

2015/16 SCHOOL CALENDAR

2015

September - 16 days

School-based In-service Tuesday Sept. 8
Schools Open Wednesday, Sept. 9

October - 20 days

Thanksgiving Monday, Oct. 12
Provincial Pro-D Friday, Oct. 23

November - 19 days

Remembrance Day Wednesday Nov. 11
School-based Pro-D Day Monday, Nov. 23

December - 14 days

Christmas Break Monday, Dec. 21
to Friday Jan. 1

2016

January - 19 days

School-based In-service Monday, Jan. 4
Schools Re-open Tuesday, Jan. 5

February - 19 days

Family Day Monday, Feb. 8
District Pro-D/In-service Friday, Feb. 19

March - 16 days

Spring Break Monday, Mar. 21
to Friday, April 1
Good Friday Friday, Mar. 25
Easter Monday Monday, Mar. 28

April - 21 days

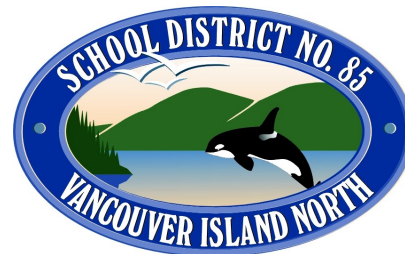
Schools Re-open Monday, April 4

May - 20 days

School-based Pro-D Friday, May 6
Victoria Day Monday, May 23

June - 21 days

Administrative Day Friday, June 24
Schools Close Friday, June 24



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Summary of 2015-2016 School Calendar

Minimum number of Instructional Days	178 days
Professional Development Days	3.75
In-service Days	2.25
Administrative Day	1
Total Days in Session	185 days

Days of instruction are different than "days in session". Days in session are days that school is "open" but the students are not necessarily in attendance. On a "day of instruction", students are to be in attendance and under supervision for the purposes of receiving instruction in an educational program.

Prescribed Minimum Hours of Instruction

In accordance with the School Act, a Board of Education must offer not less than the following hours of instruction in a school year to students enrolled in the schools in its district:

853 hours of instruction for students in Kindergarten
878 hours of instruction for students in grades 1 to 7
952 hours of instruction for students in grades 8 to 12