



Local School Calendar 2025-2026

Designation	2025-2026
Days in Session	187
Days of Instruction	179
Instructional Hours Kindergarten	853
Instructional Hours Elementary	878
Instructional Hours Secondary	952
Schools open Regular start time – schools dismiss three hours early Ballenas and Kwalikum Secondary – only grade 8 students attend	Tuesday, September 2
Ballenas and Kwalikum Secondary -First day for grades 9-12 students	Wednesday, September 3
District Day – Non-Instructional Day	Monday, September 29
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Tuesday, September 30
Thanksgiving Day	Monday, October 13
Provincial Professional Development Day - Non-Instructional Day	Friday, October 24
Conferencing Adjustment - Non-Instructional Day	Monday, November 10
Remembrance Day	Tuesday, November 11
MATA District Pro-D Day – Non-Instructional Day	Monday, November 24
Winter Vacation Period	December 22 to January 2
Schools Reopen after Winter Vacation	Monday, January 5
Secondary Semester Two Begins – Secondary School Students Not in Attendance	Monday January 26
MATA School-Based Pro-D Day – Non-Instructional Day	Friday, February 13
BC Family Day	Monday, February 16
Spring Vacation Period	March 16 to 27
Schools Reopen after Spring Break	Monday, March 30
Good Friday	Friday, April 3
Easter Monday	Monday, April 6
MATA District Pro-D Day - Non-Instructional Day	Thursday, May 14
Conferencing Adjustment - Non-Instructional Day	Friday, May 15
Victoria Day	Monday, May 18
Final Day for Students - Schools dismiss three hours early	Thursday, June 25
Administrative Day - Non instructional Day	Friday, June 26