



DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY
& SECONDARY EDUCATION

Inclement Weather Calendar Waiver Request

District:	Gravette
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Date Received by DESE:	

By submitting this waiver request, the Superintendent certifies that the following requirements have been met:

1. The local board has approved the waiver request and revised calendar.
2. The personnel policy committee (PPC) has approved the revised calendar.
3. The revised calendar has been posted on the district's website.
4. The calendar reflects 1,068 hours of in-person student instruction that will be provided during the 2023-2024 school year.

Further, the Superintendent certifies that the district will input into eSchool, eFinance, or APSCN, all data that affects the ADM of the public school district; and ensures compliance with the required minimum number of school instructional hours.

Topic:	Alternate School Calendar Submission Deadlines
Standards/Statutes/Rules:	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-10-106(g)(3) regarding calendar submission deadline
Duration Requested:	2023-2024 School Year
Schools, Grades or Classes the Waiver Will Apply To	K-12
PURPOSE OF THE WAIVER (Must check at least one)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Allow the district to transition to an alternate calendar requiring 1,068 hours of student instruction

Gravette School District

2023-2024 School Calendar

Alternative Calendar (Inclement Weather)



July 2023						
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August 2023						
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September 2023						
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3 Days	PD TBD
Aug 3-4	New Employee Orientation
Aug 8-14	Back to School PD
Aug 16	First Day For Students
Sept 4	Holiday - No School
Oct 13	End of First Qrt - 42 Days
Oct 23-26	P/T Conference Week
Nov 20-24	Thanksgiving Break
Dec 20	End of Second Qrt - 42 days
Dec 21-Jan 2	Christmas Break
Jan 3	PD/Teacher Work Day
Jan 4	School Resumes
Jan 15	Holiday - No School
Feb 19	Holiday - No School
Feb 20-23	6-12th P/T Conference Week
Mar 15	End of Third Qrt - 45 Days
Mar 18-22	Spring Break
Mar 25-29	K-5th P/T Conference Week
May 18	Graduation
May 24	End of Fourth Qrt - 45 Days
May 27	Holiday - No School
May 28-31	Snow Make Up Days
Jun 3-7	PD/Teacher Work Day

Quarters

1st Quarter - Aug 16 - Oct 13	42 Days
2nd Quarter - Oct 16 - Dec 20	42 Days
3rd Quarter - Jan 4 - Mar 15	45 Days
4th Quarter - Mar 25 - May 24	45 Days
Total Student Days	174 Days

Total Instructional Hours

GHS (124*6.33+31*5.67+18*6.42)	1,076.25 Hours
GMS (84*6.23+21*5.53+26*6.45+2*5.75+32*6.37+8*5.67)	1,068.25 Hours
GUE (138*6.78+35*5.92)	1,142.84 Hours
GDE (138*6.7+35*5.92)	1,131.80 Hours

Teacher Contracted Days

Total Student Days	174
PD Days	13
Parent/Community Engagement Day	1
Parent Teacher Conferences	2
Total Contracted Days	190

January 2024						
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May 2024						
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June 2024						
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Notes

School Hours:

Elementary Schools: 7:55-3:10 pm Fridays Early out at 2:25 pm
 Middle School: 7:55-3:17 pm Friday Early out at 2:31 pm
 High School 8:00-3:25 pm Fridays Early out at 2:45 pm

PD/Teacher Work Day
 Holiday - No School

Parent Teacher Conferences
 Snow Make Up Days

First & Last Day Of School
 No School - Inclement Weather

Gravette School District Instructional Hour Worksheet

Q1	GDE	GUE	GMS	GHS	Q2	GDE	GUE	GMS	GHS	Q3	GDE	GUE	GMS	GHS	Q4	GDE	GUE	GMS	GHS
August 16	402	407	374	380	October 16	402	407	374	380	January 4	402	407	374	380	March 25	402	407	387	380
August 17	402	407	374	380	October 17	402	407	374	380	January 5	355	360	332	340	March 26	402	407	387	380
August 18	355	360	332	340	October 18	402	407	374	380	January 8	402	407	374	380	March 27	402	407	387	380
August 21	402	407	374	380	October 19	402	407	374	380	January 10	402	407	374	380	March 28	402	407	387	380
August 22	402	407	374	380	October 20	355	360	332	340	January 11	402	407	374	380	March 29	355	360	345	340
August 23	402	407	374	380	October 23	402	407	374	380	January 18	402	407	374	380	April 1	402	407	382	380
August 24	402	407	374	380	October 24	402	407	374	380	January 19	355	360	332	340	April 2	402	407	382	380
August 25	355	360	332	340	October 25	402	407	374	380	January 23	402	407	374	380	April 3	402	407	382	380
August 28	402	407	374	380	October 26	402	407	374	380	January 24	402	407	374	380	April 4	402	407	382	380
August 29	402	407	374	380	October 30	402	407	374	380	January 25	402	407	374	380	April 5	355	360	340	340
August 30	402	407	374	380	October 31	402	407	374	380	January 26	355	360	332	340	April 8	402	407	382	380
August 31	402	407	374	380	November 1	402	407	374	380	January 29	402	407	374	380	April 9	402	407	382	380
September 1	355	360	332	340	November 2	402	407	374	380	January 30	402	407	374	380	April 10	402	407	382	380
September 5	402	407	374	380	November 3	355	360	332	340	January 31	402	407	374	380	April 11	402	407	382	380
September 6	402	407	374	380	November 6	402	407	374	380	February 1	402	407	374	380	April 12	355	360	340	340
September 7	402	407	374	380	November 7	402	407	374	380	February 2	355	360	332	340	April 15	402	407	382	380
September 8	355	360	332	340	November 8	402	407	374	380	February 5	402	407	374	380	April 16	402	407	382	380
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September 15	355	360	332	340	November 15	402	407	374	380	February 13	402	407	387	385	April 23	402	407	382	380
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Daily Total	16461	16671	15330	15600		16555	16765	15414	15680	March 15	355	360	345	340	May 23	402	407	382	380
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GDE Total	68089																		
GUE Total	68954																		
GMS Total	64084	4																	
GHS Total	64590	510																	
Required Minutes	64080																		
With additional 5 days	65880																		
Q1	42				Teacher Contract Days				190										
Q2	42				Student Contact Days				173										
Q3	44				PD				9										
Q4	45				FLEX				1										
	173				Parent/Teacher Conferences				2										
					Teacher Days Needed				5										

Elementary times do not change.
 Middle School: February 12 - March 29 move start time up 5 minutes to 7:50
 Middle School: beginning February 12 - deduct 1 minute between each passing period
 High School: February 12 - March 8 move start time up 5 minutes to 7:55