

Amended 2020-2021 School District Calendar

1. Due to COVID-19 issues the district calendar will be amended to better serve students and staff for the 2020-21 school year. This calendar will help to provide more days at the start of the school year for staff training related to changes due to COVID-19 (safety and learning options) and to help mitigate the heat issues related to wearing masks in our buildings.

2. Required hours for FY21 Calendar. Grades 7-12 must have a minimum of 1001 hours for a school year. Grades K-6 must have a minimum of 910 hours.

a. Grades 7-12

i. 7:51 – 2:35 is 6 hours and 44 minutes = 404 min. – 30 minutes for lunch = 374 minutes/day (6 hours and 14-minute day)

ii. 166 counted instructional days = 1034.7 hours – 14 hours for early dismissals throughout year = 1020.7 hours

iii. 182.5 staff days (per the current contract)

iv. 1020.7 hours – 1001 hours = 20.7 hours over

v. There will be no calamity/snow days as we will be on our remote learning plan for all building closures.

In the past, students did not make up the first five snow days, so the potential decrease in actual hours (with five snow days) is 31.2 hours less in the school year than in previous years (28.8 hours less at CES).

b. Current K-6 =

i. 9:00 – 3:15 is 6 hours and 15 minutes = 375 minutes – 30 min. for lunch [(2) 15 min. recess periods are allowed] = 345 min/day (5.75 hours/day)

ii. 166 counted instructional days = 954.5 hours – 14 hours for early dismissals throughout the year = 940.5 hours

iii. 182.5 staff days (per the current contract)

iv. 940.5 hours – 910 hours = 30.5 hours over

v. Even after five (5) potential “snow days,” we will be +50 hours over

c. All other calendar items remain as previously approved by the Board.