

Approved March 11, 2019

Caldwell County Schools
2019-2020 Calendar

First Day of School: August 26, 2019

Last Day of School: June 5, 2020

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KEY		
	Early Release Days	3 days
	Holidays	11 days
	Optional Planning (OP)	8 days
	Planning (P)	4 days
	Annual Leave (AL)	10 days
	Professional Dev. (PD)	2 days
	Instructional Days	180 days
The last day of school is June 5, 2020. High school graduation is June 6, 2020.		

- The Board of Education added 10 minutes to the school day to use for make-up time in case of inclement weather or other emergencies.
- Schools will release early (ER) for school level staff development and release after lunch the day before Christmas holiday and the last day of school for students not involved in exams or end-of-grade testing.
- When schools are closed for students and staff due to inclement weather, the Saturday of that week may be used as a make-up day. This will not apply to days missed preceding Thanksgiving or Christmas holidays. Parents, please plan accordingly.

2019-2020 Grading Periods

End of 1 st grading period:	October 25, 2019
End of 2 nd grading period (high schools):	December 20, 2019
End of 2 nd grading period (elementary and middle):	January 17, 2020
End of 3 rd grading period:	March 20, 2020
End of 4 th grading period:	June 5, 2020
Total School Days: 180	

LEGISLATION SUMMARY FOR LEAS

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013

2012 Senate Bill 187 (Session Law 2012-145), applies beginning with the 2013-2014 school year, rewrites a portion of the calendar law (General Statute 115C-84.2). [Legislation: Session Law 2012-145, Senate Bill 187, Section 7A.11.](#)

School Calendars must meet the following requirements:

1. Start date no earlier than the Monday closest to August 26 and end date no later than the Friday closest to June 11 (unless a weather related calendar waiver has been approved, year-round school, charter school or cooperative innovative high school.) If waiver is approved the start date can be no earlier than the Monday closest to August 19.
2. There are no educational purpose waivers for exemption of the opening and/or closing dates.
3. All schools within the district must be closed all day for purposes of determining eligibility for a weather related waiver (delayed starts or early dismissals of two or more hours no longer apply).
4. Covers at least nine calendar months.
5. Must have a minimum of 185 days **OR** 1,025 hours of instruction.
6. Must have at least nine (9) teacher workdays.
7. Local Boards shall designate two (2) workdays on which teachers may take accumulated vacation leave. Local Boards may designate the remaining workdays as days teachers may take accumulated vacation leave.
8. Have a minimum of ten (10) annual vacation leave days.
9. Have the same or an equivalent number of legal holidays occurring within the school calendar as those designated by the State Personnel Commission for State employees.
10. School shall not be held on Sunday.
11. Veterans Day shall be a holiday for all public school personnel and for all students enrolled in the public schools.

Note: Charter schools must meet the requirements of 185 days or 1,025 hours of instruction.