

SCHOOL CALENDAR

The Board will annually adopt a school calendar. As required by law, the school year shall consist of at least 180 days a year. At least 175 days shall be used for instruction. In meeting the requirement of a 180-day school year, no more than five days may be used for in-service education of teachers, administrative meetings, parent-teacher conferences, records' days, and similar activities.

To promote continuity of instruction and achieve consistency in scheduling, disruptions to the educational day will be kept to a minimum.

The Augusta School Department shall work with school administrative units in its career and technical education region to develop a regional school calendar that aligns the school calendars of sending schools with the school calendars of career and technical education programs in the region.

The Board will approve the school calendar for the ensuing school year prior to June 30 of the current school year. The Superintendent will be responsible for publicizing the school calendar through the local newspaper and the District's website.

Legal Reference: 20-A MRSA § 4801-4805

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