



Calgary Board of Education

Escuela W.O. Mitchell **External** 2026 – 2027 INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR

CBE schools are closed on the days shaded grey.

26, 27, 28	Non-instruction days
Aug. 28	IPP Conferences
Aug. 31	First day of school. Staggered entry for kindergarten. Regular day Grade 1-6.
Sept. 7	Labour Day
Sept. 25	Meet the Teacher 2:00-3:30PM
Sept. 25	Non-instruction day
Sept. 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Oct. 12	Thanksgiving Day
Oct. 19	Non-instruction day
Nov. 10	Last day of classes
Nov. 11-15	Fall Break
Nov. 16	Classes resume
Nov. 26	KG Parent/Teacher Conferences 9:00 AM-7:30 PM KG No Classes. Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:30-7:30 PM K-6 Regular Classes
Nov. 27	Parent/Teacher Conferences (No School)
Dec. 18	Last day of classes
Dec. 19-Jan 3	Winter Break
Jan. 4	Classes resume
Jan. 29	System PL Non-instruction day
Feb. 11, 12	Teachers' Convention
Feb. 15	Family Day
Feb. 26	Non-instruction day
Mar. 18	Last day of classes
Mar. 18	KG Parent/Teacher Conferences 9am-7:30p.m. KG No Classes. Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:30p.m.-7:30 p.m. K-6 Regular Classes
Mar. 19	Parent/Teacher Conferences (No School)
Mar. 20-29	Spring Break
Mar. 30	Classes resume
April 30	Maatoomsii' Pookaiks Non-instruction day
May 21	Non-instruction day
May 24	Victoria Day
June 24	KG last day of classes
June 25	Kindergarten No School
June 25	Last day of classes Grades 1-6. * No KG Classes*
June 28-29	Non-instruction days Appeals

August 2026	September 2026	October 2026
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[No School for Kindergarten on Nov. 26, Mar. 18, & Jun. 25-26]

Alternating Friday AM/PM Kindergarten - is from 9:10 AM – 1:20 PM

AM Kindergarten attends school – Mon-Thurs 9:10 AM -12:00 PM

PM Kindergarten attends school – Mon-Thurs 1:00 - 3:50 PM

Grade 1-6 – 9:10 AM – 3:50 PM and on Friday 9:10 AM – 1:20 PM

Grade 6 PATs

May 22 – English Language Arts and Literature Part A

June 4 – English Language Arts and Literature Part B

June 11 – Social Studies

June 12 – Science

June 15 – Mathematics Part A

June 18 – Mathematics Part B

W.O. MITCHELL SCHOOL EXTERNAL INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR 2026–2027

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	August 26, 27, 28	Non-instruction days
Friday	August 28	IPP Conferences
Monday	August 31	First day of school for students *Staggard Entry Kindergarten*
Monday	September 7	Labour Day
Friday	September 25	Non-instruction day * Meet the teacher 2:00p.m. - 3:30p.m.
Wednesday	September 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Monday	October 12	Thanksgiving Day
Monday	October 19	Non-instruction day
Tuesday	November 10	Last day of classes before Fall Break
Wednesday	November 11	Remembrance Day
Monday	November 16	Classes resume
Thursday	November 26	Parent Teacher Conferences 4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. (No KG classes)
Friday	November 27	Parent Teacher Conferences Non-instruction day
Friday	December 18	Last day of classes before Winter Break
Monday	January 4	Classes resume
Friday	January 29	System Professional Learning Non-instruction day
Thursday, Friday	February 11, 12	Teachers' Convention
Monday	February 15	Family Day
Friday	February 26	Non-instruction day
Thursday	March 18	Last day of classes before Spring Break (No KG classes) P/T Conf.
Friday	March 19	Parent Teacher Conferences Non-instruction day
Friday	March 26	Good Friday
Tuesday	March 30	Classes resume
Friday	April 30	Maatoomsii'Pookaiks, System Professional Learning Non-instruction day
Friday	May 21	Non-instruction day
Monday	May 24	Victoria Day
Friday	June 25	Last day of school for students *No Kindergarten Classes*
Monday, Tuesday	June 28, 29	Non-instruction days

Number of Days

Month	Operational Day	Instructional Day
August	4	1
September	20	19
October	21	20
November	18	17
December	14	14
January	20	19
February	19	16
March	17	16
April	22	21
May	20	19
June	21	19
Total	196	181

Alberta Education Minimum Hours of Instruction

- Kindergarten 475 hours per school year
- Grades 1 to 9 950 hours per school year in each grade
- Grades 10 to 12 1000 hours per school year

CBE Additional Information

- Schools may use a maximum of three (3) non-instructional days for Student Learning Conferences.
- High Schools may have one flex day for graduation. K-9 schools may not have a flex day.
- June 25 is a system-wide early dismissal day.