

# EIPS DIVISION CALENDAR 2017 - 2018

First Instructional Day (Semester 1 & 2)

Statutory Holidays

Schools Closed to Students for Professional Learning/Operational Days

Early Dismissal for Students

Schools Closed to Students and Staff

# **Important Dates**

Aug 7	Heritage Day - Statutory Holiday (Stat.)
Aug 28	Professional Learning Day
Aug 29	Operational Day
Aug 30	Classes Begin
Sept 4	Labour Day - Stat.
Oct 5 - 6	Professional Learning Days
Oct 9	Thanksgiving Day - Stat.
Nov 1 - 8	Diploma Exams
Nov 10	School Closure Day
Nov 11	Remembrance Day
Nov 13 - 17	Fall Break
Nov 17	Day-in-Lieu for Parent Teacher Interviews
Dec 25 - Jan 5	Winter Break
Dec 25	Christmas Day - Stat.
Dec 26	Boxing Day - Holiday
Dec 27	Christmas Floater Day - Holiday
Jan 1	New Year's Day
Jan 8	Classes Resume for Students
Jan 16 - 30	PAT/Diploma Exams
Jan 31	Second Semester Begins
Feb 8 & 9	North Central Teachers' Convention
Feb 16	School Closure Day
Feb 19	Family Day - Stat.
Mar 2	Professional Learning Day
Mar 23	Day-in-Lieu for Parent Teacher Interviews
Mar 26 - 30	Spring Break
Mar 30	Good Friday - Stat.
Apr 2	Easter Monday - Holiday
Apr 3	Classes Resume
Apr 9 - 17	Diploma Exams
Apr 27	Professional Learning Day
TBD	PAT Exams
May 17 & 18	School Closure Days
May 21	Victoria Day - Stat.
Jun 14 - 28	PAT/Diploma Exams
Jun 21	Aboriginal Day - no exams
Jun 28	Last Instructional Day
Jun 29	Last Operational Day
Jul 1	Canada Day - Stat.

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# **Calendar Guidelines**

#### 1. School Operational and Instructional Days

Month	Instructional Days	Operational Days			
August	2	2			
September	20	0			
October	19	2			
November	16	1			
December	16	0			
January	18	0			
February	16	2			
March	15	2			
April	19	1			
May	20	0			
June	20	1			
July	0	0			
Total	181	11			
Total School Operational and Instructional Days 192					

Professional Learning Days	5
North Central Teachers' Convention	2
Parent Teacher Interview days-in-lieu	2
Opening/Closing Days	2
Total - Operational Days	11

#### 2. Instructional Day Minimum

Elementary/Junior High	Days	Min./Day	Hr./Yr.
Regular Day	171	320	912
Early Dismissal Day	10	260	43
Total	955		
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Senior High Semester 1	Days	Min./Day	Hr./Semester
Regular Day	85	336	476
Early Dismissal Day	5	276	23
Total			499
Senior High Semester 2	Days	Min./Day	Hr./Semester
Regular Day	86	336	482
Farly Dismissal Day	_	270	23
Early Dismissal Day	5	276	25
Total	5	276	<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 6. All subsequent staff meetings shall be the first instructional Wednesday of each month.

#### 5. Professional Learning Days

Professional Learning Days are opportunities for staff to meet and work together on School Education Plans, sharing best practices, building continuity with programs, assessment, and teacher-educational assistant collaboration.

# 6. 10 Month Classified Staff Days

Ten-month classified staff work 181 instructional days, one operational day (Aug. 29), three professional learning days (chosen from the following in consultation with school administration: August 28, Oct. 5 & 6, Mar. 2, and Apr. 27), and 10 statutory and paid holidays, for a total of 195 days