



# 2011-2012

Instructional Days: 180

20 days

## July 2011

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

## August 2011

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

20 days

## September 2011

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

21 days

## October 2011

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

19 days

## November 2011

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

12 days

## December 2011

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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## LEADERSHIP AND MINISTRY EVENTS

8/10-11/2011	New Teacher Orientation
08/17/2011	Executive Principals' Meeting
9/29-30/2011	Principals' Retreat
10/12/2011	Executive Principals' Meeting
11/03/2011	Principal/Pastor Leadership Meeting
11/30/2011	Executive Principals' Meeting
01/12/2012	Principal's Meeting
01/18/2012	Executive Principals' Meeting
1/29-2/4/2012	Catholic Schools Week
02/06/2012	Festival of High School Choirs (Anticipated)
03/07/2012	Executive Principals' Meeting
03/15/2012	Principals' Meeting
4/10-13/2012	NCEA Convention
05/03/2012	Principals' Meeting
05/09/2012	Executive Principals' Meeting
6/19-21/2012	NW Catholic Educational Leadership Institute (Anticipated)
6/26-27/2012	New Principals' Orientation

## HOLIDAYS

09/05/2011	Labor Day
11/11/2011	Veteran's Day
11/24/2011	Thanksgiving
11/25/2011	Thanksgiving Holiday
12/19-30/2011	Christmas Holiday
01/02/2012	New Year's Day (Observed)
01/16/2012	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
02/20/2012	President's Day
4/9-13/2012	Easter Vacation
05/28/2012	Memorial Day

## FULCRUM FOUNDATION EVENTS

Fall 2011 TBA	Chairman's Breakfast
02/03/12	Celebration of Light (Anticipated)

## OPENING AND CLOSING DAYS

09/01/2011	First Day of School
06/13/2012	Last Day of School

## NON-STUDENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

09/16/2011	Teacher Excellence Day
03/23/2012	Deanery Curriculum Day

## LITURGICAL DATES

08/15/2011	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
11/01/2011	All Saints Day
11/02/2011	All Souls Day
12/08/2011	Feast of Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)
01/01/2012	Solemnity of Mary
02/22/2012	Ash Wednesday
4/5-8/2012	Easter Weekend

## TESTING

10/12-28/2011	ITBS Fall Testing Window
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## January 2012

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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20 days

## February 2012

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29			

21 days

## March 2012

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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16 days

## April 2012

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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22 days

## May 2012

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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9 days

## June 2012

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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## **ARCHDIOCESAN CALENDAR REGULATIONS 2011-2012**

### **CALENDAR:** Policy Handbook #5.1

A school calendar shall be established for each school year by the Catholic Schools Department and shall conform to the requirements of Washington State Law for non-public schools set forth in the annual approval forms. The calendar sets forth guidelines for Policy #5.1. Elementary and secondary schools may choose the Archdiocesan calendar, the calendar of the school district in which they are located, or a combination of the two calendars. Principals shall submit their school calendar to the Catholic Schools Department by the third week of May. Principals are requested to inform the Catholic Schools Department in advance of any alteration or adjustment to be made on the calendar.

### **LENGTH OF SCHOOL YEAR:**

According to Washington State Law WAC 180-90-160: The minimum school year for instructional purposes consists of no less than 180 days or the equivalent in annual minimum program hour offerings as prescribed in RCW 28A.150.220. It is strongly recommended that you not drop below 175 days.

**INSTRUCTIONAL HOURS:** RCW 28A.150.220 specifies the total number of instruction hours per year for students; in grade K = 450 hours; grades 1-12 = 1000 hours. The length of the school day should be planned so that the instructional hours meet the required hours at each grade level. Instructional hours are defined as the total number of hours when students are provided the opportunity to engage in educational activities. . . "inclusive of intermissions for class changes, recess and teacher/parent-guardian conferences which are planned by and scheduled by the district for purposes of discussing students' educational needs or progress, and exclusive of time actually spent for meals." In this context, "total program hour offering" refers to the number of hours school is in session annually, i.e., the average length of the school day multiplied by the number of days school is in session. In computing instructional hours, time spent by faculty at meetings, in-service, etc. is not computed as part of the time block. When completing state approval forms, difficulties or variances in fulfillment of this minimum requirement should be indicated.

**EARLY DISMISSAL SCHEDULE:** In-service sessions are a necessary component of quality instruction. School administrators, however, should make sure that such sessions do not unduly detract from the time required for actual instruction. In-service: local and/or deanery in-service should not be planned within the context of program hour offerings. Catholic Schools Department In-service: as scheduled on calendar. Where feasible there may be a commonality to school calendars in each deanery.

### **EMERGENCY CLOSURE:** Policy Handbook #5.7

The principal, in deciding upon temporary closure of school for a particular reason, should make provision for notification of parents and for proper supervision of students, if necessary. Notification of closure should be made to the Catholic Schools Department.

### **INCLEMENT WEATHER:** Policy Handbook #5.7

Ordinarily, schools will close for inclement weather whenever the public schools in the district close. When inclement weather makes it necessary to close school, parents will receive notice by radio and are asked to listen to early morning broadcasts. Each school principal is responsible for notifying the radio station. The Catholic Schools Department will supply station phone numbers, etc., to schools in the Greater Seattle Area.