

**Ballard County Schools
2016-2017 Calendar**

August				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		
Aug. 4-9 – Professional development/Planning days Aug. 10 – Opening Day for staff Aug. 11– First Day for students 15 Instructional / 20 Contractual days				
September				
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30
Sept. 5 – Labor Day holiday, no school 21 Instructional / 22 Contractual days				
October				
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				
Oct. 3-7 – Fall break; no school Oct. 14 – End of first quarter 16 Instructional/Contractual days				
November				
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		
Nov. 8 – No school Nov. 23 – Professional development/Planning day; no school Nov. 24 – Thanksgiving holiday; no school Nov. 25 – No school 18 Instructional / 20 Contractual days				
December				
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30
Dec. 16 – End of 2 nd quarter/first semester Dec. 19-30 – Winter break; no school Dec. 26 – Christmas holiday 12 Instructional / 13 Contractual days				
January				
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			
Jan. 2 – New Year’s holiday; no school Jan. 16 – No school 20 Instructional / 21 Contractual days				
February				
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28			
Feb. 20 – Professional development/Planning day; no school 19 Instructional / 20 Contractual days				
March				
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31
March 3 – End of third quarter March 17 – Professional development/Planning day; no school 22 Instructional / 23 Contractual days				
April				
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
April 3-7 – Spring break; no school 15 Instructional / Contractual days				
May				
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		
May 18– LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS/Three-hour instructional day: Students dismiss at 11:45 a.m. May 19 – Closing Day for staff 14 Instructional / 15 Contractual days				
June				
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30
172 Instructional / 185 Contractual days				

Calendar at a Glance

Aug. 11	First day for students
Sept. 5	Labor Day holiday – No school
Oct. 3-7	Fall break – No school
Nov. 8	No school
Nov. 23	Professional development/Planning day; no school
Nov. 24	Thanksgiving holiday – No school
Nov. 25	No school
Dec. 19-Jan. 2	Winter break – No school
Jan. 16	No school
Feb. 20	Professional development/Planning day; no school
March 17	Professional development/Planning day; no school
April 3-7	Spring break – No school
May 18	Last day for students; three-hour instructional day

172	Instructional days
4	Holidays (Sept. 5, Nov. 24, Dec. 26, Jan. 2)
1	Opening Day (Aug. 10)
4	PD days (TBD)
3	Staff planning days (TBD)
1	Closing Day (May 19)

185 Total contractual days

Weather make-up days: First weather day will use banked time, no make-up for students; second day, last day for students (May 18, 2017) will be increased to a full day of instruction; third day, Feb. 20; fourth day, March 17; fifth day, May 19; sixth day, May 22; seventh day, May 23; eighth day, May 24; ninth day, May 25; 10th day; May 26; 11th day, May 30; 12th day, May 31; 13th day, June 1; 14th day, April 3 of spring break; 15th day, April 4 of spring break; 16th day, April 5 of spring break; 17th day, April 6; 18th day, April 7 of spring break.

*If weather days occur after designated make-up days, those days automatically roll down to the next available make-up day (i.e., if the third weather day occurs after Feb. 20, Mar. 17 will be the third make-up day, etc.).

Families, staff and community members should be aware that an excess of weather-cancelled days could push student days well past the planned last day of May 18, or take up part of spring break. We understand that many vacations are planned using the original calendar's off days; however, we strongly encourage families to check cancellation policies for vacations set for immediately after the planned end of school, or during spring break, in case school is in session.