

Minister's Directive
School Calendar for the 2015-2016 School Year

Pursuant to section 8 and clause 7(1)(g) of the *School Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. S-2-1, I hereby issue the following Minister's Directive concerning the School Calendar for the 2015-2016 school year:

September	(20 School Days) (17 Instructional Days)
2	Orientation Day for teachers (no classes)
3	In-service/Collaborative Team Day (no classes)
4	PEITF - Professional Learning Day – School Effectiveness Day (no classes)
7	Labour Day (no classes)
8	First Instructional Day for students
October	(21 School Days) (19 Instructional Days)
12	Thanksgiving (no classes)
22-23	PEITF Annual Convention/CUPE Annual Convention (no classes)
November	(20 School Days) (18 Instructional Days)
6	PEITF Professional Learning Day (no classes)
11	Remembrance Day (no classes)
20	Parent Teacher Interviews K-12 (no classes)
December	(16 School Days) (15 Instructional Days)
4	In-service/Collaborative Team Day (no classes)
22	Last Instructional Day for 2015
January 2016	(20 School Days) (20 Instructional Days)
4	First Instructional Day for 2016
25	Grade 11 Provincial Math Assessment
26	First day on which examinations for grade 10-12 students may be scheduled
February	(20 School Days) (18 Instructional Days)
2	End of Semester Administration/School Effectiveness Day (no classes)
15	Islander Day (no classes)
26	In-service/Collaborative Team Day (no classes)

March	(16 School Days) (15 Instructional Days)
11	Parent Teacher Interviews (K-9)/School Effectiveness Day for high schools (no classes) (refer to local school calendar for more details)
18-24	March Break (no classes)
25	Good Friday (no classes)
28	Easter Monday (no classes)
April	(21 School Days) (19 Instructional Days)
15	Parent Teacher Interviews (high schools)/School Effectiveness Day for K-9 (no classes) (refer to local school calendar for more details)
29	In-service/Collaborative Team Day (no classes)
May	(21 School Days) (20 Instructional Days)
6	Area Association Day/CUPE 3260 Annual Convention (no classes)
23	Victoria Day (no classes)
June	(22 School Days) (20 Instructional Days)
10	Grade 11 Provincial Math Assessment
13	First day on which examinations for grade 10-12 students may be scheduled
20	First day on which examinations for grade 9 students may be scheduled
23	First day for grade 12 graduation ceremonies
27	First day for elementary and intermediate closing ceremonies
28	Last instructional day. Report cards for grades 1-11
30	Last school day for teachers/10 month non-instructional staff

Total number of school days: 197 Total number of instructional days: 181

This Minister's Directive is effective as of March 11th, 2015

Dated at Summerside this _____ day of March, 2015

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