



2023-2024 DISTRICT SCHOOL CALENDAR

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| Schools opening day for students | Tuesday, September 5, 2023 |
| National Day for Truth and Reconciliation | Monday, October 2, 2023 |
| <i>Non-instructional day (School Growth Planning Day)</i> | <i>Tuesday, October 3, 2023</i> |
| Thanksgiving Day | Monday, October 9, 2023 |
| <i>Non-instructional day (province-wide)</i> | <i>Friday, October 20, 2023</i> |
| <i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i> | <i>Friday, November 10, 2023</i> |
| Remembrance Day | Monday, November 13, 2023 |
| Schools close for break | Friday, December 22, 2023 |
| Winter break | Monday, December 25, 2023 to Friday, January 5, 2024 |
| Schools reopen after break | Monday, January 8, 2024 |
| <i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i> | <i>Wednesday, January 24, 2024</i> |
| Family Day | Monday, February 19, 2024 |
| <i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i> | <i>Tuesday, February 20, 2024</i> |
| Schools close for break | Friday, March 15, 2024 |
| Spring break | <i>Monday, March 18, 2024 to Friday, March 22, 2024</i> |
| <i>Schools not in Session</i> | <i>Monday, March 25, 2024 to Thursday, March 28, 2024</i> |
| Good Friday | Friday, March 29, 2024 |
| Easter Monday | Monday, April 1, 2024 |
| Schools reopen after break | Tuesday, April 2, 2024 |
| <i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i> | <i>Wednesday, May 15, 2024</i> |
| Victoria Day | Monday, May 20, 2024 |
| Last day for students | Tuesday, June 25, 2024 |
| Year-end administrative day | Wednesday, June 26, 2024 |
| Schools close for summer break | Wednesday, June 26, 2024 |

ELEMENTARY (K-7) DAILY SCHEDULE: 8:30am to 2:20pm. 295 instructional minutes per day; 179 days of instruction. Kindergarten gradual entry the first 2 weeks of September.

NB: *Kanaka Creek Elementary* will run its year-round calendar separate from this calendar.

SECONDARY (8-12) DAILY SCHEDULE: 8:30am to 2:45pm. 320 instructional minutes per day; 179 days of instruction.

Minimum number of hours of instruction that must be offered as per *School Act* and *Calendar Regulation*:

853 hours of instruction for students in kindergarten.

878 hours of instruction for students in grades 1 to 7

952 hours of instruction for students in grades 8 to 12