

**Bakersfield City School District  
The Advisory Bulletin**

To: All Employees	Date: March 9, 2017	No. 17417
Subject: <b>BCSD Revised 2017-18 School Calendar</b>		
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**Attached is the 2017-18 Revised School Calendar  
of the Bakersfield City School District.**

Listed are total school days and all holidays for the year. This calendar was approved by the Board of Education on March 2, 2017. Please note that there are 11 school months.

**NEW:** One Teacher Prep Day and two Academic Conference Days (without students) are included in the total of 185 Teacher Duty Days. These dates are indicated by circle on the calendar.

\*June 5<sup>th</sup> and June 6<sup>th</sup> have been included as Student Attendance Days.  
\*These dates will be utilized **ONLY** in the event that it is necessary to maintain 180 instructional days for the school year.

This calendar includes eight (8), "Two Hour Delayed Start," of school days for Collaboration/Professional Development meetings. Students will not be on campus during this time.

In addition, each Wednesday, beginning Weds., August 16, 2017, will be a "District-wide Bank Day" in which students are released early to provide extended collaboration time for teachers.

Please keep this calendar for future reference.

Bakersfield City School District  
2017-18 School Calendar

Revised March 2, 2017

<u>July/August</u>	M	TU	W	TH	FR	Date	Description
Each Weds. is a "Bank" day (early student release/extended teacher collaboration time)	---	---	---	27	28	July 27	Principals on Duty
	31	1	2	3	4	Aug. 2	School Secretaries and Clerks on Duty
	7	8	9	10	11	Aug. 8	New Teachers (1st year) Report
<u>August/September</u> 1 <sup>st</sup> School Month 17 School Days	(14)	15	16	17	18	Aug. 14	Staff on Duty - Teacher Prep Day/No Students
	21	22	23	**24	25	Aug. 16	First Day of School
	28	29	30	31	1	Sept. 4	Labor Day Holiday
	4	5	6	7	8		
<u>September/October</u> 2 <sup>nd</sup> School Month 20 School Days	11	12	13	**14	15		
	18	19	20	21	22	Sept. 12	Back to School Night (Elementary)
	25	26	27	28	29	Sept. 14	Back to School Night (Middle/Jr. High)
	2	3	4	5	6		
<u>October/November</u> 3 <sup>rd</sup> School Month 19 School Days	9	10	11	12	13	Oct. 13	End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Grading Period
	16	17	18	**19	20	Oct. 23-27	Parent Conference Week
	23	24	25	26	27	Oct. 27	Report to Parents Sent Home K-8
	30	31	1	2	(3)	Nov. 3	Academic Conference Day/No Students
<u>November/December</u> 4 <sup>th</sup> School Month 14 School Days	6	7	8	9	10	Nov. 10	Veterans' Day Holiday
	13	14	15	16	17		
	20	21	22	23	24	Nov. 20-24	Thanksgiving Recess (Schools Only)
	27	28	29	**30	1	Nov. 23-24	Thanksgiving Day Holiday
<u>December</u> 5 <sup>th</sup> School Month 15 School Days	4	5	6	7	8		
	11	12	13	14	15		
	18	19	20	21	22	Dec. 22	End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grading Period
	25	---	---	---	29	Dec. 25-Jan. 5	Winter Break
<u>January</u> 6 <sup>th</sup> School Month 14 School Days	1	---	---	---	5	Jan. 1	New Year's Day Holiday
	8	9	10	11	12	Jan. 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday
	15	16	17	**18	19	Jan. 19	Report to Parents Sent Home K-8
	22	23	24	25	26		
<u>January/February</u> 7 <sup>th</sup> School Month 18 School Days	29	30	31	1	2		
	5	6	7	8	9		
	12	13	14	**15	16	Feb. 12	Lincoln Day Holiday
	19	20	21	22	23	Feb. 19	Washington Day Holiday
<u>February/March</u> 8 <sup>th</sup> School Month 19 School Days	26	27	28	1	(2)	March 2	Academic Conference Day/No Students
	5	6	7	8	9	March 9	End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grading Period
	12	13	14	**15	16		
	19	20	21	22	23	March 23	Report to Parents Sent Home K-8
<u>March/April</u> 9 <sup>th</sup> School Month 14 School Days	26	---	---	---	30	March 26-30	Spring Break
	2	3	4	5	6	April 2	Holiday
	9	10	11	**12	13		
	16	17	18	19	20		
<u>April/May</u> 10 <sup>th</sup> School Month 20 School Days	23	24	25	26	27		
	30	1	2	3	4		
	7	8	9	10	11	May 8	Day of the Teacher Observance
	14	15	16	17	18		
<u>May/June</u> 11 <sup>th</sup> School Month 10 School Days	21	22	23	24	25	May 21-25	Classified School Employee Week Observance
	28	29	30	31	1	May 28	Memorial Day Holiday
	4	5	6	7	8	June 4	Last Day of School
	11	---	---	---	---	June 4	Report to Parents Sent Home K-8
<b>185 Teacher Duty Days</b> <b>One Teacher Prep Day and</b> <b>two Academic Conference Days</b> <b>indicated by circle</b>						June 5	Staff on Duty
						June 11	Last Day Principals, School Secretaries, Clerks

\*\* Two Hour Delayed Start for Collaboration/Professional Development Total School Days — 180

Report cards sent home to parents for Elementary and Junior High Schools: Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>, Jan. 19<sup>th</sup>, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, and on June 4<sup>th</sup>.  
June 5<sup>th</sup> & June 6<sup>th</sup> will be utilized as Student Attendance Days only if necessary to maintain 180 instructional days for the school year.

Holidays for 12-month employees are: July 4, Sept. 4, Nov. 10, Nov. 23-24, Dec. 25, one designated day,  
Jan. 1, Jan. 15, Feb. 12, Feb. 19, March 30, April 2, and May 28.