

**Solterra Academy**  
**2026 – 2027 School Calendar**  
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*School Program Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Thursday: 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.*

AUG/SEP 2026 (24 days)					OCTOBER 2026 (21 days)					NOVEMBER 2026 (17 days)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
10	11	12	13	14				1 <sup>OH</sup>	2	2	3 <sup>PD</sup>	4 <sup>C</sup>	5	6
17 <sup>PDN</sup>	18 <sup>PDN</sup>	19 <sup>PDN</sup>	20 <sup>PDN</sup>	21 <sup>PDN</sup>	5	6	7	8	9	9	10	11	12	13
24 <sup>PD</sup>	25 <sup>PD</sup>	26 <sup>PD</sup>	27 <sup>☺</sup>	28	12	13	14	15	16	16	17	18	19	20
31	1	2	3	4	19	20 <sup>PD</sup>	21	22	23	23	24	25 <sup>EC</sup>	26	27
7	8	9	10	11	26	27	28	29	30 <sup>#</sup>	30				
14	15 <sup>PD</sup>	16	17	18										
21	22	23	24 <sup>PD</sup>	25										
28	29	30												

DECEMBER 2026 (17 days)					JANUARY 2027 (18 days)					FEBRUARY 2027 (18 days)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
	1	2	3	4					1	1	2	3	4	5
7	8 <sup>PD</sup>	9	10	11	4	5	6	7	8	8	9 <sup>PD</sup>	10	11	12
14	15	16	17	18	11	12	13	14	15	15	16	17	18	19
21	22	23 <sup>EC</sup>	24	25	18	19	20 <sup>#</sup>	21	22	22	23	24	25	26
28	29	30	31		25	26	27	28	29					

MARCH 2027 (20 days)					APRIL 2027 (17 days)					MAY 2027 (20 days)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
1	2 <sup>PD</sup>	3	4	5				1 <sup>#</sup>	2	3	4	5	6	7 <sup>PD</sup>
8	9	10	11	12	5	6	7 <sup>C</sup>	8	9 <sup>EC</sup>	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18 <sup>PD</sup>	19 <sup>PD</sup>	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	19	20	21	22	23	24	25 <sup>PD</sup>	26	27	28
29	30	31			26	27 <sup>PD</sup>	28	29	30	31				

*Extended Year Program (+) – July 6<sup>th</sup> to August 6, 2027; Program Hours 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 pm*

JUNE 2027 (9 days)					JULY 2027					AUGUST 2027 (27-28 SY)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
	1	2	3	4				1	2	2+	3+	4+	5+	6+
7	8	9	10	11 <sup>#</sup>	5	6+	7+	8+	9+	9	10	11	12	13
14*	15*	16*	17*	18	12+	13+	14+	15+	16+	16 <sup>PDN</sup>	17 <sup>PDN</sup>	18 <sup>PDN</sup>	19 <sup>PDN</sup>	20 <sup>PDN</sup>
21*	22*	23*	24*	25*	19+	20+	21+	22+	23+	23 <sup>PD</sup>	24 <sup>PD</sup>	25 <sup>PD</sup>	26 <sup>☺</sup>	27
28*	29*	30*			26+	27+	28+	29+	30+	30	31	1	2	3

*181 Student Days – School Year*

*24 days – Extended School Year*

*205 Days Combined Total*

Important Dates			School Closings (Boxed Dates)	
<b>PDN</b>	Professional Development-New Staff Only	8/17/26-8/21/26	Labor Day	9/7/26
<b>PD</b>	Professional Development-All Staff	8/24-26, 9/15, 9/24, 10/20, 11/3, 12/8, 2/9, 3/2, 3/18-19, 4/27, 5/14, 5/25	Indigenous Peoples Day	10/12/26
<b>☺</b>	First Day of School	8/27/26	Veteran's Day	11/11/26
<b>OH</b>	Open House	10/1/26	<b>Thanksgiving Break</b>	11/26 & 11/27/26
<b>[ ]</b>	Early Dismissal (1:00 p.m.)	9/15, 10/20, 11/4, 11/25, 12/8, 12/23 2/9, 3/2, 4/7, 4/9, 4/27, 5/7, 5/25, & Last 4 days of school	<b>Winter Break</b>	12/24 thru 1/1/27
<b>C</b>	Parent Teacher Conferences	11/4/26, 4/7/27	Three King's Day	1/6/2027
<b>#</b>	Last Day of Quarter	10/30/26, 1/20/27, 4/1/27, 6/11/27	Martin Luther King Day	1/18/27
<b>*</b>	Snow Make Up Days	6/14/27-6/30/27	<b>February Break</b>	2/12 & 2/15/27
<b>Last Day of School if No More Snow Days</b>		6/11/2027	Good Friday	3/26/27
<b>+</b>	Extended School Year/Summer School	7/6/27-8/6/27	<b>April Break</b>	4/12 thru 4/16/27
			Memorial Day	5/31/27
			Juneteenth	6/18/27

## Solterra Academy Calendar Notes:

### **School Closing Policy**

In general, Solterra Academy follows the New Britain Public Schools for **closings and delays** due to weather conditions such as snow. However, Solterra Academy may make the call to close for a snow day rather than moving to remote instruction. Solterra Academy does NOT follow school closings due to excessive heat because our school is equipped with central air conditioning. Check with your Local School District for transportation questions. Please also note that when school is closed, meetings scheduled for that day (i.e. PPT's, psychiatrist and/or therapist appointments) are also cancelled. If Solterra Academy is closed, delayed, or dismisses early for any reason, it will be communicated via phone call, text, and email through our One-Call-Now system and on the following television stations:

WVIT Channel 30/NBC  
WFSB Channel 3/CBS  
WTNH Channel 8/ABC  
WTIC Channel 61/FOX

### **Bus Arrival/Departure Time Policy:**

The school day begins at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 2:30 p.m. (M, T, W, F) and at 1:00 p.m. on **Thursdays**. School personnel will be outside to greet and dismiss students in the bus area. Students are **not** to be released from the vehicle to enter school before these times, and/or without appropriate school staff in attendance. This policy is essential to ensure the safety of our students and will be stringently implemented.

### **Quarters of The School Year For Report Cards:**

First Quarter: Aug. 27<sup>th</sup> -Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> 45 days  
Second Quarter: Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> 45 days  
Third Quarter: Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup> 46 days  
Fourth Quarter: April 2<sup>nd</sup> – June 11<sup>th</sup> 45 days

*Solterra Academy does not permit nor condone discrimination on the basis of race, ethnicity, color, national origin, religion, gender, sexual orientation, physical handicap, age, veteran status, civil union or marital status in any educational programs or activity, employment or admission, as required by the organizational policy and Title XI. Complaints of any action which would be prohibited by this policy, can be made to the Title IX Coordinator, Monica Thomas-Hardy, Assistant Principal for Solterra Academy at (860) 612-2300. All complaints will be handled in accordance with Solterra Academy's problem resolution procedures to provide prompt and equitable resolution of student and employee concerns.*

## Avisos sobre el calendario de la Solterra Academy:

### **Política de cierre de escuelas**

En general, Solterra Academy sigue a las Escuelas Públicas de New Britain en cuanto a cierres y retrasos debido a condiciones climáticas como la nieve. Sin embargo, Solterra Academy puede hacer la llamada para cerrar por un día de nieve en lugar de pasar a la instrucción remota. Solterra Academy NO sigue el cierre de escuelas debido al calor excesivo porque nuestra escuela está equipada con aire acondicionado central. Consulte con su distrito escolar local si tiene preguntas sobre transporte. Tenga en cuenta también que cuando la escuela está cerrada, las reuniones programadas para ese día (es decir, citas de PPT, psiquiatra y/o terapeuta) también se cancelan. Si Solterra Academy está cerrada, retrasada o sale temprano por cualquier motivo, se comunicará por teléfono, mensaje de texto y correo electrónico a través de nuestro Sistema One-Call-Now y en las siguientes estaciones de televisión:

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### **Política para el Horario de Llegada/Salida del Autobús:**

El día escolar comienza a las 8:00 am y termina a las 2:30 pm (L, M, M, V) y los jueves a la 1:00 pm. Personal de la escuela estará fuera para recibir y despedir a los estudiantes en la zona del autobús. Los estudiantes **no** deben salir de un vehículo para entrar a la escuela antes de estas horas y/o sin el debido personal presente para recibirlos. Esta política es esencial para asegurar la seguridad de nuestros estudiantes y se aplicará rigurosamente.

### **Notas de progreso trimestrales del año escolar:**

1<sup>er</sup> Trimestre: Aug. 27<sup>th</sup> -Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> 45 días  
2<sup>o</sup> Trimestre: Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> 45 días  
3<sup>er</sup> Trimestre: Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup> 46 días  
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