



James Thomson Elementary School

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In accordance of the School Act, the following information is provided for parents:

School Schedule

MORNING

8:55 Warning Bell
9:00 Classes Commence
10:15 Recess #1 Break Starts
10:30 Recess #1 Break Ends
10:30 Recess #2 Break Starts
10:45 Recess #2 Break Ends

Days in session – 188
Days of Instruction – 181
Non-instructional Days – 6
Administrative Day – 1

AFTERNOON

12:00 Playground Bell - #1
12:30 Lunch Bell - #1
12:40 Classes Commence
12:30 Playground Bell - #2
1:00 Lunch Bell - #2
1:10 Classes Commence
2:50 Dismissal Bell

Length of Instructional Day for Grades K-7 is 295 minutes per day

School Calendar

2020

Thu.	Sep. 10	School Year Commences – Classes in session until 10:00 am
Fri.	Sep. 25	Professional Development Day (no school)
Mon.	Oct. 12	Thanksgiving Day Holiday
Fri.	Oct. 23	Provincial Professional Development Day
Thurs.	Oct. 29	Parent Teacher Conferences – School Not in Session *Evening conferences available
Mon.	Nov. 11	Remembrance Day Holiday
Fri.	Dec. 4	First Formal Reporting
Fri.	Dec. 18	Last day of School before Winter Vacation

2021

Mon.	Jan. 4	School re-opens after Winter Vacation
Thurs.	Feb. 4	Student Led Conferences – early dismissal at 12:00 pm *Evening conferences available
Fri.	Feb. 12	Professional Development Day
Mon.	Feb. 15	B.C. Family Day Holiday
Wed.	Mar. 17	Second Formal Reporting
Fri.	Mar. 19	Last day of school before Spring Break
Fri.	Apr. 2	Good Friday
Mon.	Apr. 5	Easter Monday
Tues.	Apr. 6	Day in Lieu (Good Friday)
Wed.	Apr. 7	School re-opens after Spring Break
Mon.	May 24	Victoria Day Holiday
Mon.	Jun. 7	District Pro-D Day – Planning Day
Tues.	Jun. 29	Last day of classes for students/Final Report Cards issued.
Wed.	Jun. 30	Year-End Administrative Day, Schools Closed

* Reporting dates are tentative at this time.