



DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY  
& SECONDARY EDUCATION

## Inclement Weather Calendar Waiver Request

District:	McCrary School District
LEA Number:	7403
Superintendent:	Scott Waymire
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Contact for Waiver:	Scott Waymire
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Contact Phone:	870-731-2535
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

**Expulsion Hearing  
Special Board Meeting  
February 8, 2024  
5:00 p.m.**

The McCrory School District met for a special session which included an expulsion hearing on Thursday, February 8, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. with the following board members in attendance: Allen Holmes, Caleb Thompson, and Janet Rudick. President Allen Holmes called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m. and the following business was conducted:

1. President Allen Holmes declared closed session to discuss the expulsion hearing at 5:04 pm.
2. President Allen Holmes declared open session at 5:18. A motion was made by Janet Rudick with a second from Caleb Thompson to expel [REDACTED] for the remainder of the 2023-2024 school year for possession of a controlled substance. The student will be given classwork through Virtual Arkansas during the expulsion. 3/0
3. A motion was made by Janet Rudick with a second from Caleb Thompson to approve the Personnel Policy Committee's request for a waiver on our school calendar per ADE's guidance due to excessive inclement weather. The district will move from a traditional calendar with 178 student days to an alternate calendar requiring 1068 hours. The Parent Teacher Conference Day on February 12, 2024 and Good Friday on March 29, 2024 will become instructional days. 3/0
4. A motion was made by Caleb Thompson with a second from Janet Rudick to approve the purchase of educator legal liability, employment practices liability and general liability outside of Arkansas from Cadence Insurance (endorsed by ASBA) for \$10,797.00. 3/0
5. A motion was made by Janet Rudick with a second from Caleb Thompson to approve the purchase of property located at 511 North Seaman Street, McCrory, which is owned by Chantry Dix for \$17,500 to be paid from the building fund. 3/0
6. President Allen Holmes declared executive session at 5:24 p.m.
7. President Allen Holmes declared open session at 5:49 p.m. with no action taken.
8. A motion was made by Caleb Thompson with a second from Janet Rudick to accept the resignation of Lynleigh Bull as junior high cheer sponsor. 3/0
9. A motion was made by Janet Rudick with a second from Caleb Thompson to hire Doris Clark as a part time food service worker for four hours per day on the appropriate place on the food service salary schedule starting February 12, 2024. 3/0
10. President Allen Holmes declared the meeting adjourned at 5:50 p.m. by unanimous consent.

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Allen Holmes, President

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Angela Schaefer, Secretary





**McCrory  
Schools**

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# PPC MEETING

## MINUTES

**Date:** 01/29/2024

### In Attendance

Carrie Bowling, Donna Kruse, Blake Whitby, Tyler Houston, Lesley Norton, Lori Cain, Heather Hite, Chris Snyder, LeeAnn Wampler

*Administrators:* Scott Waymire, Julia Johnston (Phone), Glen Campbell

### Members Absent

Donna Kruse, Petra Scott, Lauren Baker

*Administrators:* -

### Old Business

NONE

### New Business

Snyder discussed what options were available if the district was to transition from traditional calendar to the alternative calendar(minute) based on keeping the current bell schedules as is for remainder of the school year. Because of Jag Time being added to the HS bell schedule, the district can make up two days and meeting the requirements for the alternative calendar. After discussion on which day in February, either PTC day or President's day, PPC moved to let certified staff vote, majority wins. *Results on second page.* The second day will be made up on March 29, Good Friday. **Motion made by Bowling, Second by Norton. All in favor.**

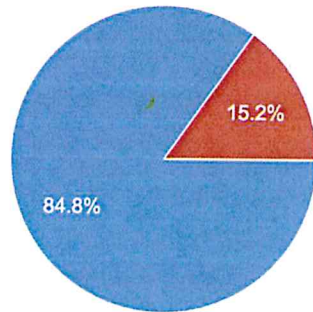
### Announcements

Reminder that all staff may reach PPC by email at [ppc@mccroryschools.org](mailto:ppc@mccroryschools.org)

### Next Meeting

February 21, 2024

Select one:  
46 responses



- Student's attend school until 1:30 ES and 1:45 HS on PTC day (2/12), PTCs will be 2-6 for both buildings
- Students attend Presidents' Day (2/19) as a normal Monday, PTCs will stay as they are currently scheduled.





# MCCRORY SCHOOLS

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July 2023						
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August 2023						
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## Day Counts

Q1: 248.55hrs + Q2: 275.68hrs = 524.23hrs  
 Q3: 274.55hrs + Q4: 301.77hrs = 576.32hrs  
 1,100.55 hrs

## Teacher In-Service Days

3 Days in the Summer  
 August 7 - 11 Onsite PD Week  
 January 5 Swap Day #1  
 Feb 19 Swap Day #2

## Holidays / Non-Student Days

September 1 No School  
 September 4 Labor Day Week  
 September 18 PTC  
 October 6 No School  
 October 9 Columbus Day  
 November 20-24 Thanksgiving Break  
 Dec. 22 - Jan 5 Christmas Break  
 January 15 Martin Luther King Jr.  
 February 19 President's Day\*  
 March 18-22 Spring Break  
 April 8 No School\*  
 May 27 Memorial Day

## Grading Periods

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter August 14 - October 13  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter October 16 - December 21  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter January 8 - March 15  
 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter March 25 - May 31

## Intermin Progress Reports

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter September 14  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter November 16  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter February 7  
 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter May 2

## Parent/Teacher Conferences

September 18 12p-6p Elementary School  
 1p-7p High School  
 February 12 School in Session 8-1:30/1:45  
 Conf: 2p -6p MES & MHS

## Open House / Pre-Registration

August 3 Pre-Registration  
 12p - 7p @ MHS Cafeteria  
 August 10 Open House  
 4p - 6p (MES) 5p - 7p (MHS)

## Graduations

May 17 High School Graduation  
 May 24 Pre-K Graduation  
 May 24 Kindergarten Recognition  
 May 24 6th Grade Graduation

Legend	
	Holidays
	Pre-Registration
	P/T Conference
	District PD day
	Graduation
	First/Last day
	Open House
	Progress Reports (IPR)
	Teacher Swap Days
	Quarter Ends

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## Snow Days

\* Will be announced as needed