both small and large groups, as well as to learn many of our classroom expectations and routines in a safe, caring, and nurturing learning environment. They will also meet all of the Kindergarten staff.

While our goal is to have all children in full day attendance by Wednesday, September 11, we must also be sensitive to the individual needs of each student. In situations where a child is struggling to adapt to the increase in time we may need to discuss alternate entry options and times on a case by case basis.

Sincerely,

Laura Hambly, Diana McAllister,  
Hilary Puglisi

Dates	Entry Information
Tuesday, September 3	All students and parents 8:45am - 9:45am in gym. Students in uniform.
Wednesday, September 4, Thursday, September 5, Friday, September 6	3 Groups of students – Students attend two of these three days – See attached groupings and schedules. 8:30 – 9:45 10:15 – 11:30 1:10 – 2:25
Monday, September 9	Students will attend in the morning OR afternoon. 8:25 – 10:25 12:25 – 2:25 Please bring a snack.
Tuesday, September 10	All Kindergarten students attend from 10:00am – 1:40pm. Please bring a snack and a lunch.  Tentative class lists will be posted in the morning.
Wednesday, September 11	Regular School Day - All Kindergarten children attend for full day 8:30am - 2:30pm (8:25am "get ready" bell)

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# Full Day K