

**Bedford County Schools
Bedford, VA**

**SCHOOL CALENDAR
2011-2012**

Dates	Description	Instructional	Professional
Aug. 9 & 10	Administrators' Conference		
Aug. 11 & 12	New Teacher Orientation		
Aug. 15-19	Teacher Workdays		5
Aug. 22	First Day of School		
Sept. 5	Labor Day Holiday (Offices Closed)		
Oct. 24	End of 1 st 9 weeks (2 hour Early Dismissal)	45	
Oct. 31	Report Cards Go Home		
Nov. 8	Election Day (School Closed)		
Nov. 21 *	Parent/Teacher Conferences (12-7 p.m.) (School Closed for Students)		1
Nov. 22 *	Professional Development/Data-Driven Planning (School Closed for Students)		1
Nov. 23-25	Thanksgiving Holiday (Offices Closed)		
Dec. 19-30	Winter Break (Offices Closed until Jan.2)		
Jan. 16	Martin Luther King Holiday (Offices Closed)		
Jan. 18 *	End of 2 nd 9 Weeks- End 1 st Semester (2 hour Early Dismissal)	45	
Jan. 25	Report Cards Go Home		
	FIRST SEMESTER TOTALS	90	7
Feb. 9 *	Parent/Teacher Conferences (12-7 p.m.) (School Closed for Students)		1
Feb. 10 *	Professional Development/Data-Driven Planning (School Closed for Students)		1
March 2 *	Late Winter Holiday		
March 26 *	Professional Development/Data-Driven Planning (School Closed for Students)		1
March 27 *	End of 3 rd 9 Weeks (2 hour Early Dismissal)	45	
April 2	Report Cards Go Home		
April 9-13	Spring Break (Offices Closed April 9-10)		
May 28	Memorial Day (Offices Closed)		
June 4-6 *	2 hr. Early Dismissal		
June 6	Last Day of School (2 hour Early Dismissal)	45	
June 7 & 8	Teacher Workdays		2
June 9	Graduation		
	SECOND SEMESTER TOTALS	90	5
	TOTAL FOR BOTH SEMESTERS	180	12

The Bedford County Public School Calendar is initially developed around 180 instructional days. Extra instructional time beyond the 990 hour state minimum, however, can be used for early dismissals, late openings, and make-ups. Due to time scheduled beyond state requirements, the first five missed days will not be made up. Dates marked by an asterisk (*) above will be used to make up days or hours missed due to inclement weather beyond the first five. Only in extreme circumstances will days during Thanksgiving, Winter, or Spring Breaks be used for make-up. Every effort will be made to communicate any calendar change to the school community as early as possible as decisions are made.

Teachers may be required to report on snow days.

Approved by School Board: **01/14/10**

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES

200 DAY TEACHERS: Report on August 15, 2011, follow school calendar, and complete contract obligation on June 8, 2012, or as amended for make-up. Newly hired teachers report on August 11, 2011.

210 DAY TEACHERS: Report on August 8, 2011, and complete contract obligation by June 15, 2012. Report and work the same days as 200 teachers between August 15, 2011 and June 8, 2012, or as amended for make-up.

230 DAY TEACHERS: Report on July 25, 2011, and complete contract obligation by June 29, 2012. Report and work the same days as 200 day teachers between August 15, 2011 and June 8, 2012, or as amended for make-up.

230 DAY ADMINSTRATORS: Work 230 days, report on July 25, 2011 and work every day central office is open, except scheduled vacation days. Complete contract obligation on June 27, 2012.

12-MONTH ADMINISTRATORS AND SUPERVISORS: Report on July 1, 2011, and work a normal work week with the exception of paid holidays and vacations. Complete contract obligation on June 29, 2012.

All 11 and 12-month employees have 14 holidays established as follows:

July 4, 2011 – Independence Day	September 5, 2011 – Labor Day
November 23 – 25,, 2011 – Thanksgiving	December 21 - 23, 2011 – Christmas
December 29, 2011 – New Years’ Eve (recognized)	December 30, 2011 – New Years’ Day (recognized)
January 16, 2012 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday	April 9-10, 2012 – Spring Break
May 28, 2012 – Memorial Day	

12-month, full-time employees shall be entitled to paid vacation days based upon the number of years service credited with the Virginia Retirement System:

<u>Service Credit</u>	<u>Annual Vacation Credit</u>
0-10 years credit	15 days
11-20 years credit	20 days
21+ years credit	25 days

230 day, full-time employees (excluding teachers) shall be entitled to 11 paid vacation days.

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES

INTERPRETERS: Interpreters on 185 day contract report every day students are in school, plus August 17 - 19, 2011 and June 7 - 8, 2012 or as amended for make-up. Interpreters on 200 day contract work the same schedule as 200 day teachers and must account for unassigned days.

180-DAY EMPLOYEES (CUSTODIANS & BUS DRIVERS): Work 180 days which will follow the schedule students are in school unless the work schedule is amended due to changes in days school is in session.

185-DAY EMPLOYEES: Work 185 days, report every day students are in school, plus August 17 - 19, 2011 and June 7 - 8, 2012 or as amended for make-up.

190-DAY EMPLOYEES (AIDES): Work 190 days which follow the schedule the students are in school unless the work schedule is amended due to changes in days school is in session, plus August 10 - 19, 2011 and June 7 – 8, 2012 or as amended for make-up.

SCHOOL NUTRITION EMPLOYEES: Work every day students attend school. Managers report three additional days before school starts and two days after school is closed. Workers report three additional days before school starts and one day after school is closed. The annual work schedule may be adjusted due to school schedule changes caused by inclement weather.

200-DAY EMPLOYEES: Work 200 days, reporting to work on August 3, 2011 and working same **assigned** days as 200-Day teachers. Complete contract obligation on June 8, 2012 or as amended for make-up.

230-DAY EMPLOYEES: Work 230 days, report on July 25, 2011, and work every day the central office is open, except scheduled vacation days. Complete contract obligation on June 27, 2012. 230 day employees may choose to use vacation days when schools are closed due to inclement weather.

12-MONTH EMPLOYEES: Report on July 1, 2011, and work every day the central office is open except scheduled vacation days. Complete contract obligation on June 29, 2012.