



2025-2026 KANAKA CREEK SCHOOL CALENDAR

Schools opening day for students	Tuesday, September 2, 2025
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	<i>Tuesday, September 30, 2025</i>
<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>	<i>Friday, October 24, 2025</i>
<i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i>	Monday, November 10, 2025
Remembrance Day	<i>Tuesday, November 11, 2025</i>
Schools close for break	Friday, December 5, 2025
Winter break	Monday, December 8, 2025 to Friday, January 2, 2026
Schools reopen after break	Monday, January 5, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i>	<i>Tuesday, January 27, 2026</i>
<i>Non-instructional day (school-based)</i>	Friday, February 13, 2026
Family Day	Monday, February 16, 2026
Schools close for break	Friday, March 27, 2026
<i>Spring break</i>	<i>Monday, March 30, 2026 to Friday, April 24, 2026</i>
Schools reopen after break	Monday, April 27, 2026
<i>Non-instructional day (district-based)</i>	<i>Wednesday, May 13, 2026</i>
Victoria Day	Monday, May 18, 2026
Canada Day	Wednesday, July 1, 2026
Last day for students	Tuesday, July 21, 2026
Year-end administrative day	Wednesday, July 22, 2026
Schools close for summer break	Wednesday, July 22, 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.

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