



Ecole élémentaire John G. Diefenbaker Elementary School
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 38 (RICHMOND)



Mrs. Elaine Stapleton
Principal/Directrice

Mr. Trevor Shuto
Vice Principal/ Directeur adjoint

May 29, 2017

School Calendar 2017-2018

Days in Session	188
Hours of Instruction (Minimum)	848 – K, 873 Gr. 1-7, 947 Gr. 8-12
Non Instructional Days	7
Labour Day	Monday, September 4, 2017
School Opens	Tuesday, September 5, 2017
Thanksgiving Day	Monday, October 9, 2017
Remembrance Day	Monday, November 13, 2017
Winter Vacation	Monday, December 25 to Friday, January 5, 2018
Family Day	Monday, February 12, 2018
Spring Vacation	Friday, March 16 to Thursday, March 29, 2018
Good Friday	Friday, March 30, 2018
Easter Monday	Monday, April 2, 2018
Victoria Day	Monday, May 21, 2018
Last Day for Students	Thursday, June 28, 2018
Administrative Day/School Closes	Friday, June 29, 2018
Summer Vacation	Monday, July 2, 2018 to Monday, September 3, 2018

Diefenbaker School Non-Instructional Professional Development Days

- Monday, September 25, 2017 – FULL DAY
- Friday, October 20, 2017 – FULL DAY
- Friday, November 24, 2017 – FULL DAY
- Friday, January 26, 2018 – FULL DAY
- Friday, February 23, 2018 – FULL DAY
- Monday, April 23, 2018 – FULL DAY
- Friday, May 18, 2018 – FULL DAY

School Hours and Bell Schedule

School is in session daily from 8:45am to 2:38pm for all students, Kindergarten through to Grade 7. Students are welcome in to the school at 8:30am and are expected to find a quiet activity in their class until school starts.

8:40am	First Bell
8:45am	Classes begin
10:30am – 10:45am	Recess
12:25pm – 1:10pm	Lunch
2:38pm	Dismissal