

# ST. SOPHIA AFTERNOON GREEK SCHOOL

Albany, New York



2016–2017



## Academic School Calendar

<b>September 11</b> - Sunday School/Greek School blessing and Open House	In church
<b>Classes Begin:</b> Tuesday class - <b>September 13</b> , Thursday classes - <b>September 15</b> , Friday classes - <b>September 16</b>	
<b>October 10</b> - Columbus Day	No Greek School
<b>November 6</b> - (Sunday) - OXI Day Celebration	Greek School students present program in church hall
<b>November 11</b> - Veterans Day	No Greek School
<b>November 24 - 25</b> - Thanksgiving Recess	No Greek School
<b>Dec. 26 - Jan. 2</b> - Holiday Recess	No Greek School
<b>January 3</b> - classes resume	
<b>January 16</b> - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	No Greek School
<b>January 29</b> - Three Hierarchs Celebration	After church services in church
<b>February 20 - 24</b> - Winter Recess	No Greek School
<b>February 27</b> - classes resume	
<b>March 19</b> - (Sunday) - Greek Independence Day Program	Greek School students present program in church hall
<b>April 8</b> - Saturday of Lazarus	
<b>**All Greek School and Sunday School students will meet in church for service, then enjoy a brunch and making of the holy palms.</b>	
<b>April 10 - 21</b> - Spring Break & Holy Week	No Greek School
<b>April 24</b> - classes resume	
<b>May 18 - 19</b> - (Thursday and Friday) St. Sophia Annual Greek Festival	No Greek School
<b>May 29</b> - Memorial Day	No Greek School
<b>June 6</b> - Tuesday class Assessment Testing	Last day of classes
<b>June 8</b> - Thursday classes Assessment Testing	Last day of classes
<b>June 9</b> - Friday classes Assessment Testing	Last day of classes
<b>June 9</b> - End of all classes except Regents	
<b>June 11</b> - (Sunday) Greek School Graduation Certificates, Awards, Tests and Report Cards will be distributed	
<b>June 16</b> - Regents class (preparation for the written test)	Last day of Regents class
<b>* Regents Written Test, June 2017: to be announced - Will be administered at Troy High School.</b>	

\*Classes may be combined if there are insufficient numbers to sustain a class.

\*Other class cancellations throughout the year (if no substitute is available) will be at the discretion of the teacher of that class (ex. sickness, one week day change, etc).

\*Snow days will follow the majority of the public school district closings. Any uncertainties regarding snow days, watch the local television stations for the school closing scroll. We are under "St. Sophia Greek Orthodox Church." It will be shown as: "All classes and activities cancelled." For confirmation on holiday closings, contact the church office at 489 - 4442, the director Angeliki Pontisakos at 322 - 1194, or teachers Marina Marcou-O'Malley at 894 -6834, Maria Cholakis at 423 - 6320, and Maria Mylona at 915 - 0401. Please also check the Greek School website at <http://www.stsophiagreekschool.org> for school closings.