

NJ Film School Closing in Fall 2023

I'm so incredibly proud of NJ Film School: the classes we've run, the films we've made, and most importantly, the students we've taught. I think of you all as friends and part of the NJ Film School family.

So, I am filled with many mixed emotions when I announce that, after 15 years of running NJFS, I will be retiring and the school will be closing in the Fall of 2023.

This was not an easy decision, but we received an offer for our space (not the business) that we simply couldn't refuse.

We have built something amazing and I know how much it means to us all. We are actively looking to find a new owner and a new space for NJ FIIm School to continue into the future.

Being a teacher has been the greatest job I could have ever wished for. Keep filming.

Chris Messineo, Director NJ Film School

When is the school closing?

September 2023.

Will Winter, Spring, or Summer classes be impacted?

No. These classes and camps will run as scheduled. But they will also be the last classes run at our New Providence location.

Will NJ Film School continue with a new owner?

I sincerely hope so. The trick is to find someone with the filmmaking knowledge and passion to train a new generation of filmmakers.

Where will the new school be?

I don't know, but I hope I can work with a new owner to find a nearby location that would allow our students to continue with as little interruption as possible.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any other questions.