



SD53 - 2017/2018 DISTRICT CALENDAR

School District No. 53 (Okanagan Similkameen)

September 2017

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

October 2017

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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November 2017

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December 2017

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January 2018

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February 2018

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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March 2018

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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April 2018

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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May 2018

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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27	28	29	30	31		

June 2018

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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- Stat/School Holidays
- Non-Instructional Days
- Secondary Exam Days
- Year End Administration
- Inquiry Time Early Dismissal

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, September 4, 2017	Labour Day
Tuesday, September 5, 2017	Schools Open
Monday, October 9, 2017	Thanksgiving Day
Monday, Nov 13, 2017	Re: Remembrance Day
Monday, December 25, 2017	Christmas Break Begins
Monday, January 8, 2018	Schools Re-Open
Wed-Fri, January 24-26, 2018	Secondary Exam Days
Monday, January 29, 2018	Second Semester Begins
Monday, February 12, 2018	Family Day
Monday, March 19, 2018	Spring Break Begins
Friday, March 30, 2018	Good Friday
Monday, April 2, 2018	Easter Monday
Tuesday, April 3, 2018	School Re-Opens
Monday, May 21, 2018	Victoria Day
Mon-Wed, June 25-27, 2018	Secondary Exam Days
Thursday, June 28, 2018	Last Day of Classes
Friday, June 29, 2018	Administrative Day
School Closed for Students	

Number of Days in Session	193
Number of Days of Instruction	185

DISTRICT NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS

- Friday, October 20, 2017
- November 10, 2017
- February 16, 2018
- Monday, March 26 to Thursday, March 29, 2018

EARLY DISMISSAL DATES

Schools will notify parents of all early dismissal times & is also available: <http://www.sd53.bc.ca/district/calendars>
 Cawston/Keremeos: Oct 18 & 19, 2017 / Apr 11 & 12, 2018
 Osoyoos: Oct 18 & 19, 2017 / Mar 13 & 15, 2018
 Oliver/OK Falls: Oct 18 & 19, 2017 / Mar 13 & 15, 2018
District wide early dismissal days for Inquiry Time are indicated on calendar { }

Parent-Teacher Conferences

- Oct. 18: Cawston Primary, Oliver Elementary, SOSS, Osoyoos Elem, OSS, Tuc-el-Nuit Elem, SESS Okanagan Falls Elem
- Mar. 13: SOSS, Osoyoos Elem, Tuc-el-Nuit Elem & OSS
- Mar. 15: Oliver Elementary, Okanagan Falls Elem, Osoyoos Elem
- Apr. 11: Cawston Primary & SESS

We are committed to quality learning experiences in a caring environment which promote personal excellence, life-long learning and responsible citizenship.

SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT

Cawston Primary School Principal: Shannon Miller	Phone: 250-485-4434 Fax: 250-499-5288
Okanagan Falls Elementary School Principal: Karen Sinclair	Phone: 250-497-5414 Fax: 250-497-8279
Oliver Elementary School Principal: Jason McAllister	Phone: 250-498-3468 Fax: 250-498-0339
Osoyoos Elementary School Principal: Dave Foster	Phone: 250-495-7248 Fax: 250-495-2855
Osoyoos Secondary School Principal: Scott Tremblay	Phone: 250-485-4433 Fax: 250-495-2669
Similkameen Elem. Sec. School Principal: Cate Turner	Phone: 250-499-2727 Fax: 250-499-2411
Southern Okanagan Sec. School Principal: Tracy Harrington	Phone: 250-498-4931 Fax: 250-498-6957
Tuc-el-Nuit Elementary School Principal: Will Eaton	Phone: 250-498-3415 Fax: 250-498-0388
YouLearn.ca – Distance Learning & Continuing Education Principal: Glen Heinrichs	
Oliver Centre	Phone: 250-498-4597 ext 0
Osoyoos Centre	Phone: 250-498-4597 ext 1
Keremeos Centre	Phone: 250-499-0040

PARENT AND STUDENT APPEALS

Where a decision of an employee of the Board significantly affects the education, health or safety of a student, the parent/guardian of the student, or the student may, within a reasonable time from the date that the parent/guardian or student was informed of the decision, appeal that decision to the Board. Further information regarding the appeal process can be obtained at:

www.sd53.bc.ca/district/pols/bylaw-19.pdf

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SCHOOL

School Day Hours

Cawston Primary	8:45 am – 2:35 pm
Okanagan Falls Elementary	8:30 am – 2:25 pm
Oliver Elementary	8:30 am – 2:30 pm
Osoyoos Elementary	8:30 am – 2:30 pm
Osoyoos Secondary	8:30 am – 2:53 pm
Similkameen Elementary Secondary	8:30 am – 2:45 pm
Southern Okanagan Secondary	8:30 am – 2:45 pm
Tuc-el-Nuit Elementary	8:30 am – 2:30 pm

ELEMENTARY REPORT CARDS ISSUED:

Report #1	Monday, November 20 – Friday, December 1, 2017
Report #2	Monday, February 19 – Friday, March 2, 2018
Final Report	Thursday, June 28, 2018