



**CENTER FOR YOUNG CHILDREN**  
**2025-2026 Calendar**

Monday	August 18	Teachers return, classroom set-up and training
Friday	August 22	Getting to Know You Meetings
Monday-Thursday	Aug 25-28	Gradual entry (see individual schedule)
Friday	Aug 29	<b>CYC closed</b> due to UMD student move-in/ Workday for teachers
Monday	September 1	Labor Day— <b>CYC closed</b>
Tuesday	September 2	First full day for students
Friday	September 5 <sup>1</sup>	UMD Friday Night Football— <b>CYC closes at 1pm</b>
Thursday	September 11	Open School Night 6-7:30— <b>No Afternoon Gathering--CYC closes at 4:30 pm</b>
Monday	October 13	Indigenous People's Day— <b>CYC closed</b>
Tuesday	October 14	Professional Development— <b>CYC closed</b>
Friday	November 21	Professional Development – NAEYC Conference— <b>CYC closed</b>
Monday & Tuesday	November 24-25	<b>No Afternoon Gathering—CYC closes at 4:30 pm</b>
Wednesday-Friday	November 26-28	Thanksgiving Break— <b>CYC closed</b>
Friday	December 12	Family-Teacher Conferences— <b>CYC closed for students</b> (Babysitting available during your conference time)
Monday & Tuesday	December 22 – 23	No Afternoon Gathering— <b>CYC closes at 4:30 pm</b>
Wednesday – Friday	December 24-January 2	Winter Break— <b>CYC closed</b>
Monday	January 5	Classes resume
Monday	January 19	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday – <b>CYC closed</b>
Friday	February 13	Professional Development – <b>CYC closed for students</b>
Monday	February 16	Visiting Day— <b>CYC closed for students</b>
Friday	March 13	<b>CYC closes at 1 pm</b>
Mon- Fri	March 16-20	Spring Break— <b>CYC closed</b>
Friday	April 10	Faculty Workday— <b>CYC closed</b>
Friday	April 24	Professional Development ½ day— <b>CYC closes at 1pm</b>
Friday	May 8	Family/Teacher Conferences— <b>CYC closed for students</b> (Babysitting available during your conference time)
Wednesday	May 20	<b>No AG—CYC closes at 4:30 pm</b> for Main Graduation
Monday	May 25	Memorial Day— <b>CYC closed</b>
Mon & Tues	June 1-2	<b>No Afternoon Gathering—CYC closes at 4:30 pm</b>
Wednesday	June 3	Last day for children— <b>No AG—CYC closes at 4:30 pm</b>
Friday	June 5	Last day for teachers

<sup>1</sup>The University uses the YC lot for football games; we are unable to remain open for Friday night games.