



2025-2026 DISTRICT SCHOOL CALENDAR

Schools opening day for students	Tuesday, September 2, 2025
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Tuesday, September 30, 2025
<i>Non-instructional day (School Growth Planning Day)</i>	Friday, October 10, 2025
Thanksgiving Day	Monday, October 13, 2025
<i>Non-instructional day (province-wide)</i>	Friday, October 24, 2025
<i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i>	Monday, November 10, 2025
Remembrance Day	Tuesday, November 11, 2025
Schools close for break	Friday, December 19, 2025
Winter break	Monday, December 22, 2025 to Friday, January 2, 2026
Schools reopen after break	Monday, January 5, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i>	Tuesday, January 27, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i>	Friday, February 13, 2026
Family Day	Monday, February 16, 2026
Schools close for break	Friday, March 13, 2026
Spring break	Monday, March 16, 2026 to Friday, March 20, 2026
<i>Schools not in Session</i>	Monday, March 23, 2026 to Friday, March 27, 2026
Schools reopen after break	Monday, March 30, 2026
Good Friday	Friday, April 3, 2026
Easter Monday	Monday, April 6, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i>	Wednesday, May 13, 2026
Victoria Day	Monday, May 18, 2026
Last day for students	Wednesday, June 24, 2026
Year-end administrative day	Thursday, June 25, 2026
Schools close for summer break	Thursday, June 25, 2026

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