

On February 16, 2022, the Calendar Committee met to modify the voted on and approved academic calendar for 2022-2023 (option 3) in order to be in compliance with Montana School Law. MCA

20-1-304 states, "Pupil-instruction-related day. A pupil-instruction-related day is a day of teacher activities devoted to improving the quality of instruction. The PIR activities may include but are not limited to in-service training, attending state meetings of teacher organizations, and conducting parent conferences. A maximum of 7 PIR (pupil-instruction-related) days may be conducted during a school year, with a minimum of 3 of the days for instructional and professional development meetings or other appropriate in-service training. If the days are planned in accordance with the policy adopted by the board of public education. The days may not be included as a part of the required minimum aggregate hours of pupil instruction".

To be in compliance with MCA 20-1-304, calendar option 3 was modified as follows;

- October 20 & 21, 2022 have been included as contracted days designated as PIR days (teachers may choose to attend the MEA conference or professional development activities provided in District).
- No school on Martin Luther King Day (January 16, 2023)
- Last day of school is modified from June 9 to 8th. June 8th will be early release for students and checkout for staff in the afternoon.

If you have questions, please contact your building representative or calendar committee representative.