



2020 – 2021 TRADITIONAL CALENDAR

September 1	Grade 10 classes start
September 2	Gr. 11/12 classes start
September 7	Labour Day
September 25	Non-instruction day
October 9	Non-instruction day
October 12	Thanksgiving Day
October 22	Short Day – P/T Conf PM
October 30	Non-instruction day
November 5	Update – Regular Classes
November 11	Remembrance Day
November 20	Non-instruction day
December 4	Non-instruction day
December 18	Last day of classes
January 4	Classes resume
Jan. 11-28	Exams – No Classes
January 29	Non-instruction day
February 11, 12	Teachers' Convention
February 15	Family Day
February 18	Short Day – IPP's
March 12	Non-instruction day
March 25	Short Day – P/T Conf.
March 26	Last day of classes
April 5	Easter Monday
April 6	Classes Resume
April 26	Non-instruction day
May 21	Non-instruction day
May 24	Victoria Day
May 27	Short Day – IPP's
May 28	Grad Day – no classes
June 10-28	Exams – No Classes
June 29	Last day of school
June 30	Non-instruction day

August 2020	September 2020	October 2020
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WESTERN CANADA HIGH SCHOOL
2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR

TRADITIONAL INSTRUCTIONAL SCHOOL CALENDAR 2020-2021

Thursday, Friday, Monday	August 27, 28, 31	Non-instruction days
Tuesday	September 1	First day of school for students
Monday	September 7	Labour Day
Friday	September 25	Non-instruction day
Friday	October 9	Non-instruction day
Monday	October 12	Thanksgiving Day
Friday	October 30	Non-instruction day
Wednesday	November 11	Remembrance Day
Friday	November 20	Non-instruction day
Friday	December 4	Non-instruction day
Friday	December 18	Last day of classes – winter break
Monday	January 4	Classes resume
Friday	January 29	Non-instruction day
Thursday, Friday	February 11, 12	Teachers' Convention
Monday	February 15	Alberta Family Day
Friday	March 12	Non-instruction day
Friday	March 26	Last day of classes – spring break
Friday	April 2	Good Friday
Monday	April 5	Easter Monday
Tuesday	April 6	Classes resume
Monday	April 26	Non-instruction day
Friday	May 21	Non-instruction day
Monday	May 24	Victoria Day
Tuesday	June 29	Last day of school for students
Wednesday	June 30	Non-instruction day

Number of Days

SEMESTER 1	Operational Days	Instructional Days
August	3	0
September	21	20
October	21	19
November	20	19
December	14	13
January	<u>20</u>	19
Total Semester 1	99	90
SEMESTER 2		
February	19	17
March	20	19
April	19	18
May	20	19
June	<u>22</u>	<u>21</u>
Total Semester 2	100	94
TOTAL DAYS	<u>199</u>	<u>184</u>

Alberta Education and Calgary Board of Education Requirements for Instructional Hours and School Years

- Kindergarten 475 hours per year
- Grades 1 to 9 950 hours of instruction per year in each grade
- Grades 10 to 12 1,000 hours of instruction

The final total of Instructional days is calculated on an individual school basis. In addition to Organizational/Professional days, schools may elect to use a maximum of three (3) days for Parent-Teacher conferences and a maximum of one (1) day in June for Appeals. CBE Administrative Regulation 3064 – School Year and Hours of Operation requires that the prescribed number of instructional hours is provided over a minimum of 180 days per school year.