

Battle River Regional Division #31
2009 – 2010 School Calendar
 Approved by Board of Trustees, November 27, 2008

<u>Month</u>	<u>Date</u>		<u>Total Days</u>	<u>Sr High</u>	<u>Elem-Jr High</u>
AUGUST	26	NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAY AT SCHOOL			
	27	TWO-DAY STAFF LEARNING INSTITUTE			
	31	FIRST DAY FOR STUDENTS	4.0	1.0	1.0
SEPTEMBER	7	LABOR DAY	21.0	21.0	21.0
OCTOBER	12	THANKSGIVING	21.0	20.0	20.0
	13	SCHOOL BASED PD DAY (No Students)			
NOVEMBER	11	REMEMBRANCE DAY			
	12	DAY IN LIEU OF AUG. PD (Schools Closed)			
	13	INTERVIEWS OR DAY IN LIEU (Schools Closed)	19.0	18.0	18.0
DECEMBER	18	LAST DAY OF CLASSES			
	21	CHRISTMAS BREAK BEGINS	14.0	14.0	14.0
JANUARY	4	SCHOOL RESUMES			
	29	END OF FIRST SEMESTER	20.0	20.0	20.0
TOTAL SEMESTER 1			99.0	94.0	94.0
FEBRUARY	1	DAY IN LIEU OF OCT. PD (Schools Closed)			
	2	SEMESTER BEGINS			
	15	FAMILY DAY	18.0	18.0	18.0
MARCH	4&5	TEACHER'S CONVENTION			
	26	INTERVIEWS OR DAY IN LIEU (Schools Closed)			
	29	SPRING BREAK BEGINS	20.0	17.0	17.0
APRIL	2	GOOD FRIDAY			
	5	EASTER MONDAY			
	6	SCHOOL RESUMES			
	19	SCHOOL BASED PD DAY (No Students)	19.0	19.0	19.0
MAY	24	VICTORIA DAY	20.0	20.0	20.0
JUNE	28	LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS			
	29	LAST OPERATIONAL DAY	21.0	20.0	20.0
TOTAL SEMESTER 2			98.0	94.0	94.0
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR			197.0	188.0	188.0

Note:

- 1) PROGRESS REPORTS shall be issued in November, January, April and June to students in grades 7 through 12. Schools with elementary students will have the option of three or four reports. This decision will be made by the school administration in consultation with staff and parents.
- 2) PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS may be held in the evenings during the first reporting period (November). Classes will be cancelled on November 13 to hold interviews or in lieu of evening interviews. Evening interviews will also be held in March/April. March 26 will be a day off in lieu of these interviews.
- 3) STAFF MEETINGS will be held on the third Tuesday of every month with the exception of December and April; students may be dismissed early on those days, but must spend no less than one half day in instruction.
- 4) December 18 and June 28 are regular instructional days.
- 5) CHRISTMAS VACATION – December 21, 2009 to January 1, 2010 inclusive.
- 6) SPRING BREAK, March 29 to April 4, 2010 inclusive.

Any proposed changes to school calendar must be submitted to the Assistant Superintendent, Planning and System Improvement for approval prior to May 31, 2009. Approval will be granted on the following criteria:

- Proposals do not alter the number instructional or operational days on this calendar.
- Rationale for proposal is provided that is focused on students and their learning.
- Evidence is provided of collaboration and consensus among all affected parties (eg. Teachers, parents, community, Director of Division Transportation, etc.)
- Proposals do not extend a holiday.