





# Elk Island Public Schools

## Approved Calendar 2010 - 2011



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### Legend

-  Schools Closed to Students, Staff Professional Development, Collaborative Team Time
-  Statutory Holidays, Winter, Spring & Fall Breaks, and School Closure Days
-  Days-in-Lieu of Interviews (Schools closed)
-  First and Last Instructional Day

### Important Dates

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|---|---|---|
| <b>August 30</b><br>First full day of school for students | <b>January 3</b><br>School reopens                  | <b>April 4</b><br>School reopens                  |
| <b>September 6</b><br>Labour Day                          | <b>February 1</b> ☆<br>Second semester begins       | <b>April 22</b><br>Good Friday                    |
| <b>October 11</b><br>Thanksgiving Day                     | <b>February 10 &amp; 11</b><br>Teachers' Convention | <b>April 25</b><br>Easter Monday                  |
| <b>November 11</b><br>Remembrance Day                     | <b>February 21</b><br>Family Day                    | <b>May 23</b><br>Victoria Day                     |
| <b>December 18</b><br>Start of Winter break               | <b>March 26</b><br>Start of Spring break            | <b>June 29</b><br>Last day of school for students |

Note: Diploma Exams January 12-28 and June 13-29, 2011

### August 2010

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### September 2010

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### October 2010

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### November 2010

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### December 2010

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### February 2011

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### March 2011

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### April 2011

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### May 2011

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### June 2011

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### July 2011

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# Calendar Guidelines

## 1. School Operational and Instructional Days

Month	Operational Days	Instructional Days
August	2	2
September	1	20
October	1	19
November	1	17
December	0	13
January	1	20
February	2	17
March	2	17
April	1	17
May	0	19
June	1	21
July	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>182</b>

**Total School Operational and Instructional Days 194**

### Operational Days

School Opening	1	Aug. 27
Collaborative Time - School Based	4	Aug. 26, Sept. 24, Mar. 4, Apr. 29
Professional Development Days - Division Based	2	Oct. 25 & Jan. 31
Teachers' Convention	2	Feb. 10 & 11
Parent Teacher Interview days-in-lieu	2	Nov. 12 & Mar. 25
School Closing	1	June 30
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	

School Closure Days	5	November 8, 9, & 10 and May 19 & 20
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## 2. Instructional Day Minimum

Elementary/Junior High	Days	Min./Day	Hr./Yr.
Regular Day	172	320	917
Staff Meeting Day	10	260	43
<b>Total</b>			<b>960</b>

Senior High Semester 1	Days	Min./Day	Hr./Yr.
Regular Day	86	336	481
Staff Meeting Day	5	288	24
<b>Total</b>			<b>505</b>

Senior High Semester 2	Days	Min./Day	Hr./Yr.
Regular Day	86	336	481
Staff Meeting Day	5	288	24
<b>Total</b>			<b>505</b>

Schools may have to adjust their schedules to accommodate transportation schedules. However, instructional day minimums must be maintained.

## 3. Teacher Assigned Instructional Time

Assigned instructional time for teachers equates to approximately 890 hours per year.

## 4. Staff Meetings

First staff meeting - September 1  
All subsequent staff meetings shall be the 1st instructional Wednesday of each month.

## 5. Recess or Period Breaks

Elementary principals are responsible for scheduling two recess breaks. Schools with alternative recess break schedules should advise Human Resources. Junior/senior high principals are responsible for scheduling period breaks.

## 6. Collaborative Team Time

Schools have four days (Aug. 26, Sept. 24, Mar. 4, Apr. 29) for staff to meet and work on items such as: School Education Plans, sharing best practices, building continuity with programs, assessment, and teacher-educational assistant meetings.