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May 31, 2023

School Calendar 2023-2024

Days in Session	188
Minimum Number of Days of Instruction	181
Non-Instructional Days	6
Labour Day	Monday, September 4, 2023
School Opens	Tuesday, September 5, 2023
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Saturday, September 30, 2023 (School Closed Mon. Oct. 2)
Thanksgiving Day	Monday, October 9, 2023
Remembrance Day	Saturday, November 11, 2023 (School Closed Mon. Nov. 13)
Winter Vacation	Monday, December 25 to Friday, January 5, 2024
Family Day	Monday, February 19, 2024
Spring Vacation	Friday, March 15 to Thursday, March 28, 2024
Good Friday	Friday, March 29, 2024
Easter Monday	Monday, April 1, 2024
Victoria Day	Monday, May 20, 2024
Last Day for Students	Thursday, June 27, 2024
Administrative Day/School Closes	Friday, June 28, 2024
Summer Vacation	Friday, June 28 to Monday, September 2, 2024

Diefenbaker School Non-Instructional FULL DAY Professional Development Days
No School for Students

<i>Friday, September 22, 2023</i>	<i>Monday, January 29, 2024</i>
<i>Friday, October 20, 2023</i>	<i>Friday, February 16, 2024</i>
<i>Monday, November 20, 2023</i>	<i>Friday, May 17, 2024</i>

School Hours and Bell Schedule

School is in session daily from 8:45am to 2:45pm for all students, Kindergarten through to Grade 7. Students are welcome to enter the school at 8:40am through their outside classroom door.

8:40am	First Bell
8:45am	Classes begin
10:10am – 10:25am	Recess
11:50am – 12:42pm	Lunch (Eat first, 12:10 outside)
2:45pm	Dismissal