

Daily Prayers for a New School Year

Saturday, August 1	Pray for the overall health and well-being of students
Sunday, August 2	Pray for the overall health and well-being of teachers and school staff
Monday, August 3	Pray for school boards, superintendents, and principals making tough decisions on reopening plans
Tuesday, August 4	Pray for government leaders making tough decisions to help guide our state/nation
Wednesday, August 5	Pray for parents who are worried about their child receiving an adequate education
Thursday, August 6	Pray for parents who are worried about their child's social and emotional needs
Friday, August 7	Pray for parents who are worried about childcare and/or maintaining work schedules
Saturday, August 8	Pray for students who are feeling anxious about returning to school
Sunday, August 9	Pray for students who are grieving over missed opportunities and facing uncertainty about what the year ahead will bring/not bring
Monday, August 10	Pray for families of students with special needs who worry about receiving an equal education and face an extra level of uncertainty and disruption with reopening plans
Tuesday, August 11	Pray for students/families who haven't had adequate meals during this time and are worried about their needs being met if schools do not return to "normal"
Wednesday, August 12	Pray for students with difficult home lives or who have been trapped with abusers while in quarantine and worry about not returning to their "safe place" at school
Thursday, August 13	Pray for teachers and school staff who are feeling anxious about their health and the health of their families
Friday, August 14	Pray for teachers to have adequate funding and supplies to properly clean and sanitize their rooms

Saturday, August 15	Pray for teachers to have adequate class sizes to be able to teach and meet the needs of each one of their students
Sunday, August 16	Pray for teachers to have adequate resources, training, and support for partial or fully online teaching
Monday, August 17	Pray for the safety of students and staff using online learning platforms, for those managing that technology, and for households to have sufficient internet access
Tuesday, August 18	Pray for paraeducators and school support staff as their job responsibilities shift while continuing to try and meet the unique needs of each student
Wednesday, August 19	Pray for school custodians and maintenance workers who are working hard to deep clean buildings and modify physical spaces to make the most of in-person learning
Thursday, August 20	Pray for school administrators, secretaries, and office staff as they oversee new policies and procedures and manage communication with families
Friday, August 21	Pray for bus drivers as they adjust to new schedules and transport students safely to and from school activities
Saturday, August 22	Pray for all school staff to find new ways to collaborate, innovate, encourage, and support one another this year
Sunday, August 23	Pray for communities to rally around schools in support and to voice opinions/concerns in positive and productive ways
Monday, August 24	Pray for patience for everyone through the upcoming changes that are bound to come throughout the year
Tuesday, August 25	Pray for positive attitudes for teachers, parents, and students as they work together towards a mutual goal of student success this year despite the obstacles