



DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY
& SECONDARY EDUCATION

Inclement Weather Calendar Waiver Request

District:	Flippin School District
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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

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I am also requesting that the Division waive Ark. Code Ann. § 6-18-213(b), which requires that the official reporting period for attendance shall be quarterly with the actual number of days counted in each period to be no less than forty (40) nor more than fifty (50).

Flippin School District
2023-2024 Calendar
Alternative

<p>Aug 7-11 (M-F) Aug 16 (W) Sept 4 (M) Sept 15 (F)</p>	<p>Teacher Professional Development (5 teacher days) First Day of School Labor Day Holiday Dismiss all students at 1:00 <u>High School</u>—Parent/Teacher Conferences 1PM-7PM Elementary/Middle School—Professional Development 1PM-3PM</p>
<p>Oct 13 (F)</p>	<p>End 1st Quarter (42 days, 265 hours) (48 teacher days)</p>
<p>Oct 16 (M) October 19 (Th)</p>	<p>Begin 2nd Quarter Dismiss all students at 1:00 <u>Elementary/Middle School</u> Parent Teacher Conferences 1PM-7PM High School—Professional Development 1PM-3PM</p>
<p>October 20 (F) Nov 20 (M)-24 (F) Dec 20 (W) Dec 21(Th)-Jan 3(W)</p>	<p>District Wide Professional Development, No Students Thanksgiving Holiday End of 2nd Quarter (42 days, 265 hours) (44 teacher days) Christmas Holiday</p>
<p>Jan 4 (Th) Feb 8 (Th)</p>	<p>School Resumes for Students/ Begin 2nd Semester/3rd Quarter Dismiss all students at 1:00. <u>District Wide</u> Parent/Teacher Conferences 1PM-7 PM District Wide Professional Development-No Students</p>
<p>Feb 9 (F) Mar 15 (F)</p>	<p>End of 3rd Quarter (51 days [-4 snow days] = 47, 296 hours) (49 teacher days)</p>
<p>Mar 25 (M) Mar 18 (M)-22 (F) Mar 29 (F) Apr 8 (M) May 10(F) May 23 (F)</p>	<p>Begin 4th Quarter Spring Break Good Friday-No School Eclipse – No School (CF) Graduation End of 4th Quarter (42 days, 263 hours) (44 teacher days – 2 hours per day last 3 days of school - CF)</p>

This is an alternative calendar based on actual instructional hours and provides a minimum of 1,089 hours (after missing 5 days for inclement weather). A.C.A. 6-10-106 (g)(1)(2)(A)(ii)(a)

Includes 173 days of instruction (42 in the first quarter, 42 in the second quarter, 47 in the third, and 42 in the fourth). **Originally it was a 178-day calendar but we missed January 15, 16, 17, 22, and February 12 (CF) due to inclement weather.

5 SNOW DAYS: Built-in at the end of the school year (if student instructional time falls below 1068 hours). If more than 5 days are needed, staff vote will be used to determine possible make-up days.

AMI Days are not an option when instructional hours fall below 1068 hours. All missed Days will be made up to assure 1068 instructional hours for students. Teachers will complete 190 contracted days.

Non-Student Contact Days

- 5 days August 7-11: Five days the week before school.
- 1 day The equivalent of one day to be used after school throughout the school year.
- 2 days October 20 and February 9
- 2 days Parent Teacher Conferences
- 1 day One day spread out over the last three days of the school year.
- 1 day One day summer PD not provided through the school. Teachers register on their own.

12 total days (2 days PTCs + 10 days Professional Development)

**FLIPPIN SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

2023 - 2024 Alternative Calendar Resolution

WHEREAS the Flippin School District Board of Directors met in a regular, open, and properly-convened board meeting on February 26, 2024, in Flippin School District Board Room; and

Whereas Five members were present, a quorum was declared by the chair; and

WHEREAS A.C.A. § 6-10-106 (g)(1)(2)(A)(i) States that a public school district board of directors may implement an alternative school calendar. The alternative calendar must consist of 1068 instructional hours and at least 30 make-up hours.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Flippin School District approves transitioning to an alternative calendar for the 2023-2024 school year.

ADOPTED in regular session by the Board of Directors of the Flippin School district February 26, 2024.



PRESIDENT



SECRETARY

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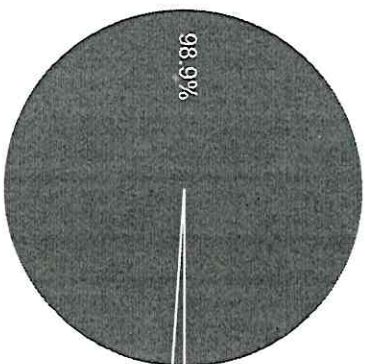
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- Leave the calendar as it is, take off a day for the eclipse, and add 5 days to the end. Students and staff get out May 31.
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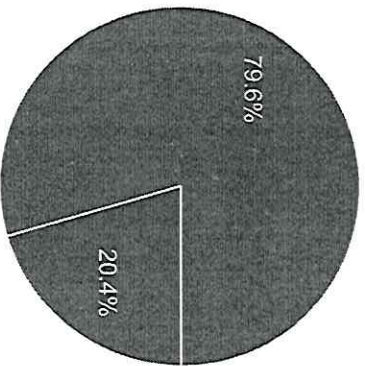
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